

# Memorandum

**To:** Parks & Recreation Committee

**From:** Dean R. Gazza, Director of Parks, Recreation and Facilities Management

**Date:** 07/16/14

**Re:** Information: Award concrete walkway installation at Vosters Park to “Fischer-Ulman Construction, Inc.” for a contract total not to exceed \$5,862.00

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The 2014 Parks, Recreation and Facilities Management Department Capital Projects Fund includes \$90,000 to purchase and install new playground equipment and provide ADA access to our city park playgrounds. The Parks and Recreation Committee and Council previously approved the purchase and installation of a play structure at Woodland Park for \$45,125, installing a play structure for ages 2-5 at Hoover Park for \$21,235.67, and installing accessible concrete walkways at Hoover Park playground area for \$12,883.95. The remainder of the funds will be used to purchase engineered playground wood mulch for various park playgrounds.

The Department of Public Works seeks bids annually for sidewalk replacement and installation with area concrete contractors. The bid for this year was awarded to Fischer-Ulman Construction, Inc. They submitted a bid of \$3.31 sq/ft.

Below is the list of bidders and their price per square foot of 4” thick concrete:

1. Fischer-Ulman Construction - \$3.31 sq/ft. (\$5,862.00)
2. Milis Flatwork, Inc. - \$3.35 sq/ft. (\$5,868.60)
3. Al Dix Concrete - \$3.40sq/ft. (\$5,876.85)
4. Jim Fischer, Inc. - \$3.62 sq/ft. (\$5,913.15)

Based on Fischer-Ulman Construction being the low bid for concrete construction projects of this scope, the Parks, Recreation and Facilities Management Department will execute a contract with Fischer-Ulman Construction for an amount not to exceed \$5,862.00 for accessible sidewalks to the playground equipment at Vosters Park.

Please feel free to contact me at 832-5572 or by email at [dean.gazza@appleton.org](mailto:dean.gazza@appleton.org) with any questions or comments.

