

# CRAWFORD

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February 8, 2024

Matthew Schmitz, City Manager  
City of Independence  
331 First Street East  
Independence, Iowa 50644

RE: 2024 Streets Rehabilitation Project  
Independence, Iowa

Dear Matthew:

On February 8, 2024, the City of Independence received and opened bids for the above referenced project. Four (4) bids were received and ranged from \$371,845.45 to \$473,777.70 for the proposed improvements. (See attached Tabulation of Bids)

The low bid for the project was submitted by Aspro Inc. of Waterloo, Iowa, in the amount of \$371,845.45. Crawford Engineering & Surveying, Inc. has reviewed references and work experience submitted by the low bidder and does hereby recommend award of the contract to Aspro Inc.

Upon Council action to award the contract, we will begin working with the contractor to obtain a signed construction contract and required supplements. These items will be presented for Council consideration at a future meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

CRAWFORD ENGINEERING & SURVEYING, INC.



Lawrence G. Crawford, PE & PLS