



Board of County Commissioners Agenda Request

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Agenda Item #

Requested Meeting Date: 1-7-25

Title of Item: Award Contract 20256

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> REGULAR AGENDA <input type="checkbox"/> CONSENT AGENDA	Action Requested: <input type="checkbox"/> Approve/Deny Motion <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopt Resolution (attach draft) <input type="checkbox"/> Hold Public Hearing <i>*provide copy of hearing notice that was published</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Direction Requested <input type="checkbox"/> Discussion Item <input type="checkbox"/> Information Only
Submitted by: John Welle		Department: Highway
Presenter (Name and Title): John Welle, Aitkin County Engineer		Estimated Time Needed: 5 minutes
Summary of Issue: <p>Bids were opened on Monday, December 16, 2024 for Contract No. 20256 which includes the following projects:</p> <p>1) CP 001-029-006 - grading, aggregate surface, and culvert replacements on approx. 1.4 miles of CH 29 south of Swatara</p> <p>2) CP 001-470-001 - grading and culvert replacements on approx. 1.0 mile of Unorg/Macville Township Road 470 north of Swatara</p> <p>As shown on the attached abstract of bids, five bids were received with Casper Construction, Inc. - Grand Rapids, MN submitting the low bid in the amount of \$330,000. With the cost of this contract estimated at \$481,535.40 the low bid is 31.47% below the estimated amount.</p> <p>CP 001-470-001 is a joint project between Unorganized Township 52-27 and Macville Township. A cost sharing agreement is in the process of being approved by Macville Township, with each township paying 50% of the \$120,741 cost of the project.</p>		
Alternatives, Options, Effects on Others/Comments: 		
Recommended Action/Motion: Award Contract 20256 to Casper Construction Inc. by attached resolution.		
Financial Impact: <i>Is there a cost associated with this request?</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <i>What is the total cost, with tax and shipping?</i> \$ 330,000 <i>Is this budgeted?</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <i>Please Explain:</i> <p>\$250,000 was budgeted for CP 001-029-006 in 2025. \$250,000 was budgeted for CP 001-470-001 in 2023/2024.</p>		

Legally binding agreements must have County Attorney approval prior to submission.

**Aitkin County
Contract Bid Abstract**

Project Name: Grading, Culvert Replacement and Aggregate Surfacing
Bid Opening: December 16, 2024, at 2:00 PM

