



City of Hartford * County of Van Buren * State of Michigan

TO: Mayor Hall and the Hartford Commission
FROM: Nicol Brown, City Manager *AB*
DATE: February 24, 2025
RE: **APPROVE 60th AVENUE SIDEWALK EXTENSION PROJECT
CONSTRUCTION AWARD**

ITEM BEFORE THE COMMISSION:

The item before the Commission is to approve the 60th Avenue sidewalk extension project construction award.

DISCUSSION:

The City of Hartford applied and was awarded the Shared Streets and Spaces grant (SSSG) funding through the Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT). The project will construct approximately 1,800' of ADA-compliant concrete sidewalk from Center Street Apartments on S. Center Street south to 60th Avenue and then east along 60th Avenue to connect to the existing sidewalk at Woodside Drive.

On February 14th, the city received bids from Krohn Excavating, LLC, Nexgen Construction, and Redline Excavating, LLC. The bid calculation was as follows.

Engineer's Estimate	\$184,275
Krohn Excavating, LLC	\$144,820
Nexgen Construction	\$153,513
Redline Excavating, LLC	\$164,063.75

Krohn Excavating, LLC was the lowest bidder. Mickey, the engineer with Wightman, recommended that the city award the contract to Krohn Excavating and include one alternate (Alternate A) for flashing beacons with the new pedestrian crossing at the S. Center Street and 60th Avenue intersection. Alternate A brings the total construction amount to \$170,512.

RECOMMENDATION:

The Hartford City Commission approves the \$170,512 award to Krohn Excavating to construct the 60th Avenue sidewalk extension project. The approval is contingent on an executed contract agreement and a notice to proceed from MDOT.