

# THE CITY OF WINNIPEG

# **BID OPPORTUNITY**

**BID OPPORTUNITY NO. 405-2011** 

2011 WAVERLEY STREET WIDENING 320 METERS NORTH OF SANDUSKY DRIVE TO BISON DRIVE

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## **PART B - BIDDING PROCEDURES**

## **B1.** CONTRACT TITLE

B1.1 2011 Waverley Street Widening320 Meters North of Sandusky Drive to Bison Drive

## **B2. SUBMISSION DEADLINE**

- B2.1 The Submission Deadline is 12:00 noon Winnipeg time, May 27, 2011.
- B2.2 Bids determined by the Manager of Materials to have been received later than the Submission Deadline will not be accepted and will be returned upon request.
- B2.3 The Contract Administrator or the Manager of Materials may extend the Submission Deadline by issuing an addendum at any time prior to the time and date specified in B2.1.

## **B3.** SITE INVESTIGATION

B3.1 Further to C3.1, the Bidder may view the Site without making an appointment.

## **B4. ENQUIRIES**

- B4.1 All enquiries shall be directed to the Contract Administrator identified in D3.1.
- B4.2 If the Bidder finds errors, discrepancies or omissions in the Bid Opportunity, or is unsure of the meaning or intent of any provision therein, the Bidder shall notify the Contract Administrator of the error, discrepancy or omission, or request a clarification as to the meaning or intent of the provision at least five (5) Business Days prior to the Submission Deadline.
- B4.3 Responses to enquiries which, in the sole judgment of the Contract Administrator, require a correction to or a clarification of the Bid Opportunity will be provided by the Contract Administrator to all Bidders by issuing an addendum.
- B4.4 Responses to enquiries which, in the sole judgment of the Contract Administrator, do not require a correction to or a clarification of the Bid Opportunity will be provided by the Contract Administrator only to the Bidder who made the enquiry.
- B4.5 The Bidder shall not be entitled to rely on any response or interpretation received pursuant to B4 unless that response or interpretation is provided by the Contract Administrator in writing.

## B5. ADDENDA

- B5.1 The Contract Administrator may, at any time prior to the Submission deadline, issue addenda correcting errors, discrepancies or omissions in the Bid Opportunity, or clarifying the meaning or intent of any provision therein.
- B5.2 The Contract Administrator will issue each addendum at least two (2) Business Days prior to the Submission Deadline, or provide at least two (2) Business Days by extending the Submission Deadline.
- B5.2.1 Addenda will be available on the Bid Opportunities page at The City of Winnipeg, Corporate Finance, Materials Management Division website at http://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt/bidopp.asp
- B5.2.2 The Bidder is responsible for ensuring that he has received all addenda and is advised to check the Materials Management Division website for addenda regularly and shortly before the Submission Deadline, as may be amended by addendum.

B5.3 The Bidder shall acknowledge receipt of each addendum in Paragraph 10 of Form A: Bid. Failure to acknowledge receipt of an addendum may render a Bid non-responsive.

## **B6.** SUBSTITUTES

- B6.1 The Work is based on the Plant, Materials and methods specified in the Bid Opportunity.
- B6.2 Substitutions shall not be allowed unless application has been made to and prior approval has been granted by the Contract Administrator in writing.
- B6.3 Requests for approval of a substitute will not be considered unless received in writing by the Contract Administrator at least five (5) Business Days prior to the Submission Deadline.
- B6.4 The Bidder shall ensure that any and all requests for approval of a substitute:
  - (a) provide sufficient information and details to enable the Contract Administrator to determine the acceptability of the Plant, Material or method as either an approved equal or alternative;
  - (b) identify any and all changes required in the applicable Work, and all changes to any other Work, which would become necessary to accommodate the substitute;
  - (c) identify any anticipated cost or time savings that may be associated with the substitute;
  - (d) certify that, in the case of a request for approval as an approved equal, the substitute will fully perform the functions called for by the general design, be of equal or superior substance to that specified, is suited to the same use and capable of performing the same function as that specified and can be incorporated into the Work, strictly in accordance with the proposed work schedule and the dates specified in the Supplemental Conditions for Substantial Performance and Total Performance:
  - (e) certify that, in the case of a request for approval as an approved alternative, the substitute will adequately perform the functions called for by the general design, be similar in substance to that specified, is suited to the same use and capable of performing the same function as that specified and can be incorporated into the Work, strictly in accordance with the proposed work schedule and the dates specified in the Supplemental Conditions for Substantial Performance and Total Performance.
- B6.5 The Contract Administrator, after assessing the request for approval of a substitute, may in his sole discretion grant approval for the use of a substitute as an "approved equal" or as an "approved alternative", or may refuse to grant approval of the substitute.
- B6.6 The Contract Administrator will provide a response in writing, at least two (2) Business Days prior to the Submission Deadline, only to the Bidder who requested approval of the substitute.
- B6.6.1 The Bidder requesting and obtaining the approval of a substitute shall be entirely responsible for disseminating information regarding the approval to any person or persons he wishes to inform.
- B6.7 If the Contract Administrator approves a substitute as an "approved equal", any Bidder may use the approved equal in place of the specified item.
- B6.8 If the Contract Administrator approves a substitute as an "approved alternative", any Bidder bidding that approved alternative may base his Total Bid Price upon the specified item but may also indicate an alternative price based upon the approved alternative. Such alternatives will be evaluated in accordance with B15.
- B6.9 No later claim by the Contractor for an addition to the Total Bid Price because of any other changes in the Work necessitated by the use of an approved equal or an approved alternative will be considered.
- B6.10 Notwithstanding B6.2 to B6.9, in accordance with B7.6, deviations inconsistent with the Bid Opportunity document shall be evaluated in accordance with B15.1(a).

## **B7.** BID COMPONENTS

- B7.1 The Bid shall consist of the following components:
  - (a) Form A: Bid;
  - (b) Form B: Prices, hard copy;
  - (c) Bid Security;
    - Form G1: Bid Bond and Agreement to Bond, or Form G2: Irrevocable Standby Letter of Credit and Undertaking, or a certified cheque or draft;
- B7.2 Further to B7.1, the Bidder should include the written correspondence from the Contract Administrator approving a substitute in accordance with B6.
- B7.3 All components of the Bid shall be fully completed or provided, and submitted by the Bidder no later than the Submission Deadline, with all required entries made clearly and completely, to constitute a responsive Bid.
- B7.4 The Bid shall be submitted enclosed and sealed in an envelope clearly marked with the Bid Opportunity number and the Bidder's name and address.
- B7.4.1 Samples or other components of the Bid which cannot reasonably be enclosed in the envelope may be packaged separately, but shall be clearly marked with the Bid Opportunity number, the Bidder's name and address, and an indication that the contents are part of the Bidder's Bid.
- B7.4.2 A hard copy of Form B: Prices must be submitted with the Bid. If there is any discrepancy between the Adobe PDF version of Form B: Prices and the Microsoft Excel version of Form B: Prices, the PDF version shall take precedence.
- B7.5 Bidders are advised not to include any information/literature except as requested in accordance with B7.1.
- B7.6 Bidders are advised that inclusion of terms and conditions inconsistent with the Bid Opportunity document, including the General Conditions, will be evaluated in accordance with B15.1(a).
- B7.7 Bids submitted by facsimile transmission (fax) or internet electronic mail (e-mail) will not be accepted.
- B7.8 Bids shall be submitted to:

