COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE - MAY 31, 2011

AWARD OF TENDER T11-101 INTERSECTION IMPROVEMENTS – EDGELEY BOULEVARD AND HIGHWAY 7 WARD 4

Recommendation

The Commissioner of Engineering and Public Works in consultation with the Director of Purchasing Services and the Director of Reserves and Investments recommends:

That Tender T11-101 for the Intersection Improvements – Edgeley Boulevard and Highway 7 be brought forward to Council on June 7, 2011, for authorization of award.

Contribution to Sustainability

The construction of the intersection improvements will ensure that an acceptable level of service by the City's infrastructure is maintained for the health and well being of its citizens.

Economic Impact

The economic impact to the City is unknown at this time, however, all costs will be identified in the additional information report after the tender has closed.

Communications Plan

Once the project is awarded, Engineering Services staff will advise the Mayor and Members of Council and will distribute a notice of construction to the affected residents and businesses.

<u>Purpose</u>

Council approval to award Tender T11-101, Intersection Improvements – Edgeley Boulevard and Highway 7.

Background - Analysis and Options

The work covered by this tender includes the construction of a southbound right turn lane on Edgeley Boulevard onto Highway 7. See Attachement No. 1 for project location. All necessary permits and approvals have been obtained.

The tender was advertised in the Daily Commercial News, on the Ontario Public Buyers Association (OPBA), on Biddingo and on the City webpage and closed on May 27, 2011. Additional information will be provided for this item after the bids have been evaluated, for Council's consideration at the June 7, 2011 meeting. Construction is scheduled to commence in June and is expected to be substantially completed by August 2011.

Relationship to Vaughan Vision 2020/Strategic Plan

In consideration of the strategic priorities related to Vaughan Vision 2020, the recommendations of this report will assist in:

- Pursue Excellence in Service Delivery;
- Enhance and Ensure Community Safety, Health & Wellness; and
- Lead and Promote Environmental Sustainability

This report is consistent with the priorities previously set by Council.

Regional Implications

Region of York has issued their approval and will be advised of project commencement.

Conclusion

That Tender T11-101 for the Intersection Improvements – Edgeley Boulevard and Highway 7 be submitted to Council at the June 7, 2011 meeting, after the received bids have been evaluated.

Attachments

1. Location Map

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ATTACHMENT No. 1

