

5th Street Bridge Replacement Reject All Bids

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Bidding



Advertisement Date: Total Planholders: Bid Opening Date: May 12, 2017 8 July 6, 2017 – 55 days

Bid Results:

MCM Construction, Inc. – North Highlands\$56,990,394.70Flatiron West, Inc. – Benicia\$64,110,151.85Golden State Bridge, Inc. – Benicia\$78,462,038.35Shimmick Construction Company, Inc. – Suisun City\$89,820,845.00Walsh Construction Company II, LLC - Concord\$90,235,586.69Engineer's Estimate \$55,140,663.88

Bid Protest



- Staff received a bid protest from Flatiron West contesting the following items in MCM's bid:
 - Extended item prices left blank
 - Pricing errors in individual bid items
 - Total amount bid was in error
 - Subcontractor information omitted
 - Subcontractor information revised in 24-hour submittal
 - Inadequate good faith effort documentation
- MCM responded to each of the items above.
- On advice of legal counsel, staff recommends rejecting all bids and re-advertising as the best option for moving the project forward to construction.

Schedule



- Re-advertise for bids:
- Open bids:
- Award contract:
- Start of construction:
- Complete construction:

August 2017 September 2017 October 2017 November 2017 April 2020*

* Barring any weather or permit related construction delays or changed conditions.

Revisions to bid process



- Electronic bidding will be utilized for this project.
- City subcontractor forms are now being utilized.
- Bid protest procedures have been added.



- Reject all bids received for Contract No. 17-01, 5th Street Bridge Replacement Project, in accordance with Public Contract Code Section 22038(a).
- Authorize the Public Works Department to readvertise for bids for Contract No. 17-01, 5th Street Bridge Replacement Project, in accordance with Public Contract Code Section 22038(a)(1).

Alternatives



- Reject the Flatiron West, Inc. bid protest, waive irregularities in MCM Construction, Inc.'s bid as immaterial, and award the contract to MCM Construction, Inc.
- Accept the Flatiron West, Inc. bid protest, reject MCM Construction, Inc.'s bid as nonresponsive, and award the contract to Flatiron West, Inc.