Contract No: 20256
Project No: CP 001-029-006, CP 001-470-001

		Project: CP 001-029-006 Grading, Aggregate Surfacing, & Culvert Replacement				Casper Construction, Inc. - Grand Rapids, MN		Gladen Construction Inc - Laporte, MN		Anderson Brothers Construction Company of Brainerd LLC - Brainerd, MN		KGM Contractors, Inc. - Angora, MN		Schwartz Excavating - Bovey, MN		
Line	Number	Description	Unit	Quantity	Est Price	Est Total	Price	Total	Price	Total	Price	Total	Price	Total	Price	Total
1	2021.501	MOBILIZATION	LS	1	\$7,500.00	\$7,500.00	\$28,000.00	\$28,000.00	\$38,500.00	\$38,500.00	\$35,306.50	\$35,306.50	\$85,000.00	\$85,000.00	\$62,500.00	\$62,500.00
2	2051.501	MAINT AND RESTORATION OF HAUL ROADS	LS	1	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$1,200.00	\$1,200.00	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$3,200.00	\$3,200.00	\$8,500.00	\$8,500.00
3	2104.503	REMOVE PIPE CULVERTS	LF	56	\$12.00	\$672.00	\$7.00	\$392.00	\$35.00	\$1,960.00	\$32.20	\$1,803.20	\$22.00	\$1,232.00	\$34.00	\$1,904.00
4	2104.503	SALVAGE PIPE CULVERT	LF	36	\$20.00	\$720.00	\$5.50	\$198.00	\$38.00	\$1,368.00	\$25.05	\$901.80	\$75.00	\$2,700.00	\$37.05	\$1,333.80
5	2106.507	EXCAVATION - COMMON (P)	CY	2,169	\$12.00	\$26,028.00	\$3.75	\$8,133.75	\$12.90	\$27,980.10	\$8.55	\$18,544.95	\$14.00	\$30,366.00	\$17.35	\$37,632.15
6	2106.507	GRANULAR EMBANKMENT (CV) (P)	CY	5,314	\$18.00	\$95,652.00	\$11.75	\$62,439.50	\$10.12	\$53,777.68	\$15.25	\$81,038.50	\$30.00	\$159,420.00	\$16.94	\$90,019.16
7	2106.507	COMMON EMBANKMENT (CV) (P)	CY	1,123	\$8.00	\$8,984.00	\$11.00	\$12,353.00	\$9.55	\$10,724.65	\$16.90	\$18,978.70	\$7.00	\$7,861.00	\$12.15	\$13,644.45
8	2118.601	HAUL AND PLACE AGGREGATE SURFACING CLASS 5 MOD (LV)	CY	2,593	\$15.00	\$38,895.00	\$8.25	\$21,392.25	\$13.68	\$35,472.24	\$16.15	\$41,876.95	\$30.00	\$77,790.00	\$18.39	\$47,685.27
9	2451.601	HAUL AND PLACE AGGREGATE BACKFILL (CV)	CY	49	\$15.00	\$735.00	\$28.00	\$1,372.00	\$25.00	\$1,225.00	\$125.70	\$6,159.30	\$62.00	\$3,038.00	\$50.00	\$2,450.00
10	2501.503	18" CS PIPE CULVERT	LF	72	\$50.00	\$3,600.00	\$48.00	\$3,456.00	\$58.50	\$4,212.00	\$111.80	\$8,049.60	\$88.00	\$6,336.00	\$135.00	\$9,720.00
11	2501.503	60" CS PIPE CULVERT	LF	60	\$250.00	\$15,000.00	\$260.00	\$15,600.00	\$270.25	\$16,215.00	\$250.95	\$15,057.00	\$300.00	\$18,000.00	\$614.00	\$36,840.00
12	2563.601	TRAFFIC CONTROL	LS	1	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00	\$2,250.00	\$2,250.00	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00	\$2,262.65	\$2,262.65	\$3,000.00	\$3,000.00	\$4,500.00	\$4,500.00
13	2573.503	SILT FENCE, TYPE HI	LF	13,872	\$3.25	\$45,084.00	\$3.25	\$45,084.00	\$2.61	\$36,205.92	\$3.30	\$45,777.60	\$2.85	\$39,535.20	\$4.75	\$65,892.00
14	2573.503	SEDIMENT CONTROL LOG TYPE STRAW	LF	132	\$4.00	\$528.00	\$5.00	\$660.00	\$4.00	\$528.00	\$5.00	\$660.00	\$4.35	\$574.20	\$6.88	\$908.16
15	2574.508	FERTILIZER TYPE 3	LB	2,149	\$1.10	\$2,363.90	\$1.05	\$2,256.45	\$0.85	\$1,826.65	\$1.10	\$2,363.90	\$1.00	\$2,149.00	\$1.00	\$2,149.00
16	2575.505	SEEDING (P)	ACRE	6.14	\$750.00	\$4,605.00	\$125.00	\$767.50	\$99.00	\$607.86	\$124.45	\$764.12	\$110.00	\$675.40	\$1,275.00	\$7,828.50
17	2575.508	SEED MIXTURE 25-141	LB	363	\$5.00	\$1,815.00	\$4.75	\$1,724.25	\$3.80	\$1,379.40	\$4.80	\$1,742.40	\$4.25	\$1,542.75	\$8.50	\$3,085.50
18	2575.509	MULCH MATERIAL TYPE 3	TON	12.3	\$330.00	\$4,059.00	\$161.00	\$1,980.30	\$129.00	\$1,586.70	\$162.15	\$1,994.45	\$140.00	\$1,722.00	\$1,413.00	\$17,379.90
Totals for Project CP 001-029-006						\$259,240.90		\$209,259.00		\$235,669.20		\$283,282.62		\$444,141.55		\$413,971.89
% of Estimate for Project CP 001-029-006								-19.28%		-9.09%		9.27%		71.32%		59.69%