The City of Winnipeg Corporate Finance Department Materials Management Division 185 King Street, Main Floor Winnipeg MB R3B 1J1

## B8. BID

- B8.1 The Bidder shall complete Form A: Bid, making all required entries.
- B8.2 Paragraph 2 of Form A: Bid shall be completed in accordance with the following requirements:
  - (a) if the Bidder is a sole proprietor carrying on business in his own name, his name shall be inserted;
  - (b) if the Bidder is a partnership, the full name of the partnership shall be inserted;
  - (c) if the Bidder is a corporation, the full name of the corporation shall be inserted;

- (d) if the Bidder is carrying on business under a name other than his own, the business name and the name of every partner or corporation who is the owner of such business name shall be inserted.
- B8.2.1 If a Bid is submitted jointly by two or more persons, each and all such persons shall identify themselves in accordance with B8.2.
- B8.3 In Paragraph 3 of Form A: Bid, the Bidder shall identify a contact person who is authorized to represent the Bidder for purposes of the Bid.
- B8.4 Paragraph 12 of Form A: Bid shall be signed in accordance with the following requirements:
  - (a) if the Bidder is a sole proprietor carrying on business in his own name, it shall be signed by the Bidder:
  - (b) if the Bidder is a partnership, it shall be signed by the partner or partners who have authority to sign for the partnership;
  - (c) if the Bidder is a corporation, it shall be signed by its duly authorized officer or officers and the corporate seal, if the corporation has one, shall be affixed;
  - (d) if the Bidder is carrying on business under a name other than his own, it shall be signed by the registered owner of the business name, or by the registered owner's authorized officials if the owner is a partnership or a corporation.
- B8.4.1 The name and official capacity of all individuals signing Form A: Bid should be printed below such signatures.
- B8.5 If a Bid is submitted jointly by two or more persons, the word "Bidder" shall mean each and all such persons, and the undertakings, covenants and obligations of such joint Bidders in the Bid and the Contract, when awarded, shall be both joint and several.

#### B9. PRICES

- B9.1 The Bidder shall state a price in Canadian funds for each item of the Work identified on Form B: Prices.
- B9.2 The quantities listed on Form B: Prices are to be considered approximate only. The City will use said quantities for the purpose of comparing Bids.
- B9.3 The quantities for which payment will be made to the Contractor are to be determined by the Work actually performed and completed by the Contractor, to be measured as specified in the applicable Specifications.
- B9.4 Payments to Non-Resident Contractors are subject to Non-Resident Withholding Tax pursuant to the Income Tax Act (Canada).

## **B10. QUALIFICATION**

- B10.1 The Bidder shall:
  - (a) undertake to be in good standing under The Corporations Act (Manitoba), or properly registered under The Business Names Registration Act (Manitoba), or otherwise properly registered, licensed or permitted by law to carry on business in Manitoba; and
  - (b) be financially capable of carrying out the terms of the Contract; and
  - (c) have all the necessary experience, capital, organization, and equipment to perform the Work in strict accordance with the terms and provisions of the Contract.
- B10.2 The Bidder and any proposed Subcontractor (for the portion of the Work proposed to be subcontracted to them) shall:
  - (a) be responsible and not be suspended, debarred or in default of any obligations to the City. A list of suspended or debarred individuals and companies is available on the Information

Connection page at The City of Winnipeg, Corporate Finance, Materials Management Division website at http://www.winnipeg.ca/matmqt/debar.stm

- B10.3 The Bidder and/or any proposed Subcontractor (for the portion of the Work proposed to be subcontracted to them) shall:
  - (a) have successfully carried out work similar in nature, scope and value to the Work; and
  - (b) be fully capable of performing the Work required to be in strict accordance with the terms and provisions of the Contract; and
  - (c) have a written workplace safety and health program if required pursuant to The Workplace Safety and Health Act (Manitoba);
- B10.4 Further to B10.3(c), the Bidder shall, within five (5) Business Days of a request by the Contract Administrator, provide proof satisfactory to the Contract Administrator that the Bidder/Subcontractor has a workplace safety and health program meeting the requirements of The Workplace Safety and Health Act (Manitoba), by providing:
  - (a) a valid COR certification number under the Certificate of Recognition (COR) Program administered by the Manitoba Construction Safety Association or by the Manitoba Heavy Construction Association's Safety, Health and Environment Program; or
  - (b) a report or letter to that effect from an independent reviewer acceptable to the City. (A list of acceptable reviewers and the review template are available on the Information Connection page at The City of Winnipeg, Corporate Finance, Materials Management Division website at http://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt)
- B10.5 The Bidder shall submit, within three (3) Business Days of a request by the Contract Administrator, proof satisfactory to the Contract Administrator of the qualifications of the Bidder and of any proposed Subcontractor.
- B10.6 The Bidder shall provide, on the request of the Contract Administrator, full access to any of the Bidder's equipment and facilities to confirm, to the Contract Administrator's satisfaction, that the Bidder's equipment and facilities are adequate to perform the Work.

## **B11.** BID SECURITY

- B11.1 The Bidder shall provide bid security in the form of:
  - (a) a bid bond, in the amount of at least ten percent (10%) of the Total Bid Price, and agreement to bond of a company registered to conduct the business of a surety in Manitoba, in the form included in the Bid Submission (Form G1: Bid Bond and Agreement to Bond); or
  - (b) an irrevocable standby letter of credit, in the amount of at least ten percent (10%) of the Total Bid Price, and undertaking issued by a bank or other financial institution registered to conduct business in Manitoba and drawn on a branch located in Winnipeg, in the form included in the Bid Submission (Form G2: Irrevocable Standby Letter of Credit and Undertaking); or
  - (c) a certified cheque or draft payable to "The City of Winnipeg", in the amount of at least fifty percent (50%) of the Total Bid Price, drawn on a bank or other financial institution registered to conduct business in Manitoba.
- B11.1.1 If the Bidder submits alternative bids, the bid security shall be in the amount of the specified percentage of the highest Total Bid Price submitted.
- B11.1.2 All signatures on bid securities shall be original.
- B11.1.3 The Bidder shall sign the Bid Bond.
- B11.1.4 The Surety shall sign and affix its corporate seal on the Bid Bond and the Agreement to Bond.

- B11.2 The bid security of the successful Bidder and the next two lowest evaluated responsive and responsible Bidders will be released by the City when a Contract for the Work has been duly executed by the successful Bidder and the performance security furnished as provided herein. The bid securities of all other Bidders will be released when a Contract is awarded.
- B11.2.1 Where the bid security provided by the successful Bidder is in the form of a certified cheque or draft pursuant to B11.1(c), it will be deposited and retained by the City as the performance security and no further submission is required.
- B11.2.2 The City will not pay any interest on certified cheques or drafts furnished as bid security or subsequently retained as performance security.
- B11.3 The bid securities of all Bidders will be released by the City as soon as practicable following notification by the Contract Administrator to the Bidders that no award of Contract will be made pursuant to the Bid Opportunity.

