

CITY OF BETHLEHEM
INTER-DEPARTMENTAL CORRESPONDENCE

SUBJECT: Recommendation to Award Construction Contract
Street Overlays 2016 – Curb Ramps
Bid Request # 2016-06

Request for City Council Approval per Article 121.05

TO: City Council

FROM: Michael Alkhal, P.E., Director of Public Works / City Engineer

DATE: April 11, 2016

We have advertised the above referenced project on PennBid and received three (3) bids. After review of their qualifications and pricing, we recommend award of the contract to the lowest qualified bidder, Gaver Industries Inc., dba Barker & Barker Paving.

We request review and approval of a resolution authorizing entering into the referenced contract be added to Council's agenda for the upcoming meeting on April 19th, 2016.

- Type of Contract or Action (check appropriate box):

- New Contract
- Renewal Contract
- Amendment to increase by 10% or more

- Contractor Name and Address:

Gaver Industries Inc., dba Barker & Barker Paving
910 14th Avenue
Bethlehem, PA 18018

- Description of project or scope of services to be provided:

The project consists of designing and constructing one-hundred (100) concrete curb ramps compliant with the latest specifications of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA). Three (3) street trees in conflict with existing sidewalks will need to be removed and replaced as part of this project.

- Term of contract or estimated completion date, subject to standard extensions:

125 Days from Notice to Proceed

- Price to City for initial term:

\$585,000.00

- Reasons for recommendation of Administration and Council approval of contract:

Gaver Industries Inc. DBA Barker & Barker Paving was the lowest responsible/qualified bidder of 3 bids received ranging from \$585,000.00 to \$718,775.00.

If you have any questions, please let me know.

MA/ME

cc: Mayor
Business Administrator
Law Bureau
Purchasing Bureau
Dir. Budget/Finance
File

By: 
Title: Public Works Director/City Engineer

RESOLUTION NO. 2016-__

Authorization for Contract or Amendment under Article 121.05(a)

BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Bethlehem that the Mayor and the Controller and/or such other City officials as deemed appropriate by the City Solicitor, are hereby authorized to execute a Contract or Amendment and such other agreements and documents as are deemed by the City Solicitor to be necessary and/or related there to, with the following named contractor, for the uses and purposes indicated in the supporting Recommendation of Award of Bid or Contract dated April 7, 2016:

1. Name of Contractor: Gaver Industries Inc., dba Barker & Barker Paving.
2. Project or Contract Reference: Street Overlays 2016 – Curb Ramps

Sponsored by: _____

ADOPTED BY COUNCIL THIS 19th DAY OF APRIL, 2016.

/s/ J. William Reynolds
President of Council

ATTEST:

/s/ Louise M. Kelchner
City Clerk