



AGENDA ITEM EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Agenda Item number: 5.A

Title:

Recommendation to Approve a Resolution Authorizing a Construction Contract for 2nd and 3rd Avenue Bridge Repairs

Presenter:

Ken Jay

Meeting: Government Services Committee

Date: August 22, 2022

Proposed Cost: \$283,587

Budgeted Amount: \$255,000

Not Budgeted:

Executive Summary (if not budgeted please explain):

The City of St. Charles owns and maintains eight vehicular and pedestrian bridges. The bridges are inspected on one, two or four-year cycles depending on various factors, such as bridge condition, span lengths, etc. After each inspection, detailed reports are provided to City staff. Reports typically include recommended repairs and timelines. Repair plans and specifications have been prepared for 2nd Avenue Bridge, 3rd Avenue Bridge, and the Main Street Bridge alcoves. Improvements include hard-armoring the slopewalls beneath the 2nd and 3rd Avenue bridges, painting exposed rebar on the underside of the 2nd and 3rd Avenue bridges, curb repairs, driving surface deck sealing, and concrete repairs and crack sealing of the alcoves on Main Street Bridge.

Bid Results:

On August 4, 2022, sealed bids for the 2nd and 3rd Avenue Bridges and Main Street Bridge Alcove Repairs were electronically submitted. The City received a total of three (3) bids for this project, with the results shown below:

Herlihy Mid-Continent Company	\$283,587.00
Martam Construction, Inc.	\$316,236.00
Alliance Contractors, Inc.	\$440,622.55

While the low bid is over budget, City staff propose to utilize funds budgeted for construction engineering to cover the additional construction cost. Public Works Engineering staff will oversee construction. Staff do not believe that rebidding will reduce costs in the current environment.

Herlihy Mid-Continent Company of Romeoville, IL recently completed the repairs to the Illinois Bridge in 2016 and is capable and qualified to complete the project. Construction is anticipated to begin in September, with substantial completion in November.

Attachments (please list):

None

Recommendation/Suggested Action (briefly explain):

Recommendation to approve a Resolution authorizing a Construction Contract with Herlihy Mid-Continent Company for the 2nd and 3rd Avenue Bridge Repairs in the amount of \$283,587.