## B12. OPENING OF BIDS AND RELEASE OF INFORMATION

- B12.1 Bids will be opened publicly, after the Submission Deadline has elapsed, in the office of the Corporate Finance Department, Materials Management Division, or in such other office as may be designated by the Manager of Materials.
- B12.1.1 Bidders or their representatives may attend.
- B12.1.2 Bids determined by the Manager of Materials, or his designate, to not include the bid security specified in B11 will not be read out.
- B12.2 Following the submission deadline, the names of the Bidders and their Total Bid Prices (unevaluated, and pending review and verification of conformance with requirements) will be available on the Closed Bid Opportunities (or Public/Posted Opening & Award Results) page at The City of Winnipeg, Corporate Finance, Materials Management Division website at http://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt
- B12.3 After award of Contract, the name(s) of the successful Bidder(s) and the Contract amount(s) will be available on the Closed Bid Opportunities (or Public/Posted Opening & Award Results) page at The City of Winnipeg, Corporate Finance, Materials Management Division website at <a href="http://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt">http://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt</a>
- B12.4 The Bidder is advised that any information contained in any Bid may be released if required by City policy or procedures, by The Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (Manitoba), by other authorities having jurisdiction, or by law.

#### **B13.** IRREVOCABLE BID

- B13.1 The Bid(s) submitted by the Bidder shall be irrevocable for the time period specified in Paragraph 11 of Form A: Bid.
- B13.2 The acceptance by the City of any Bid shall not release the Bids of the next two lowest evaluated responsive Bidders and these Bidders shall be bound by their Bids on such Work until a Contract for the Work has been duly executed and the performance security furnished as herein provided, but any Bid shall be deemed to have lapsed unless accepted within the time period specified in Paragraph 11 of Form A: Bid.

## **B14. WITHDRAWAL OF BIDS**

- B14.1 A Bidder may withdraw his Bid without penalty by giving written notice to the Manager of Materials at any time prior to the Submission Deadline.
- B14.1.1 Notwithstanding C23.3, the time and date of receipt of any notice withdrawing a Bid shall be the time and date of receipt as determined by the Manager of Materials.

- B14.1.2 The City will assume that any one of the contact persons named in Paragraph 3 of Form A: Bid or the Bidder's authorized representatives named in Paragraph 12 of Form A: Bid, and only such person, has authority to give notice of withdrawal.
- B14.1.3 If a Bidder gives notice of withdrawal prior to the Submission Deadline, the Manager of Materials will:
  - (a) retain the Bid until after the Submission Deadline has elapsed;
  - (b) open the Bid to identify the contact person named in Paragraph 3 of Form A: Bid and the Bidder's authorized representatives named in Paragraph 12 of Form A: Bid; and
  - (c) if the notice has been given by any one of the persons specified in B14.1.3(b), declare the Bid withdrawn.
- B14.2 A Bidder who withdraws his Bid after the Submission Deadline but before his Bid has been released or has lapsed as provided for in B13.2 shall be liable for such damages as are imposed upon the Bidder by law and subject to such sanctions as the Chief Administrative Officer considers appropriate in the circumstances. The City, in such event, shall be entitled to all rights and remedies available to it at law, including the right to retain the Bidder's bid security.

## **B15.** EVALUATION OF BIDS

- B15.1 Award of the Contract shall be based on the following bid evaluation criteria:
  - (a) compliance by the Bidder with the requirements of the Bid Opportunity, or acceptable deviation therefrom (pass/fail);
  - (b) qualifications of the Bidder and the Subcontractors, if any, pursuant to B10 (pass/fail);
  - (c) Total Bid Price;
  - (d) economic analysis of any approved alternative pursuant to B6.
- B15.2 Further to B15.1(a), the Award Authority may reject a Bid as being non-responsive if the Bid is incomplete, obscure or conditional, or contains additions, deletions, alterations or other irregularities. The Award Authority may reject all or any part of any Bid, or waive technical requirements or minor informalities or irregularities, if the interests of the City so require.
- B15.3 Further to B15.1(b), the Award Authority shall reject any Bid submitted by a Bidder who does not demonstrate, in his Bid or in other information required to be submitted, that he is responsible and qualified.
- B15.4 Further to B15.1(c), the Total Bid Price shall be the sum of the quantities multiplied by the unit prices for each item shown on Form B: Prices.
- B15.4.1 If there is any discrepancy between the Total Bid Price written in figures, the Total Bid Price written in words and the sum of the quantities multiplied by the unit prices for each item, the sum of the quantities multiplied by the unit prices for each item shall take precedence.
- B15.4.2 Further to B15.1(a), in the event that a unit price is not provided on Form B: Prices, the City will determine the unit price by dividing the Amount (extended price) by the approximate quantity, for the purposes of evaluation and payment.

## **B16.** AWARD OF CONTRACT

- B16.1 The City will give notice of the award of the Contract or will give notice that no award will be made.
- B16.2 The City will have no obligation to award a Contract to a Bidder, even though one or all of the Bidders are determined to be responsible and qualified, and the Bids are determined to be responsive.

- B16.2.1 Without limiting the generality of 0, the City will have no obligation to award a Contract where:
  - (a) the prices exceed the available City funds for the Work;
  - (b) the prices are materially in excess of the prices received for similar work in the past;
  - (c) the prices are materially in excess of the City's cost to perform the Work, or a significant portion thereof, with its own forces;
  - (d) only one Bid is received; or
  - (e) in the judgment of the Award Authority, the interests of the City would best be served by not awarding a Contract.
- B16.3 Where an award of Contract is made by the City, the award shall be made to the responsible and qualified Bidder submitting the lowest evaluated responsive Bid, in accordance with B15.
- B16.3.1 Following the award of contract, a Bidder will be provided with information related to the evaluation of his Bid upon written request to the Contract Administrator.
- B16.4 Award of Contract will be contingent upon the City of Winnipeg securing funding from the Governments of Canada and Manitoba under the Building Canada Fund.

## **PART C - GENERAL CONDITIONS**

## C1. GENERAL CONDITIONS

- C1.1 The *General Conditions for Construction* (Revision 2006 12 15) are applicable to the Work of the Contract.
- C1.1.1 The General Conditions for Construction are available on the Information Connection page at The City of Winnipeg, Corporate Finance, Materials Management Division website at <a href="http://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt/gen\_cond.stm">http://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt/gen\_cond.stm</a>
- C1.2 A reference in the Bid Opportunity to a section, clause or subclause with the prefix "C" designates a section, clause or subclause in the *General Conditions for Construction*.

## **PART D - SUPPLEMENTAL CONDITIONS**

#### **GENERAL**

## D1. GENERAL CONDITIONS

D1.1 In addition to the General Conditions for Construction, these Supplemental Conditions are applicable to the Work of the Contract.

