CONSENT ITEMS

RE: STREET SWEEPING

DEPARTMENT: PUBLIC WORKS

PROGRAM: STREETS AND SIDEWALKS

RECOMMENDATION: We recommend awarding the contract to the low bidder, Contractors and Municipal Sweeping, Inc.

EXPLANATION: Since 2006 we have contracted for street sweeping. As in the past, the 2017 budget includes funds for quarterly contractual sweeping in compliance with our State Stormwater Permit.

Invitations to bid were sent to five contractors. We advertised in the St. Louis Business Journal and on the City's website. The bid specifications are on file in the Public Works Department. On January 27, 2017 two bids were received and opened. The results are as follows:

Bidders	4 times/year	Additional Sweepings/hour
Contractors & Municipal Sweeping Service. Inc.	\$26,700.00	\$95.00/hr
Crowns & Curbs, Inc.	\$30,504.00	\$125/hr
Budget	\$28,000.00	

The bid specifications include sweepings in April, June, September, and December, but do not include disposal of the sweeper debris. Republic Waste will dispose of the sweeping debris at no cost to the City.

The additional sweeping hourly rate is for special sweeping such as cleanup after a major storm or before special events.

Contractors & Municipal Sweeping Service has no known OSHA violations during the past three years. They have not swept Ballwin streets since 2011.

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