		Project: CP 001-470-001 Grading, Aggregate Surfacing, & Culvert Replacement				Casper Construction, Inc. - Grand Rapids, MN		Gladen Construction Inc - Laporte, MN		Anderson Brothers Construction Company of Brainerd LLC - Brainerd, MN		KGM Contractors, Inc. - Angora, MN		Schwartz Excavating - Bovey, MN		
Line	Number	Description	Unit	Quantity	Est Price	Est Total	Price	Total	Price	Total	Price	Total	Price	Total	Price	Total
1	2051.501	MAINT AND RESTORATION OF HAUL ROADS	LS	1	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$900.00	\$900.00	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$2,100.00	\$2,100.00	\$8,500.00	\$8,500.00
2	2101.501	CLEARING AND GRUBBING	LS	1	\$18,000.00	\$18,000.00	\$16,526.30	\$16,526.30	\$68,000.00	\$68,000.00	\$81,707.40	\$81,707.40	\$48,000.00	\$48,000.00	\$8,500.00	\$8,500.00
3	2104.503	REMOVE PIPE CULVERTS	LF	176	\$13.00	\$2,288.00	\$9.00	\$1,584.00	\$35.00	\$6,160.00	\$16.70	\$2,939.20	\$19.00	\$3,344.00	\$34.00	\$5,984.00
4	2106.507	EXCAVATION - COMMON (P)	CY	7,268	\$13.00	\$94,484.00	\$5.40	\$39,247.20	\$9.85	\$71,589.80	\$14.65	\$106,476.20	\$14.50	\$105,386.00	\$17.85	\$129,733.80
5	2106.507	COMMON EMBANKMENT (CV) (P)	CY	3,055	\$13.00	\$39,715.00	\$8.00	\$24,440.00	\$7.07	\$21,598.85	\$9.00	\$27,495.00	\$8.25	\$25,203.75	\$9.85	\$30,091.75
6	2108.504	GEOTEXTILE FABRIC TYPE 5	SY	2,457	\$3.00	\$7,371.00	\$1.80	\$4,422.60	\$3.72	\$9,140.04	\$1.45	\$3,562.65	\$4.00	\$9,828.00	\$3.18	\$7,813.26
7	2501.503	15" CS PIPE CULVERT	LF	290	\$66.00	\$19,140.00	\$38.00	\$11,020.00	\$57.40	\$16,646.00	\$59.20	\$17,168.00	\$80.00	\$23,200.00	\$122.00	\$35,380.00
8	2501.503	18" CS PIPE CULVERT	LF	32	\$75.00	\$2,400.00	\$45.00	\$1,440.00	\$72.00	\$2,304.00	\$64.95	\$2,078.40	\$110.00	\$3,520.00	\$132.00	\$4,224.00
9	2511.507	RANDOM RIPRAP CLASS II	CY	5	\$100.00	\$500.00	\$94.00	\$470.00	\$165.00	\$825.00	\$454.00	\$2,270.00	\$210.00	\$1,050.00	\$120.00	\$600.00
10	2563.601	TRAFFIC CONTROL	LS	1	\$4,000.00	\$4,000.00	\$500.00	\$500.00	\$500.00	\$500.00	\$1,005.65	\$1,005.65	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00	\$4,500.00	\$4,500.00
11	2573.503	SILT FENCE, TYPE HI	LF	1,700	\$4.50	\$7,650.00	\$3.25	\$5,525.00	\$2.61	\$4,437.00	\$3.30	\$5,610.00	\$2.85	\$4,845.00	\$4.75	\$8,075.00
12	2573.503	SEDIMENT CONTROL LOG TYPE STRAW	LF	500	\$5.50	\$2,750.00	\$5.00	\$2,500.00	\$4.00	\$2,000.00	\$5.00	\$2,500.00	\$4.50	\$2,250.00	\$6.88	\$3,440.00

