	CHAIR AND MEMBERS
TO:	CIVIC WORKS COMMITTEE
	MEETING ON APRIL 15, 2020
FROM:	KELLY SCHERR, P. ENG., MBA, FEC
	MANAGING DIRECTOR, ENVIRONMENTAL & ENGINEERING
	SERVICES & CITY ENGINEER
SUBJECT:	APPOINTMENT OF CONSULTING ENGINEER FOR CONSTRUCTION
	ADMINISTRATION SERVICES:
	2020 INFRASTRUCTURE RENEWAL PROGRAM
	SPRUCE STREET AND HAIG STREET

# **RECOMMENDATION**

That on the recommendation of the Managing Director, Environmental and Engineering Services and City Engineer, the following actions **BE TAKEN** with respect to the assignment of consulting services for the resident inspection and construction administration of the Infrastructure Renewal Program, Spruce Street and Haig Street project.

- (a) Stantec Consulting Limited, **BE AUTHORIZED** to carry out the resident inspection and contract administration for the said project in accordance with the estimate, on file, at an upset amount of \$299,537.70, excluding HST, in accordance with Section 15.2 (g) of the City of London's Procurement of Goods and Services Policy;
- (b) the financing for this project **BE APPROVED** as set out in the Sources of Financing Report <u>attached</u>, hereto, as Appendix A;
- (c) the Civic Administration **BE AUTHORIZED** to undertake all the administrative acts that are necessary in connection with this project;
- (d) the approval given, herein, **BE CONDITIONAL** upon the Corporation entering into a formal contract; and
- (e) the Mayor and City Clerk **BE AUTHORIZED** to execute any contract or other documents, if required, to give effect to these recommendations.

# PREVIOUS REPORTS PERTINENT TO THIS MATTER

 Civic Works Committee – June 19, 2018 – Agenda Item # 2.8 – Appointment of Consulting Engineers – Infrastructure Renewal Program

# 2019-2023 STRATEGIC PLAN

This report supports the Strategic Plan in the following areas:

- Building a Sustainable City:
  - Build infrastructure to support future development and protect the environment.
  - Manage the infrastructure gap for all assets.
  - o Protect and enhance waterways, wetlands, and natural areas.

#### **BACKGROUND**

# **Purpose**

This report recommends the continuation of consulting services to Stantec Consulting Limited for the reconstruction of Spruce Street and Haig Street. A project location map is included for reference in Appendix 'B'.

#### Context

Spruce Street and Haig Street has been identified as a high priority in the infrastructure renewal program due to the poor condition of the municipal infrastructure. Most of this infrastructure dates from the late 1950s and has reached the end of its life.

#### DISCUSSION

# **Project Description**

The Spruce Street and Haig Street infrastructure renewal project includes the following improvements:

- installation of sanitary sewers and appurtenances;
- installation of storm sewers and appurtenances;
- installation of watermain and individual water services to property line where applicable; and
- full road reconstruction including new asphalt, curb and gutter, and sidewalk.

Infrastructure replacement needs have been coordinated within the Environmental and Engineering Services Department. The funding for this project comes from the approved 2020 Wastewater and Treatment and Water Capital Works Budgets.

# **Consulting Services**

Stantec Consulting Limited was awarded the detailed design of the Spruce Street and Haig Street project by Council on June 26, 2018. Due to the consultant's knowledge and positive performance on the detailed design, the consultant was invited to submit a proposal to carry out the contract administration and resident inspection for this project. Stantec Consulting Limited submitted a proposal which included an upset limit of \$299,537.70, excluding HST. This proposal contains a 10% contingency. Staff have reviewed the fee submission, including the time allocated to each project task, along with hourly rates provided by each of the consultant's staff members. That review of assigned personnel, time per project task, and hourly rates was consistent with other Infrastructure Renewal Program assignments of similar scope. The continued use of Stantec Consulting Limited on this project for construction administration is of financial advantage to the City because the firm has specific knowledge of the project, and has undertaken work for which duplication would be required if another firm were to be selected.

