



March 16, 2023

Mr. Chuck Williams
Director of Public Works
City of Tupelo
604 Crossover Road
Tupelo, Mississippi 38801

REFERENCE: RECOMMENDATION OF AWARD OF CONTRACT
TUPELO ROADWAY MAINTENANCE PROGRAM
2023 ANNUAL TERM BID – BID NO. 2023-010PW

Dear Mr. Williams:

I am pleased to submit to you, the Mayor and the City Council, our conclusions and recommendations regarding the award of the construction contract for the referenced project. Bids were opened at Tupelo City Hall on Wednesday, March 15, 2023 at 10:00 AM local time.

Three bids were received for this project that included unit prices for forty-two (42) items that are routinely utilized in the maintenance and repair of roadway and drainage improvements projects. The bids ranged from \$17,600.00 - \$21,048.50 for the unit price bid. The low bid price submitted by James A. Hodges Construction, Inc. totaled \$17,600.00. This bid total, along with the individual unit prices for the bid items, fall within the typical amounts that are associated with this type of construction activity. The tabulation for the three bids is attached hereto.

This is a vital aspect of the City's roadway maintenance program and, thus, it is my recommendation to seek approval from the City Council to award this contract to Hodges Construction in accordance with the bid proposal and Contract Documents for this project and authorize the Mayor to execute the contract on behalf of the City of Tupelo. We appreciate the opportunity to be of service to you and to be involved with this project. Please let us know should have any questions or require additional information.

Sincerely,
DABBS CORPORATION

Dustin D. Dabbs, PE
President

Attachment

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