		Project: CP 001-470-001 Grading, Aggregate Surfacing, & Culvert Replacement				Engineer's Estimate		Casper Construction, Inc. - Grand Rapids, MN		Gladen Construction Inc - Laporte, MN		Anderson Brothers Construction Company of Brainerd LLC - Brainerd, MN		KGM Contractors, Inc. - Angora, MN		Schwartz Excavating - Bovey, MN	
Line	Number	Description	Unit	Quantity	Est Price	Est Total	Price	Total	Price	Total	Price	Total	Price	Total	Price	Total	
13	2574.508	FERTILIZER TYPE 3	LB	1,855	\$1.10	\$2,040.50	\$1.05	\$1,947.75	\$0.85	\$1,576.75	\$1.10	\$2,040.50	\$1.00	\$1,855.00	\$1.00	\$1,855.00	
14	2575.504	ROLLED EROSION PREVENTION CATEGORY 20	SY	3,070	\$3.50	\$10,745.00	\$1.85	\$5,679.50	\$1.49	\$4,574.30	\$1.85	\$5,679.50	\$1.70	\$5,219.00	\$2.96	\$9,087.20	
15	2575.505	SEEDING (P)	ACRE	5.3	\$800.00	\$4,240.00	\$125.00	\$662.50	\$99.00	\$524.70	\$124.45	\$659.59	\$110.00	\$583.00	\$1,275.00	\$6,757.50	
16	2575.508	SEED MIXTURE 25-141	LB	313	\$7.00	\$2,191.00	\$4.75	\$1,486.75	\$3.80	\$1,189.40	\$4.75	\$1,486.75	\$4.25	\$1,330.25	\$8.50	\$2,660.50	
17	2575.509	MULCH MATERIAL TYPE 3	TON	10.4	\$300.00	\$3,120.00	\$161.00	\$1,674.40	\$129.00	\$1,341.60	\$162.15	\$1,686.36	\$140.00	\$1,456.00	\$1,413.00	\$14,695.20	
18	2575.523	RAPID STABILIZATION METHOD 3	MGAL	1.1	\$600.00	\$660.00	\$650.00	\$715.00	\$525.00	\$577.50	\$660.00	\$726.00	\$575.00	\$632.50	\$1,500.00	\$1,650.00	
Totals for Project CP 001-470-001						\$222,294.50		\$120,741.00		\$213,084.94		\$265,092.20		\$241,802.50		\$283,547.21	
% of Estimate for Project CP 001-470-001								-45.68%		-4.14%		19.25%		8.78%		27.55%	
Totals for Contract 20256						\$481,535.40		\$330,000.00		\$448,754.14		\$548,374.82		\$685,944.05		\$697,519.10	
% of Estimate for Contract 20256								-31.47%		-6.81%		13.88%		42.45%		44.85%	

I hereby certify that this is an exact reproduction of bids received.

Certified By: John Welle Digitally signed by John Welle
Date: 2024.12.18 06:01:56
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Date: 12-18-24

CERTIFIED COPY OF RESOLUTION OF COUNTY BOARD OF AITKIN COUNTY, MINNESOTA

ADOPTED January 7, 2025

By Commissioner: xxx

20250107-xxx

Award Contract 20256

WHEREAS, Contract No. 20256 is for construction of CP 001-029-006 and CP 001-470-001, and

WHEREAS, sealed bids were opened for this project at 2:00 p.m. on Monday, December 16, 2024 with a total of five bids received, and

WHEREAS, Casper Construction Inc. – Grand Rapids, MN - was the lowest responsible bidder in the amount of \$330,000.00.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that Casper Construction Inc. be awarded Contract 20256.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the chairperson of the Aitkin County Board and the Aitkin County Administrator are hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract on behalf of Aitkin County with said low bidder upon presentation of proper contract documents

Commissioner xxx seconded the adoption of the resolution and it was declared adopted upon the following vote

xxx MEMBERS PRESENT

All Members Voting xxx

**STATE OF MINNESOTA}
COUNTY OF AITKIN}**

I, Jessica Seibert, County Administrator, Aitkin County, Minnesota do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing with the original resolution filed in the Administration Office of Aitkin County in Aitkin, Minnesota as stated in the minutes of the proceedings of said Board on the 7th day of January 2025, and that the same is a true and correct copy of the whole thereof.

Witness my hand and seal this 7th day of January 2025

Jessica Seibert
County Administrator