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To:

Municipal Services Committee

From:

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Date:

May 23, 2022

Re:

Recommended award of the Unit Q-22 Pavement Marking Maintenance Contract (Paint)

Transverse Paint Markings such as Parking Stalls, Crosswalks and Stop Lines

Quotes were opened for the *Unit Q-22* Pavement Marking Maintenance Contract on May 23, 2022, as a means of establishing unit prices for this annual maintenance contract, which generally involves the painting of parking stalls, crosswalks and stop lines in the City.

Quotes were solicited from five companies, but only one quote was received. Crowley Construction Corp. of Wauwatosa, Wisconsin, submitted the low quote in the total amount of \$44.957.20. The unit prices contained in the quote are approximately 9% higher than last year, however, do seem to be reasonable all things considered. The cost for paint materials have been much more volatile since COVID-19, and Crowley indicated they are unable to lock in their prices with suppliers like in years past. The cost of fuel and wages have also seen increases. Crowley has completed this type of work for the City in recent years with good results.

Based on this, we recommend award of the contract to Crowley Construction Corp. in an amount not to exceed \$48,000.00. This dollar amount is based on available budgeted funds for pavement marking maintenance (17022 Account), as well as pavement marking maintenance to be completed for the Parking Utility (5121 & 5123 Accounts).