## D2. SCOPE OF WORK

- D2.1 The Work to be done under the Contract shall consist of:
  - (a) Pavement widening and rehabilitation of existing lanes
    - (i) 390 m north of Sandusky Drive to Bison Drive.
  - (b) Pavement Construction (new Southbound lanes)
    - (i) 390 m north of Sandusky Drive to Bison Drive.
    - (ii) Concrete pavement construction
    - (iii) 320 m north of Sandusky Drive.
- D2.2 The major components of the Work are as follows:
  - (a) Pavement widening and rehabilitation of existing lanes:
    - (i) Pavement removals
    - (ii) Planning existing asphalt pavement
    - (iii) Embankment construction
    - (iv) Roadway base widening
    - (v) Preparation of existing roadway base
    - (vi) Asphalt pavement construction
    - (vii) Ditch realignment
    - (viii) Relocating water and waste utilities
      - (i) Culvert installation
      - (ii) Seeding
  - (b) Asphalt Pavement Construction
    - (i) Top soil stripping
    - (ii) Excavation
    - (iii) Culvert installation
    - (iv) Ditch construction
    - (v) Placement of separation geotextile fabric
    - (vi) Placement of subbase and course material
    - (vii) Construct of 180 mm curb and gutter
    - (viii) Placement of asphalt pavement (150 mm)
    - (ix) Seeding
  - (c) Concrete Pavement Construction
    - (i) Pavement removals
    - (ii) Excavation
    - (iii) Separation geotextile fabric
    - (iv) Placement of subbase and base coarse materials
    - (v) Construction of 250 mm plain dowelling concrete pavement
    - (vi) Construction of integral modified barrier curb

## D3. CONTRACT ADMINISTRATOR

D3.1 The Contract Administrator is:

Mr. Dean Lazaruk, CET Senior Transportation Design/Job Manager 400 – 161 Portage Avenue East Winnipeg MB R3B 0Y4

Telephone No. (204) 954-6867 Facsimile No. (204) 988-0546

D3.2 At the pre-construction meeting, the Contract Administrator will identify additional personnel representing the Contract Administrator and their respective roles and responsibilities for the Work.

## D4. CONTRACTOR'S SUPERVISOR

D4.1 At the pre-construction meeting, the Contractor shall identify his designated supervisor and any additional personnel representing the Contractor and their respective roles and responsibilities for the Work.

## D5. NOTICES

- D5.1 Except as provided for in C23.2.2, all notices, requests, nominations, proposals, consents, approvals, statements, authorizations, documents or other communications to the Contractor shall be sent to the address or facsimile number identified by the Contractor in Paragraph 2 of Form A: Bid.
- D5.2 All notices, requests, nominations, proposals, consents, approvals, statements, authorizations, documents or other communications to the City, except as expressly otherwise required in D5.3, D5.4 or elsewhere in the Contract, shall be sent to the attention of the Contract Administrator at the address or facsimile number identified in D3.1.
- D5.3 Notwithstanding C21., all notices of appeal to the Chief Administrative Officer shall be sent to the attention of the Chief Financial Officer at the following facsimile number:

The City of Winnipeg Chief Financial Officer Administration Building, 3rd Floor 510 Main Street Winnipeg MB R3B 1B9

Facsimile No.: (204) 949-1174

D5.4 All notices, requests, nominations, proposals, consents, approvals, statements, authorizations, documents or other communications required to be submitted or returned to the City Solicitor shall be sent to the following address or facsimile number:

The City of Winnipeg Legal Services Department Attn: Director of Legal Services 185 King Street, 3rd Floor Winnipeg MB R3B 1J1

Facsimile No.: (204) 947-9155

## D6. FURNISHING OF DOCUMENTS

D6.1 Upon award of the Contract, the Contractor will be provided with five (5) complete sets of the Bid Opportunity. If the Contractor requires additional sets of the Bid Opportunity, they will be supplied to him at cost.

## **SUBMISSIONS**

## D7. AUTHORITY TO CARRY ON BUSINESS

D7.1 The Contractor shall be in good standing under The Corporations Act (Manitoba), or properly registered under The Business Names Registration Act (Manitoba), or otherwise properly registered, licensed or permitted by law to carry on business in Manitoba, or if the Contractor does not carry on business in Manitoba, in the jurisdiction where the Contractor does carry on business, throughout the term of the Contract, and shall provide the Contract Administrator with evidence thereof upon request.

## D8. SAFE WORK PLAN

- D8.1 The Contractor shall provide the Contract Administrator with a Safe Work Plan at least five (5) Business Days prior to the commencement of any Work on the Site but in no event later than the date specified in C4.1 for the return of the executed Contract.
- D8.2 The Safe Work Plan shall be prepared and submitted in the format shown in the City's template which is available on the Information Connection page at The City of Winnipeg, Corporate Finance, Materials Management Division website at <a href="http://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt/safety/default.stm">http://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt/safety/default.stm</a>

## D9. INSURANCE

- D9.1 The Contractor shall provide and maintain the following insurance coverage:
  - (a) commercial general liability insurance, in the amount of at least two million dollars (\$2,000,000.00) inclusive, with The City of Winnipeg added as an additional insured, with a cross-liability clause, such liability policy to also contain contractual liability, unlicensed motor vehicle liability, non-owned automobile liability, broad form property damage cover and products and completed operations, to remain in place at all times during the performance of the Work and throughout the warranty period;
  - (b) automobile liability insurance for owned automobiles used for or in connection with the Work in the amount of at least two million dollars (\$2,000,000.00) at all times during the performance of the Work and until the date of Total Performance:
  - (c) an all risks Installation Floater carrying adequate limits to cover all machinery, equipment, supplies and/or materials intended to enter into and form part of any installation.
- D9.2 Deductibles shall be borne by the Contractor.
- D9.3 The Contractor shall provide the City Solicitor with a certificate(s) of insurance, in a form satisfactory to the City Solicitor, at least two (2) Business Days prior to the commencement of any Work but in no event later than the date specified in the C4.1 for the return of the executed Contract.
- D9.4 The Contractor shall not cancel, materially alter, or cause each policy to lapse without providing at least thirty (30) Calendar Days prior written notice to the Contract Administrator.

## D10. PERFORMANCE SECURITY

- D10.1 The Contractor shall provide and maintain performance security until the expiration of the warranty period in the form of:
  - (a) a performance bond of a company registered to conduct the business of a surety in Manitoba, in the form attached to these Supplemental Conditions (Form H1: Performance Bond), in the amount of fifty percent (50%) of the Contract Price; or
  - (b) an irrevocable standby letter of credit issued by a bank or other financial institution registered to conduct business in Manitoba and drawn on a branch located in Winnipeg, in

- the form attached to these Supplemental Conditions (Form H2: Irrevocable Standby Letter of Credit), in the amount of fifty percent (50%) of the Contract Price; or
- (c) a certified cheque or draft payable to "The City of Winnipeg", drawn on a bank or other financial institution registered to conduct business in Manitoba, in the amount of fifty percent (50%) of the Contract Price.
- D10.1.1 Where the performance security is in the form of a certified cheque or draft, it will be deposited by the City. The City will not pay any interest on certified cheques or drafts furnished as performance security.
- D10.2 If the bid security provided in his Bid was not a certified cheque or draft pursuant to B11.1(c), the Contractor shall provide the City Solicitor with the required performance security within seven (7) Calendar Days of notification of the award of the Contract by way of letter of intent and prior to the commencement of any Work on the Site and in no event later than the date specified in the C4.1 for the return of the executed Contract.

