## **CITY OF CLEARLAKE**



**City Council** 

	STAFF REPORT	
SUBJECT:	Consideration of Award of Bid for the City Hall Remodel Project	MEETING DATE: July 6, 2023
SUBMITTED BY: Melissa Swanson, Administrative Services Director/City Clerk		
PURPOSE O	<b>DF REPORT</b> : Information only Discussion	Action Item

## WHAT IS BEING ASKED OF THE CITY COUNCIL/BOARD:

The City Council is being asked to award the bid for the City Hall Remodel Project to the lowest responsible bidder, Adams Commercial General Contracting, Inc., for \$1,281,110 and authorize the City Manager to approve change orders up to 10% of the contract price.

## **BACKGROUND/DISCUSSION:**

The American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 ("ARPA") provided \$350 billion in funding to state and local governments to mitigate the fiscal effects of the COVID-19 emergency. ARPA also established the Coronavirus Local Fiscal Recovery Fund ("CLFRF") for local government allocations and provide flexibility for each government to meet local needs to respond to the COVID-19 public health emergency and to support various activities to decrease the spread of the virus. The funds must be encumbered by December 31, 2024 and spent by December 31, 2026.

As your Council is aware, the City Hall building has been in existence under several different uses, from a Safeway grocery store in the late 70's and early 80's, a clothing store in the late 80's and early 90's, to finally become City Hall in 1996. Since then, there have been little improvements or changes to the office spaces or restrooms, including flooring, shelving, cubicles and furniture.

The City of Clearlake received \$2.87 million in ARPA funding and will use those funds, in part, to fund capital improvements to City Hall to implement COVID-19 mitigation tactics. Highlights of those improvements include updating the public and employee restrooms to touchless fixtures, improved privacy stalls, and shower facilities. Additionally, the police lobby and window area will have more open space and an improved customer service window. The administration lobby area will be remodeled to make the temporary protective countertop sneeze guard

currently in place at the front counter into a permanent fixture. The remodel also includes plans to improve security at the administration front counter with electronic entry points for employees, identical to the system at the police department entrances. Finally, to prevent the spread of COVID-19 or other infectious disease, the remodel plan includes transitioning the administration workplace from open and shared cubicle spaces to individual offices.

The City Hall Remodel Project was released on Wednesday, May 31<sup>st</sup> and the bids were opened on Tuesday, June 27<sup>th</sup>. There were six bids submitted via the City's OpenGov Procurement portal.

Name	Total Bid Price
Adams Commercial General Contracting, Inc.	\$1,281,110
REM Construction, Inc.	\$1,357,719
DMR Builders	\$1,361,112
FRC, Inc.	\$1,548,000
Kirby Constructions Company, Inc.	\$1,560,000
GCCI, Inc.	\$1,615,000

## **OPTIONS:**

- 1. Move to award the bid for the City Hall Remodel Project to the lowest responsible bidder, Adams Commercial General Contracting, Inc., for \$1,281,110 and authorize the City Manager to approve change orders up to 10% of the contract price.
- 2. Other direction

FISCAL IMPACT:
☐ None ☐ \$1,281,110 Budgeted Item? ☐ Yes ☐ No
Budget Adjustment Needed?  Yes No If yes, amount of appropriation increase: \$
Affected fund(s): General Fund Measure P Fund Measure V Fund Other: Designated ARPA Funds
Comments:
STRATEGIC PLAN IMPACT:
Goal #1: Make Clearlake a Visibly Cleaner City
Goal #2: Make Clearlake a Statistically Safer City
☐ Goal #3: Improve the Quality of Life in Clearlake with Improved Public Facilities

☑ Goal #4: Improve the Image of Clearlake
Goal #5: Ensure Fiscal Sustainability of City
Goal #6: Update Policies and Procedures to Current Government Standards
Goal #7: Support Economic Development
SUGGESTED MOTIONS:
Move to award the bid for the City Hall Remodel Project to the lowest responsible bidder, Adams Commercial General Contracting, Inc., for \$1,281,110 and authorize the City Manager to approve change orders up to 10% of the contract price.
Attachments: