

MARCH 15, 2022

CITY COUNCIL

CITY OF HEWITT, TEXAS

VIA: EMAIL

RE: 2020 - E. WARREN STREET IMPROVEMENTS; 1ST ST. TO FM 2063

COUNCIL:

BIDS WERE OPENED ON THE ABOVE CAPTIONED PROJECT ON MARCH 1, 2022, WITH FOUR BIDS BEING SUBMITTED. THE LOWEST BID WAS SUBMITTED BY BARNETT CONTRACTING, INC., IN THE AMOUNT OF \$870,134.00. THE BID TABULATION FOR THIS PROJECT SHOULD BE INCLUDED WITHIN YOUR COUNCIL PACKET.

BARNETT CONTRACTING, INC. HAS CONSTRUCTED PROJECTS FOR THE CITY OF HEWITT IN THE PAST, THAT HAVE BEEN TO THE SATISFACTION OF THE CITY. THE MOST RECENT PROJECT BEING 2016 - HEWITT PARK / PARK MEADOWS DR. DRAINAGE IMPROVEMENTS.

IT IS MY RECOMMENDATION THAT THIS CONTRACT BE AWARDED TO BARNETT CONTRACTING, INC.

REQUESTED CONTINGENCY.

I WOULD ALSO LIKE TO REQUEST THAT THE COUNCIL CONSIDER THE APPROVAL OF A 10% CONTINGENCY (10% OF THE AWARDED CONTRACT AMOUNT, \$87,013.40), TO BE USED AT THE DISCRETION OF THE CITY MANAGER, IN THE EVENT ANY UNFORESEEN OBSTACLES ARE ENCOUNTERED THAT COULD HINDER THE PATH TO A COMPLETED PROJECT. THIS WOULD TOTAL \$957,147.00

SINCERELY,



Miles W. Whitney P.E.

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