## D11. SUBCONTRACTOR LIST

D11.1 The Contractor shall provide the Contract Administrator with a complete list of the Subcontractors whom the Contractor proposes to engage (Form J: Subcontractor List) at or prior to a pre-construction meeting, or at least two (2) Business Days prior to the commencement of any Work on the Site but in no event later than the date specified in the C4.1 for the return of the executed Contract.

## **SCHEDULE OF WORK**

## D12. COMMENCEMENT

- D12.1 The Contractor shall not commence any Work until he is in receipt of a letter of intent from the Award Authority authorizing the commencement of the Work.
- D12.2 The Contractor shall not commence any Work on the Site until:
  - (a) the Contract Administrator has confirmed receipt and approval of:
    - (i) evidence of authority to carry on business specified in D7;
    - (ii) evidence of the workers compensation coverage specified in C6.15;
    - (iii) the Safe Work Plan specified in D8;
    - (iv) evidence of the insurance specified in D9;
    - (v) the performance security specified in D10; and
    - (vi) the Subcontractor list specified in D11.
- D12.3 The Contractor shall commence the Work on the Site within seven (7) Working Days of receipt of the letter of intent.
- D12.3 The Contractor shall not commence the Work on the Site before July 24, 2011.
- D12.4 Construction work cannot commence until completion of a screening under the *Canadian Environmental Assessment Act*.

#### D13. WORKING DAYS

- D13.1 Further to C1.1(gg);
- D13.1.1 The Contract Administrator will determine daily if a Working Day has elapsed and will record his assessment. On a weekly basis the Contract Administrator will provide the Contractor with a record of the Working Days assessed for the preceding week. The Contractor shall sign each report signifying that he agrees with the Contract Administrator's determination of the Working Days assessed for the report period.

- D13.1.2 Work done to restore the Site to a condition suitable for Work, shall not be considered "work" as defined in the definition of a Working Day.
- D13.1.3 When the Work includes two or more major types of Work that can be performed under different atmospheric conditions, the Contract Administrator shall consider all major types of Work in determining whether the Contractor was able to work in assessing Working Days.

## D14. WORK BY OTHERS

- D14.1 Work by others on or near the Site will include but not necessarily be limited to:
  - (a) Manitoba Hydro Street Lighting Division
    - Relocating street lighting
    - (ii) Installing new street lights
  - (b) MTS
    - (i) Relocation existing infrastructure

## D15. SUBSTANTIAL PERFORMANCE

- D15.1 The Contractor shall achieve Substantial Performance within Seventy Five (75) consecutive Working Days of the commencement of the Work as specified in D12.
- D15.2 When the Contractor considers the Work to be substantially performed, the Contractor shall arrange, attend and assist in the inspection of the Work with the Contract Administrator for purposes of verifying Substantial Performance. Any defects or deficiencies in the Work noted during that inspection shall be remedied by the Contractor at the earliest possible instance and the Contract Administrator notified so that the Work can be re-inspected.
- D15.3 The date on which the Work has been certified by the Contract Administrator as being substantially performed to the requirements of the Contract through the issue of a certificate of Substantial Performance is the date on which Substantial Performance has been achieved.

#### D16. TOTAL PERFORMANCE

- D16.1 The Contractor shall achieve Total Performance within Eighty Five (85) consecutive Working Days of the commencement of the Work as specified in D12.
- D16.2 When the Contractor or the Contract Administrator considers the Work to be totally performed, the Contractor shall arrange, attend and assist in the inspection of the Work with the Contract Administrator for purposes of verifying Total Performance. Any defects or deficiencies in the Work noted during that inspection shall be remedied by the Contractor at the earliest possible instance and the Contract Administrator notified so that the Work can be re-inspected.
- D16.3 The date on which the Work has been certified by the Contract Administrator as being totally performed to the requirements of the Contract through the issue of a certificate of Total Performance is the date on which Total Performance has been achieved.

## D17. LIQUIDATED DAMAGES

- D17.1 If the Contractor fails to achieve Substantial Performance in accordance with the Contract by the day fixed herein for Substantial Performance, the Contractor shall pay the City One Thousand dollars (\$1000.00 per Working Day for each and every Working Day following the day fixed herein for Substantial Performance during which such failure continues.
- D17.2 The amount specified for liquidated damages in D17.1 is based on a genuine pre-estimate of the City's damages in the event that the Contractor does not achieve Substantial Performance by the day fixed herein for same.

D17.3 The City may reduce any payment to the Contractor by the amount of any liquidated damages assessed.

## D18. SCHEDULED MAINTENANCE

- D18.1 The Contractor shall perform the following scheduled maintenance in the manner and within the time periods required by the Specifications:
  - (a) Landscape Maintenance as specified in CW 3520.
- D18.2 Determination of Substantial Performance and Total Performance shall be exclusive of scheduled maintenance identified herein. All scheduled maintenance shall be completed prior to the expiration of the warranty period. Where the scheduled maintenance cannot be completed during the warranty period, the warranty period shall be extended for such period of time as it takes the Contractor to complete the scheduled maintenance.

## **CONTROL OF WORK**

## D19. JOB MEETINGS

- D19.1 Regular weekly job meetings will be held at the Site. These meetings shall be attended by a minimum of one representative of the Contract Administrator, one representative of the City and one representative of the Contractor. Each representative shall be a responsible person capable of expressing the position of the Contract Administrator, the City and the Contractor respectively on any matter discussed at the meeting including the Work schedule and the need to make any revisions to the Work schedule. The progress of the Work will be reviewed at each of these meetings.
- D19.2 The Contract Administrator reserves the right to cancel any job meeting or call additional job meetings whenever he deems it necessary.

## D20. PRIME CONTRACTOR – THE WORKPLACE SAFETY AND HEALTH ACT (MANITOBA)

D20.1 Further to C6.24, the Contractor shall be the Prime Contractor and shall serve as, and have the duties of the Prime Contractor in accordance with The Workplace Safety and Health Act (Manitoba).

## **MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT**

## D21. PAYMENT

D21.1 Further to C12, the City may at its option pay the Contractor by direct deposit to the Contractor's banking institution.

## **WARRANTY**

## D22. WARRANTY

D22.1 Notwithstanding C13.2, the warranty period shall begin on the date of Total Performance and shall expire two (2) years thereafter unless extended pursuant to C13.2.1 or C13.2.2, in which case it shall expire when provided for there under.

