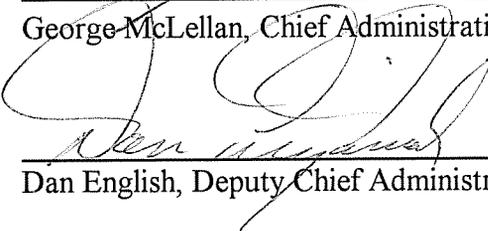


Halifax Regional Council
June 25, 2002

TO: Mayor Kelly and Members of Halifax Regional Council

SUBMITTED BY:


George McLellan, Chief Administrative Officer


Dan English, Deputy Chief Administrative Officer

DATE: June 19, 2002

SUBJECT: Award of Unit Price Tender No. 02-241, Paving Renewal - West
Region

ORIGIN

Approved 2002/03 Capital Budget.

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that Council award Tender No. 02-241, Paving Renewal - West Region to Basin Contracting Limited for materials and services listed at the unit prices quoted for a Tender Price of \$238,805., plus net HST for a total of \$254,158. from Account No. CYR00991, Paving Renewal, with funding authorized as per the Budget Implications section of this report.

BACKGROUND

The 2002/03 Approved Capital Budget includes funds for a paving renewal program that will significantly improve the level of service to the public.

DISCUSSION

Tenders were called on May 25, 2002 and closed on June 7, 2002. The following bids, exclusive of taxes, were received:

	<u>Bid Price</u>
1. Basin Contracting Limited	\$238,805.00
2. Dexter Construction Company Limited	\$268,580.00
3. Lafarge Canada Inc.	\$278,223.50
4. Ocean Contractors Limited	\$294,372.00

The scope of work for this tender includes milling and renewal of the existing asphalt pavement and replacement of concrete curb and gutter on Victoria Road from South Park Street to Bland Street and on Almon Street from Dublin Street to Windsor Street, West Region.

It is anticipated that work will commence within three weeks of the tender award.

This is a **UNIT PRICE** contract and the cost will be dependent upon the actual quantities measured and approved by the HRM Project Manager.

There are no Local Improvement Charges associated with this work.

BUDGET IMPLICATIONS

Based on the lowest tendered price of \$238,805., plus net HST for a total of \$254,158., funding is available in the 2002/03 Approved Capital Budget under Account No. CYR00991, Paving Renewal. The budget availability has been approved by Financial Services.

Budget Summary Account No. CYR00991, Paving Renewal

Cumulative Unspent Budget	\$3,578,672.00
Less: Tender No. 02-241	\$ 254,158.00*
	\$3,324,514.00

* The projects included in this tender were estimated in the 2002/03 Capital Budget at \$280,000.

Victoria Road (South Park Street to Bland Street)	\$125,000.
Almon Street (Dublin Street to Windsor Street)	<u>\$155,000.</u>
	\$280,000.

The remaining funds in this account are required to implement the remaining 2002/03 Paving Renewal projects.

FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT POLICIES / BUSINESS PLAN

This report complies with the Municipality's Multi-Year Financial Strategy, the approved Operating, Capital and Reserve budgets, policies and procedures regarding withdrawals from the utilization of Capital and Operating reserves, as well as any relevant legislation.

The Paving Renewal Program will extend the life of existing Halifax Regional Municipality Roads and Streets.

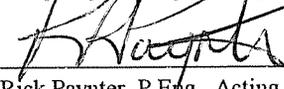
ALTERNATIVES

There are no recommended alternatives.

Additional copies of this report, and information on its status, can be obtained by contacting the Office of the Municipal Clerk at 490-4210, or Fax 490-4208.

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Victoria Road

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Letter of Good Standing

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Member Code BASIN 02
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Certificate Number 121079

Issued to: **BASIN CONTRACTING LTD.**
PO BOX 70,
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Construction Safety Association hereby issues a letter of good standing:

February 12, 2002

October 22, 2002

DATE OF ISSUE

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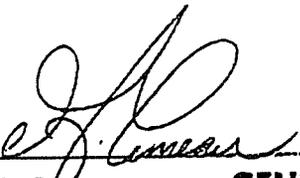
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