

**CITY OF LA VISTA  
MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL REPORT  
DECEMBER 19, 2023 AGENDA**

<b>Subject:</b>	<b>Type:</b>	<b>Submitted By:</b>
AWARD BID – 73 <sup>RD</sup> AVENUE CULVERT REHABILITATION	◆ RESOLUTION ORDINANCE RECEIVE/FILE	PAT DOWSE CITY ENGINEER

### **SYNOPSIS**

A resolution has been prepared to award a contract to M.E. Collins Contracting Co. Inc. of Wahoo, Nebraska for 73<sup>rd</sup> Ave Culvert Rehabilitation project for culvert rehabilitation, including grouting of voids, invert repair and placement of centrifugally cast concrete pipelining material within the existing culvert crossing of Thompson Creek at 73<sup>rd</sup> Avenue in an amount not to exceed \$296,954.60.

### **FISCAL IMPACT**

The FY23/FY24 Biennial Budget provides funding for the proposed project.

### **RECOMMENDATION**

Approval.

### **BACKGROUND**

On November 7, 2023, the City Council approved a resolution authorizing the advertisement for bids for the 73<sup>rd</sup> Avenue Culvert Rehabilitation project. The plans and specifications were prepared by Houston Engineering, Inc (HEI). Bids were opened on December 1, 2023, at 10:00 am in the City Council Chambers, to which two (2) bids were received. The Engineer's estimate for the proposed items of work is \$293,171. The low bid received was 1.29% above the engineer's estimate.

- M.E. Collins Contracting Co. - \$296,954.60
- Eriksen Construction Co. - \$383,130.00

After review of the bid items and review of references, staff recommends the bid be awarded to M.E. Collins Contracting Co. in an amount not to exceed \$296,954.60. Work is anticipated to begin in winter of 2023 with substantial completion within 30 days of the start of the construction.

**RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_**

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LA VISTA, NEBRASKA AWARDING A CONTRACT TO M.E. COLLINS CONTRACTING CO, INC, WAHOO, NEBRASKA FOR THE 73RD AVENUE CULVERT REHABILITATION PROJECT IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$296,954.60.

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of La Vista has determined that the 73<sup>rd</sup> Avenue Culvert Rehabilitation Project is necessary; and

WHEREAS, the FY23/FY24 Biennial Budget provides funding for this project; and

WHEREAS, bids were solicited, and two (2) bids were received; and

WHEREAS Subsection (C) (9) of Section 31.23 of the La Vista Municipal Code requires that the City Administrator secures Council approval prior to authorizing any purchase over \$5,000.00;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Mayor and City Council of La Vista, Nebraska award the contract to M.E. Collings Contracting Co, Inc, Wahoo, Nebraska for the 73<sup>rd</sup> Avenue Culvert Rehabilitation Project in an amount not to exceed \$296,954.60.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 19TH DAY OF DECEMBER 2023.

CITY OF LA VISTA

\_\_\_\_\_  
Douglas Kindig, Mayor

ATTEST:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Pamela A. Buethe, MMC  
City Clerk



**Project:** Thompson Creek Culvert Rehabilitation Project  
**Owner:** City of La Vista  
**Bid Date:** 1 December 2023  
**Houston Project Number:** 011628-0001

				ENGINEER'S OPINION OF PROBABLE CONSTRUCTION COST		M.E. COLLINS CONTRACTING CO		DIFFERENCE BETWEEN EOPCC AND LOW BID	ERIKSEN CONSTRUCTION CO	
ITEM	DESCRIPTION	UNIT	QUANTITY	UNIT COST	TOTAL	UNIT COST	TOTAL		UNIT COST	TOTAL
1.01	MOBILIZATION	1	LS	\$ 24,229.00	\$ 24,229.00	\$ 36,720.00	\$ 36,720.00	\$ (12,491.00)	\$ 30,000.00	\$ 30,000.00
1.02	HANDLING OF WATER	1	LS	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 16,810.00	\$ 16,810.00	\$ (13,810.00)	\$ 30,000.00	\$ 30,000.00
1.03	COFFER DAM	1	EA	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 20,460.00	\$ 20,460.00	\$ (17,460.00)	\$ 15,000.00	\$ 15,000.00
1.04	TRAFFIC CONTROL/SIGNAGE	1	LS	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 4,190.00	\$ 4,190.00	\$ (1,190.00)	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 5,000.00
1.05	CULVERT CLEANING	57	LF	\$ 50.00	\$ 2,850.00	\$ 447.05	\$ 25,481.85	\$ (22,631.85)	\$ 600.00	\$ 34,200.00
1.06	INJECTABLE GROUT TO FILL VOIDS	3	CY	\$ 250.00	\$ 750.00	\$ 8,382.00	\$ 25,146.00	\$ (24,396.00)	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 30,000.00
1.07	INVERT REPAIR	288	SF	\$ 390.00	\$ 112,320.00	\$ 61.50	\$ 17,712.00	\$ 94,608.00	\$ 90.00	\$ 25,920.00
1.08	CENTRIFUGALLY CAST CONCRETE PIPE FOR 7X12 FT ARCHED CMP	57	LF	\$ 1,800.00	\$ 102,600.00	\$ 2,430.76	\$ 138,553.32	\$ (35,953.32)	\$ 3,400.00	\$ 193,800.00
1.09	SEEDING AND MULCHING	0.3	AC	\$ 4,000.00	\$ 1,200.00	\$ 3,470.00	\$ 1,041.00	\$ 159.00	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 900.00
1.10	EROSION CONTROL BLANKET	725	SY	\$ 3.00	\$ 2,175.00	\$ 2.40	\$ 1,740.00	\$ 435.00	\$ 2.00	\$ 1,450.00
1.11	STABILIZED CONSTRUCTION ENTRANCE	1	EA	\$ 4,000.00	\$ 4,000.00	\$ 4,420.00	\$ 4,420.00	\$ (420.00)	\$ 9,000.00	\$ 9,000.00
1.12	SWPPP MEASURES	1	LS	\$ 6,000.00	\$ 6,000.00	\$ 2,820.00	\$ 2,820.00	\$ 3,180.00	\$ 6,000.00	\$ 6,000.00
1.13	CONSTRUCTION FENCING	93	LF	\$ 15.00	\$ 1,395.00	\$ 20.00	\$ 1,860.00	\$ (465.00)	\$ 20.00	\$ 1,860.00
				SUBTOTAL	\$ 266,519.00	TOTAL	\$ 296,954.17		TOTAL	\$ 383,130.00
				10% CONTINGENCY	\$ 26,651.90	BID TAB	\$ 296,954.60		BID TAB	\$ 383,130.00
				TOTAL	\$ 293,170.90	DIFFERENCE	\$ (0.43)		DIFFERENCE	\$ -