# FORM H1: PERFORMANCE BOND (See D10)

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS THAT	
(hereinafter called the "Principal"), and	
(hereinafter called the "Surety"), are held and firmly bound unto <b>THE CITY OF WINNIPEG</b> called the "Obligee"), in the sum of	(hereinafter
dollars (\$	)
of lawful money of Canada to be paid to the Obligee, or its successors or assigns, for the paym sum the Principal and the Surety bind themselves, their heirs, executors, administrators, successions, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.	
WHEREAS the Principal has entered into a written contract with the Obligee for	
BID OPPORTUNITY NO. 405-2011	
2011 Waverley Street Widening 320 Meters North of Sandusky Drive to Bison Drive which is by reference made part hereof and is hereinafter referred to as the "Contract".	
NOW THEREFORE the condition of the above obligation is such that if the Principal shall:	
<ul> <li>(a) carry out and perform the Contract and every part thereof in the manner and within the forth in the Contract and in accordance with the terms and conditions specified in the Contract and in a good, proper, workmanlike manner;</li> <li>(b) perform the Work in a good, proper, workmanlike manner;</li> <li>(c) make all the payments whether to the Obligee or to others as therein provided;</li> <li>(d) in every other respect comply with the conditions and perform the covenants cont Contract; and</li> <li>(e) indemnify and save harmless the Obligee against and from all loss, costs, damages, demands of every description as set forth in the Contract, and from all penalties, a claims, actions for loss, damages or compensation whether arising under "T Compensation Act", or any other Act or otherwise arising out of or in any way connection.</li> </ul>	contract; ained in the claims, and ssessments, he Workers
performance or non-performance of the Contract or any part thereof during the Contract and the warranty period provided for therein;	
THEN THIS OBLIGATION SHALL BE VOID, but otherwise shall remain in full force and effect. shall not, however, be liable for a greater sum than the sum specified above.	The Surety
AND IT IS HEREBY DECLARED AND AGREED that the Surety shall be liable as Princip nothing of any kind or matter whatsoever that will not discharge the Principal shall operate as or release of liability of the Surety, any law or usage relating to the liability of Sureties to notwithstanding.	a discharge
IN WITNESS WHEREOF the Principal and Surety have signed and sealed this bond the	

\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ , 20\_\_\_ .

SIGNED AND SEALED in the presence of:	(Name of Principal)	
	Per:	(Seal)
(Witness as to Principal if no seal)	Per:	
	(Name of Surety)	
	By: (Attorney-in-Fact)	(Seal)

## FORM H2: IRREVOCABLE STANDBY LETTER OF CREDIT (PERFORMANCE SECURITY) (See D10)

(Date)	
Legal 185 K	ity of Winnipeg Services Department ng Street, 3rd Floor peg MB R3B 1J1
RE:	PERFORMANCE SECURITY – BID OPPORTUNITY NO. 405-2011
320 M	2011 Waverley Street Widening eters North of Sandusky Drive to Bison Drive
Pursu	ant to the request of and for the account of our customer,
(Name	of Contractor)
(Addres	s of Contractor)
	EREBY ESTABLISH in your favour our irrevocable Standby Letter of Credit for a sum not exceeding aggregate
	Canadian dollars.
demai Letter payme	Standby Letter of Credit may be drawn on by you at any time and from time to time upon writtened for payment made upon us by you. It is understood that we are obligated under this Standby of Credit for the payment of monies only and we hereby agree that we shall honour your demand for ent without inquiring whether you have a right as between yourself and our customer to make such and without recognizing any claim of our customer or objection by the customer to payment by us.
The article it by y made.	mount of this Standby Letter of Credit may be reduced from time to time only by amounts drawn upon ou or by formal notice in writing given to us by you if you desire such reduction or are willing that it be
Partia	drawings are permitted.
We er Letter	ngage with you that all demands for payment made within the terms and currency of this Standby of Credit will be duly honoured if presented to us at:
(Addres	s)
and w	e confirm and hereby undertake to ensure that all demands for payment will be duly honoured by us.

All demands for payment shall specifically state that they are drawn under this Standby Letter of Credit.
Subject to the condition hereinafter set forth, this Standby Letter of Credit will expire on
(Date)

It is a condition of this Standby Letter of Credit that it shall be deemed to be automatically extended from year to year without amendment from the present or any future expiry date, unless at least 30 days prior to the present or any future expiry date, we notify you in writing that we elect not to consider this Standby Letter of Credit to be renewable for any additional period.

This Standby Letter of Credit may not be revoked or amended without your prior written approval.

This credit is subject to the Uniform Customs and Practice for Documentary Credit (1993 Revision), International Chamber of Commerce Publication Number 500.

(Name of bank or financial institution)		
Per:		
	(Authorized Signing Officer)	
Per:		
	(Authorized Signing Officer)	

## **FORM J: SUBCONTRACTOR LIST**

(See D11)

## 2011 Waverley Street Widening 320 Meters North of Sandusky Drive to Bison Drive

Portion of the Work	<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>	
SURFACE WORKS:			
Supply of Materials:			
Concrete			
Asphalt			
Base Course & Sub-Base			
Seeding			
Culverts			
Installation/Placement:			
Concrete			
Asphalt			
Base			
UNDERGROUND WORKS:			
Supply of Materials:			
Catchbasins			
Watermain			
Installation/Placement:			
Catchbasins			
Watermain			
OTHERS:			

## **PART E - SPECIFICATIONS**

## **GENERAL**

## E1. APPLICABLE SPECIFICATIONS AND DRAWINGS

- E1.1 These Specifications shall apply to the Work.
- E1.2 The City of Winnipeg Standard Construction Specifications in its entirety, whether or not specifically listed on Form B: Prices, shall apply to the Work.
- E1.2.1 The City of Winnipeg Standard Construction Specifications is available on the Information Connection page at The City of Winnipeg, Corporate Finance, Materials Management Division website at <a href="http://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt/Spec/Default.stm">http://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt/Spec/Default.stm</a>
- E1.2.2 The version in effect three (3) Business Days before the Submission Deadline shall apply.
- E1.2.3 Further to C2.4(d), Specifications included in the Bid Opportunity shall govern over *The City of Winnipeg Standard Construction Specifications*.

## E1.3 The following are applicable to the Work:

Drawing No.	Drawing Name/Title
	Cover Sheet
C0001	Waverley Street Geometric Layout From Sta. 1+250 To Sta. 1+790
C0002	Waverley Street Geometric Layout From Sta. 1+790 To Sta. 2+230
C0003	Waverley Street Geometric Layout From Sta. 2+230 To Sta. 2+407.82
00004	Lee Boulevard Geometric Layout From Sta. 4+848.24 To Sta. 5+060.00
C0004	Waverley Street Removals 188m South of S Limit of Warwick Avenue To
C000F	30m North of South Limit of Warwick Avenue
C0005	Waverley Street Removals 30m North of South Limit of Warwick Avenue To 71m North of North Limit of Lee Boulevard
C0006	Waverley Street Removals 71m North of North Limit of Lee Boulevard To
C0000	160m North of North Limit of Formby Avenue
C0007	Waverley Street Removals 160m North of North Limit of Formby Avenue To
00001	123m North of North Limit of Albright Road
C0008	Waverley Street Plan 188m South of S Limit of Warwick Avenue To
	30m North of South Limit of Warwick Avenue
C0009	Waverley Street Plan 30m North of South Limit of Warwick Avenue To
	71m North of North Limit of Lee Boulevard
C0010	Waverley Street Plan 71m North of North Limit of Lee Boulevard To
	160m North of North Limit of Formby Avenue
C0011	Waverley Street Plan 160m North of North Limit of Formby Avenue To
00040	123m North of North Limit of Albright Road
C0012	Waverley Street Profiles 188m South of S Limit of Warwick Avenue To
C0013	30m North of South Limit of Warwick Avenue
C0013	Waverley Street Profiles 30m North of South Limit of Warwick Avenue To 71m North of North Limit of Lee Boulevard
C0014	Waverley Street Profiles 71m North of North Limit of Lee Boulevard To
00011	160m North of North Limit of Formby Avenue
C0015	Waverley Street Profiles 160m North of North Limit of Formby Avenue To
	123m North of North Limit of Albright Road
C0016	Waverley Street Cross Sections I
C0017	Waverley Street Cross Sections II
C0018	Waverley Street Cross Sections III
C0019	Typical Details

## **E2. GEOTECHNICAL REPORT**

E2.1 Further to C3.1, the geotechnical report is provided to aid the Contractor's evaluation of the pavement structure and/or existing soil conditions. The geotechnical report is contained in Appendix 'A'.

