

**EVALUATION OF BID
PROPOSALS**

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FOR: WOODWARD TOT LOT AND ADA ACCESSIBILITY IMPROVEMENTS

Bid File No. 12400255
Bid Opening: 8/22/2023

BIDDERS

TOTAL NET BID AMOUNT

1. American Paving Co.
525 W Alluvial Ave
Fresno, CA 93711

\$663,520.00

Each bidder has agreed to allow the City SIXTY-FOUR (64) days from date bids are opened to accept or reject their bid proposal. Purchasing requests that you complete the following sections and return this bid evaluation to the Purchasing Division at the latest by Monday, September 9, 2023, 5:00 P.M.

The Engineer's Estimate for this expenditure is \$519,688.00. The contract price is 28% above the Engineer's Estimate. If the overage is greater than 10% or only one bid was received, give explanation:

Staff believes that the bids received for certain bid items surpassed engineer's estimate due to unfavorable economies of scale. The magnitude and scope of the project did not seem to attract the prospective construction contractors.

BACKGROUND OF PROJECT (To be completed by Evaluating Department/Division. Explain need for project/equipment):

The proposed project includes the reconstruction of the existing paths of travel, refurbishment of parking stalls and site amenities that will adhere to ADA accessibility standards at four well-frequented play area locations within Woodward Park: Park View, River View, Valley View and Art of Life. The project design was completed through a consultant agreement with Quad Knopf Inc., dba QK, on April 14, 2022.

DEPARTMENT CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATION:

☐ Award a contract in the amount of \$ _____
to _____
as the lowest responsive and responsible bidder.

Remarks:

☒ Reject all bids. Reason: The contract price is higher than Engineer's Estimate and the staff believe that re-bidding the project along with another project of similar scope and size will provide a favorable economies of scale and attract more prospective bidders.

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Department Head Approval



Title Director of Capital Projects

Date 09/18/2023

☒ Approve Dept. Recommendation

☐ Approve GSD/Purchasing Recommendation

☐ Disapprove

☐ Disapprove

☐ See Attachment

GENERAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT

CITY MANAGER


Purchasing Manager

09/21/2023
Date


City Manager or Designee

9/21/23
Date


For: General Services Director

9/21/23
Date