## **CONSENT ITEMS**

**RE:** HOT MIX ASPHALT

**DEPARTMENT:** PUBLIC WORKS

**PROGRAM:** PAVEMENT

**RECOMMENDATION:** We recommend accepting Fred Weber, Inc.'s hot mix asphalt unit price of \$44.75 per ton and alternate bid #2 at no charge for broken asphalt debris.

**EXPLANATION:** Bids were requested from asphalt suppliers to furnish hot mix asphalt. Delivery is <u>not</u> included, as we purchase small quantities at a time so the asphalt will retain its heat when placed. We sent invitation to bid notices to four suppliers and advertised in the St. Louis Business Journal, Reed Construction Data, Construction Market Data, FW Dodge Reports, and on the City's website. Bid specifications are on file at the Public Works Department. On January 23, 2015 four bids were received and opened. Below the summary of bids received.

	Base Bid	Alt. Bid #1	Alt. Bid #2	Base Bid+
	(material)	(concrete debris)	(asphalt debris)	Alt. Bid #2
		NOT		
		RECOMMENDED		
Fred Weber	\$96,660.00	No Bid	No Charge	\$96,660.00
Simpson Materials	\$96,660.00	\$6,376.00	\$5,400.00	\$102,060.00
NB West Contracting	\$99,360.00	No Bid	No Bid	Non-applicable
Pace Construction	\$103,680.00	No Bid	Free	\$103,680.00
Budget	\$94,559.00	\$11,300.00		\$105,859.00

Alternate bid #1 is for the disposal of broken concrete slabs and sidewalks. Alternate bid #2 is for disposal of broken asphalt.

Broken concrete debris disposal is recommended as part of the crushed rock bid (refer to crushed rock memorandum).

The bid quantities are estimates only. Therefore, the actual quantities ordered will be limited to avoid exceeding available funds.

**SUBMITTED BY:** GARY R. KRAMER, P.E., CITY ENGINEER/DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS

**DATE:** JANUARY 23, 2015