## E3. WATERMAINS

## DESCRIPTION

E3.1 This Specifications shall amend and supplement Standard Specification CW 2110-R10.

**MATERIALS** 

E3.2 All materials shall conform to CW 2110-R10 Clause 2.

## **CONSTRUCTION METHODS**

- E3.3 Bedding and Backfill
- E3.3.1 The bedding and backfill for watermains installed in open trenches shall be Class B sand bedding and Class 4 Backfill as shown in Standard Drawing SD-001 and specified in Section CW 2030-R7, Clause 3.8.4. Governed by his compaction equipment and the type and strength of pipe, the Contractor shall ensure that there is adequate cover on the pipe to prevent damage during compaction operations.
- E3.4 Trenchless Method
- E3.4.1 The watermain shall be installed by Trenchless Method at all existing and proposed road crossings and at locations shown on the Construction Drawings. Trenchless Method shall be as specified in Section CW 2110-R10, Clause 3.4.
- E3.4.2 Trenchless Installations that require the use of intermediate shafts along the alignment shall be backfilled with Class B Bedding and Class 3 Backfill. Shaft excavation, and backfilling shall be incidental to the trenchless installation.
- E3.5 Installation in Open Trench with Class 2 Backfill as an Alternate to Installation in Trenchless Method
- E3.5.1 Where field conditions are such that a Trenchless Method cannot be made, the Contractor, after receiving written approval from the Contract Administrator, shall install the pipe in an open trench with Class 2 backfill.

## **E4. EXISTING WATERMAIN**

- E4.1 The Contractor is to be aware of the existing 400mm watermain located along the east side of the existing pavement of Waverley Street.
- E4.2 The Contractor will not operate heavy or vibratory equipment over or within 3.0m of centre line of 400mm watermain.
- E4.3 The Contractor will contact the Water and Waste Department Construction Services Coordinator a minimum seven days prior to crossing or working adjacent to the 400mm watermain to arrange for inspection.
- E4.4 Exposure of the 400mm watermain will be by hydro vacuum or other soft digging methods to confirm depth and alignment of pipe.

## E5. OFFICE FACILITIES

- E5.1 The Contractor shall supply office facilities meeting the following requirements:
  - (a) The field office shall be for the exclusive use of the Contract Administrator.^
  - (b) The building shall be conveniently located near the work site.
  - (c) The building shall have a minimum floor space of 25 square meters, 2.4m with two windows for cross ventilation and a door entrance with a suitable lock.
  - (d) The building shall be suitable for all weather use. It shall be equipped with an electric heater and air conditioner so that the room temperature can be maintained between either 16-18°C or 24-25°C
  - (e) The building shall be adequately lighted with fluorescent light fixtures and have a minimum of three wall outlets.
  - (f) The building shall be furnished with one desk, one drafting table, table 3m x 1.2m, one stool, one four drawer legal size filing cabinet and a minimum of 8 chairs
  - (g) A portable toilet shall be located near the field office building. The toilet shall have a locking door and be for the exclusive use of the Contract Administrator and other personnel from the City.
  - (h) The field office building and the portable toilet shall be cleaned on a weekly basis immediately prior to each site meeting. The Contract Administrator may request additional cleaning when he deems it necessary.
- E5.2 The Contractor shall be responsible for all installation and removal costs, all operating costs, and the general maintenance of the office facilities
- E5.3 The office facilities will be provided from the date of the commencement of the Work to the date of Substantial Performance.

## E6. PROTECTION OF TREES

- E6.1 The Contractor shall take the following precautionary steps to prevent damage from construction activities to existing boulevard trees within the limits of the construction area:
  - (a) The Contractor shall not stockpile materials and soil or park vehicles and equipment on boulevards within 2 metres of trees.
  - (b) Trees identified to be at risk by the Contract Administrator are to be strapped with 25 x 100 x 2400mm wood planks, or suitably protected as approved by the Contract Administrator.
  - (c) Excavation shall be performed in a manner that minimizes damage to the existing root systems. Where possible, excavation shall be carried out such that the edge of the excavation shall be a minimum of 1.5 times the diameter (measured in inches), with the outcome read in feet, from the closest edge of the trunk. Where roots must be cut to facilitate excavation, they shall be pruned neatly at the face of excavation.
  - (d) Operation of equipment within the dripline of the trees shall be kept to the minimum required to perform the work required. Equipment shall not be parked, repaired, refuelled; construction materials shall not be stored, and earth materials shall not be stockpiled within the driplines of trees. The dripline of a tree shall be considered to be the ground surface directly beneath the tips of its outermost branches. The Contractor shall ensure that the operations do not cause flooding or sediment deposition on areas where trees are located.
  - (e) Work on-site shall be carried out in such a manner so as to minimize damage to existing tree branches. Where damage to branches does occur, they shall be neatly pruned.
- E6.2 All damage to existing trees caused by the Contractor's activities shall be repaired to the requirements and satisfaction of the Contract Administrator and the City Forester or his designate.
- E6.3 No separate measurement or payment will be made for the protection of trees.

E6.4 Except as required in clause E3.1(c) and E3.1(e), Elm trees shall not be pruned at any time between April 1 and July 31.

## E7. TRAFFIC CONTROL

- E7.1 Further to clauses 3.6 and 3.7 of CW 1130:
  - (a) Where directed, the Contractor shall construct and maintain temporary asphalt ramps to alleviate vertical pavement obstructions such as manholes and planing drop-offs to the satisfaction of the Contract Administrator. Payment shall be in accordance with CW3410.
  - (b) In accordance with the Manual of Temporary Traffic Control in Work Areas on City Streets, the Contractor ("Agency" in the manual) shall make arrangements with the Traffic Services Branch of the City of Winnipeg to place all temporary regulatory signs. The Contractor shall bear all costs associated with the placement of temporary traffic control devices by the Traffic Services Branch of the City of Winnipeg in connection with the works undertaken by the Contractor.

#### E8. TRAFFIC CONTROL AND MAINTENANCE OF ACCESS

- E8.1 Traffic control shall be carried out in accordance with Section 3.7 of CW 1130.
- E8.2 Further to Section 3.7 of CW 1130 should the Contract Administrator require that Work on Regional Streets be carried out at night, on Sundays, on public holidays or that Work be restricted or suspended during peak traffic hours, the Contractor shall comply without additional compensation being considered to meet these requirements.
- E8.3 Regional Streets in this Contract are:
  - (a) Waverley Street
- E8.4 Traffic control during construction shall be as follows:
  - (a) Waverley Street
    - (i) Maintain one north bound and south bound thru lane at all times.
    - (ii) Maintain continuous access for landowners, business and residents.
    - (iii) The Contractor shall provide flag persons complete with radio control devices at both ends of the limits of work during asphalt paving operations.
- E8.5 The Contractor shall not park company or private vehicles inside the work zone in a manner that will block sightlines for vehicles and pedestrians approaching and crossing.
- E8.6 Should the Contractor be unable to maintain an existing access to a residence or business, he shall review the planned disruption with the business or resident and the Contract Administrator, and take reasonable measures to minimize the impact. The Contractor shall provide a minimum of 24 hours notification to the affected residence or business and the Contract Administrator, prior to disruption of access.

