

DATE: April 22, 2010

REPORT TITLE: **CONSULTING SERVICES FOR THE WIDENING OF REGIONAL ROAD 18 (MAVIS ROAD) FROM APPROXIMATELY 350M SOUTH OF STEELES AVENUE TO HIGHWAY 407
CAPITAL PROJECT 09-4060
DOCUMENT 2009-126P
CITY OF BRAMPTON, WARDS 4 AND 6**

FROM: Dan Labrecque, Commissioner of Public Works

RECOMMENDATION

That the contract (Document 2009-126P) for detailed design, contract administration and construction supervision services for the widening of Regional Road 18 (Mavis Road), from approximately 350m south of Steeles Avenue to Highway 407 be awarded to Giffels Associates Limited/ IBI Group in the estimated amount of \$781,000 (excluding applicable taxes), under Capital Project 09-4060, in accordance with Purchasing By-law 63-2008.

REPORT HIGHLIGHTS

- The Environmental Study Report prepared by the Region of Peel, recommended that Mavis Road from Steeles Avenue to Highway 407 be widened from four lanes to six lanes.
- The Region of Peel issued a Request for Proposal (RFP) to complete detailed design, contract administration and construction supervision for the Mavis Road widening.
- Request for Proposal 2009-126P was competitively bid and Giffels Associates Limited/ IBI Group is recommended for award.

DISCUSSION

1. Background

Mavis Road is an arterial road under the jurisdiction of the Region of Peel, located in the City of Brampton.

In accordance with the Environmental Study Report (ESR) prepared by the Region of Peel, dated December 2009, and approved January 2010, the following works are recommended for Mavis Road from approximately 350m south of Steeles Avenue to Highway 407;

- Widening of Mavis Road from four lanes to six lanes,
- Multi-use path along the west side of Mavis Road,
- Sidewalk extension along the east side of Mavis Road south of Ray Lawson Boulevard,

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- Modification to the existing storm sewer system between Steeles Avenue and Ray Lawson Boulevard and a new storm sewer system south of Ray Lawson Boulevard to Highway 407, and
- Noise walls on the east side of Mavis Road from Steeles Avenue to Ray Lawson Boulevard.

2. Selection Process for Consulting Services

The Region of Peel issued RFP Document 2009-126P to five consulting engineering firms for detailed design, contract administration, and construction supervision services for the Mavis Road widening.

Five consultants submitted proposals on time. The proposals were reviewed and evaluated by a staff evaluation committee. The evaluation criteria included the consultant's understanding of the project, compliance with the terms of reference, the proposed methodology, qualifications and experience of the proposed staff, the consultant's previous experience on similar projects, schedule and estimated cost to complete the assignment. All submitted proposals were found to be in order. The evaluation summary is as follows:

Vendor Name	Location	Overall Ranking	Technical (80 per cent)	Financial (20 per cent)
Giffels Associates Limited/ IBI Group	Toronto, ON	1	2	2
HDR Corporation (HDR iTrans)	Richmond Hill, ON	2	1	5
Morrison Hershfield	Toronto, ON	3	3	1
AECOM Canada Ltd.	Markham, ON	4	4	3
Stantec Consulting Ltd.	Kitchener, ON	5	5	4

Giffels Associates Limited/ IBI Group's proposal received the highest overall score when assessing the combination of technical proficiency and price. The consultant demonstrated a thorough understanding of the assignment, proposed a comprehensive project approach, and presented an experienced project team. Staff has concluded that Giffels Associates Limited/ IBI Group's proposal provides the best overall value to the Region of Peel.

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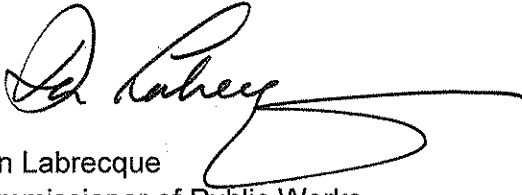
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FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

Funding is available in Capital Project 09-4060.

CONCLUSION

Staff recommend that the contract (Document 2009-126P) for detailed design, contract administration and construction supervision services for the widening of Mavis Road from approximately 350m south of Steeles Avenue to Highway 407 be awarded to Giffels Associates Limited/ IBI Group in the estimated amount of \$781,000, excluding applicable taxes, under Capital Project 09-4060 in accordance with Purchasing By-law 63-2008.



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APPENDIX I
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