## E9. REMOVAL OF EXISTING CULVERTS

**DESCRIPTION** 

- E9.1 General
- E9.1.1 This specification covers the removal of existing culverts.

**CONSTRUCTION METHODS** 

- E9.2 Removal of Existing Culverts
- E9.2.1 The Contractor shall remove existing culverts as directed by the Contract Administrator within the limits of the Contract.

- E9.2.2 The Contractor shall dispose of culverts in accordance with section 3.4 of CW 1130.
- E9.2.3 Salvaged culverts shall be delivered to the City of Winnipeg Yard, 849 Ravelston Avenue West or as directed by the Contract Administrator.

## MEASURMENT AND PAYMENT

- E9.3 Removal of Existing Culverts
- E9.3.1 The removal of existing culverts will be be measured on a length basis for each size of culvert and paid for at the Contract Unit Price for "Removal of Existing Culverts". The length to be paid for will be the total number of linear metres removed, measured horizontally at grade, in accordance to this Specification, accepted and measured by the Contract Administrator.
- E9.3.2 Excavation and disposal of surplus material due to removal of existing culverts shall be included in payment for "Removal of Existing Culverts" and no further payment shall be made.
- E9.3.3 Salvaging and delivery or disposal of the culverts shall be included in payment for "Removal of Existing Culverts" and no further payment will be shall be made.

## E10. SALT TOLERANT GRASS SEEDING

## **DESCRIPTION**

E10.1 Further to CW 3520 and CW 3540, this specification shall cover sub-grade preparation and the supply and placement of Salt Tolerant Grass Seed.

## **MATERIALS**

- E10.2 Salt Tolerant Grass Seed
- E10.2.1 Salt Tolerant Grass Seed for regional and collector boulevards, medians and interchange areas shall be a mixture composed of:
  - (a) Seventy percent (70%) Fults or Nuttals Alkaligrass (Puccinellia spp.), twenty percent (20%) Audubon or Aberdeen Creeping Red Fescue and ten percent (10%) Perenial Rygrass.^

## **EQUIPMENT**

E10.3 Scarification equipment shall be suitable for the area being scarified, shall be capable of scarifying the sub-grade to the specified depth and shall be accepted by the Contract Administrator. For confined areas a toothed bucket may be acceptable. For larger areas tilling equipment may be required.

## **CONSTRUCTION METHODS**

- E10.4 Preparation of Existing Grade
- Prior to placing topsoil, in areas to be seeded greater in width than 600mm, prepare the existing sub-grade by scarifying to a minimum depth of 75mm and to a maximum depth of 100mm to the satisfaction of the Contract Administrator.
- E10.4.2 Scarification shall consist of breaking up and loosening the sub-grade. No scarification shall occur within the edge of a tree canopy (or drip line).
- E10.5 Salt Tolerant Grass Seeding
- E10.5.1 Salt Tolerant Grass Seed shall be sown at a rate of 2.2 kilograms per 100 square meters.

#### MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT

- E10.6 Supply, placement and maintenance of Salt Tolerant Grass Seed will be paid for at the Contract Unit Price per square metre for "Salt Tolerant Grass Seeding", measured as specified herein, which price shall be payment in full for supplying all materials and for completing all operations herein described and all other items incidental to the work included in this Specification. Payment for Salt Tolerant Grass Seeding shall be in accordance with the following:
  - (a) Sixty five (65%) percent of quantity following supply and placement.
  - (b) Remaining thirty five (35%) percent of quantity following termination of the Maintenance

## E11. EXISTING FIBER OPTICS CABLE

- E11.1 The Contractor is to be aware of the existing Fiber Optics Cable located along the east side of the existing east ditch of Waverley Street.
- E11.2 The Contractor will contact Manitoba Telephone System a minimum seven days prior to crossing or working adjacent to the fiber optics cable to arrange for inspection.
- E11.3 Exposure of the fiber optics cable will be by hydro vacuum or other soft digging methods to confirm depth and alignment of cable.

## E12. SOFT EXCAVATION TO EXPOSE UNDERGROUND UTILITIES

## **DESCRIPTION**

- E12.1 This specification covers the soft excavation to expose underground utilities to determine the depth of the underground utility and whether it will interfere with the installation of proposed culvert Works on the east side of Waverley south of Lee Boulevard.
- E12.2 Located on Waverley Street, a MTS Fiber Optics runs along the length of the east ditch of Waverley Street and 400mm diameter watermain runs along the length of east shoulder of Waverley Street.

#### **METHODS**

- E12.3 Prior to commencement of ditch grading/excavation and culvert Works on east ditch of Waverley Street, the Contractor shall use soft digging or hand excavation to expose the underground utilities along the east ditch.
- E12.4 Locations of soft digging to expose the underground utilities will be indicated on the Drawings.
- E12.5 The Contractor shall follow all procedures for working around Fiber Optic Lines required by Manitoba Telephone System.
- E12.6 The Contractor shall follow all procedures for working around the 400mm watermain, water valves and hydrants as required by City of Winnipeg Water and Waste Department.

## MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT

E12.7 Soft digging of earthen material to expose underground utilities will be measured on an hourly basis and paid for at the Contract Unit Price per hour for "Soft Excavation to Expose Underground Utilities". The hours to be paid for will be the total number of hours of soft digging in accordance with this Specification, accepted and measured by the Contract Administrator.

## E13. SURFACE RESTORATIONS

E13.1.1 Further to clause 3.3 of CW 1130, when Total Performance is not achieved in the year the Contract is commenced, the Contractor shall temporarily repair any Work commenced and not completed to the satisfaction of the Contract Administrator. The Contractor shall

maintain the temporary repairs in a safe condition as determined by the Contract Administrator until permanent repairs are completed. The Contractor shall bear all costs associated with temporary repairs and their maintenance.

## E14. WATER OBTAINED FROM THE CITY

E14.1.1 Further to clause 3.7 of CW 1120, the Contractor shall pay for all costs, including sewer charges, associated with obtaining water from the City in accordance with the Waterworks and Sewer By-laws.

## E15. INFRASTRUCTURE SIGN

E15.1.1 The Contractor shall obtain infrastructure signs from the Traffic Services Sign Shop at 421 Osborne Street. The Contractor shall mount each sign securely to a rigid backing material approved by the Contract Administrator. The Contractor shall fasten each sign to a suitable support and erect and maintain signs at locations as directed by the Contract Administrator. When the Contract Administrator considers the Work on the street complete, the Contractor shall remove and dispose of the signs and supports. No measurement for payment will be made for performing all operations herein described and all other items incidental to the work described.