In addition to the financial advantage, there are also accountability and risk reduction benefits. The City requires a professional engineer to seal all construction drawings. These "record drawings" are created based on field verification and ongoing involvement by the professional engineer. This requirement promotes consultant accountability for the design of these projects, and correspondingly, reduces the City's overall risk exposure. Consequently, the continued use of the consultant who created

and sealed the design drawings is required in order to maintain this accountability process and to manage risk.

In accordance with Section 15.2 (g) of the City of London's Procurement of Goods and Services Policy, civic administration is recommending that Stantec Consulting Limited be authorized to carry out the remainder of engineering services, as construction administrators, and complete this project for a fee estimate of \$299,537.70, excluding HST. These fees are associated with the construction contract administration and resident inspection services to ensure that the City receives the product specified and associated value. The approval of this work will bring the total engineering services for this project to \$551,621.70, excluding HST, spread over 2018 to 2020.

# **CONCLUSIONS**

Stantec Consulting Limited has demonstrated an understanding of the City's requirements for this project, and it is recommended that this firm continue as the consulting engineer for the purpose of contract administration and resident inspection services, as it is in the best financial and technical interests of the City.

SUBMITTED BY:	CONCURRED BY:			
AARON ROZENTALS, P. ENG, GDPA DIVISION MANAGER, WATER ENGINEERING DIVISION	SCOTT MATHERS, MPA, P. ENG. DIRECTOR, WATER AND WASTEWATER			
RECOMMENDED BY:				
KELLY SCHERR, P.ENG., MBA, FEC MANAGING DIRECTOR, ENVIRONMENTAL & ENGINEERING SERVICES & CITY ENGINEER				

Attach: Appendix 'A' – Sources of Financing

Appendix 'B' - Project Location Map

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Civic Works Committee

April 15, 2020 (Appoint Consulting Engineer)

RE: Appoint Consulting Engineer for Construction Administration Services: 2020 Infrastructure Renewal Program Spruce Street and Haig Street

(Subledger WS20C004)

Capital Project ES241420 - Sewer Infrastructure Lifecycle Renewal

Capital Project ES254020 - IRP - Stormwater Sewers & Treatment

Capital Project EW376520 - IRP - Watermain

Stantec Consulting Limited - \$299,537.70 (excluding H.S.T.)

# FINANCE & CORPORATE SERVICES REPORT ON THE SOURCES OF FINANCING:

Finance & Corporate Services confirms that the cost of this project can be accommodated within the financing available for it in the Capital Works Budget and that, subject to the adoption of the recommendations of the Managing Director, Environmental & Engineering Services & City Engineer, the detailed source of financing for this project is:

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SUMMARY OF ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES ES241420 - Sewer Infrastructure Lifecycle	-	Budget	to Date	Submission	Future Work
Renewal					
Engineering		1,724,865	226,868	91,444	1,406,553
Engineering (Utilities Share)		68,176	68,176	01,444	0
Construction		8,543,460	3,718,444		4,825,016
Construction (Utilities Share)		1,257,613	1,257,613		0
City Related Expenses		25,000	1,201,010		25,000
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ES254020 - IRP - Stormwater Sewers &					
Treatment		0.000.000	000 040	04.440	4 004 000
Engineering		2,000,000	223,919	91,443	1,684,638
Construction		11,392,126	3,588,208		7,803,918
City Related Expenses	_	100,000	2 040 407	04.440	100,000
		13,492,126	3,812,127	91,443	9,588,556
EW376520 - IRP - Watermain					
Engineering		2,318,186	604,581	121,924	1,591,681
Construction	_	15,000,000	7,558,890		7,441,110
		17,318,186	8,163,471	121,924	9,032,791
NET ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES	-	\$42,429,426	\$17,246,699	\$304,811 1)	\$24,877,916
		Revised	Committed	This	Balance for
	-	Budget	to Date	Submission	Future Work
SUMMARY OF FINANCING:					
ES241420 - Sewer Infrastructure Lifecycle					
<u>Renewal</u>					
Capital Sewer Rates		5,642,540			5,642,540
Federal Gas Tax		4,650,785	3,945,312	91,444	614,029
Other Contributions (Utilities)	_	1,325,789	1,325,789		0
		11,619,114	5,271,101	91,444	6,256,569
ES254020 - IRP - Stormwater Sewers &					
<u>Treatment</u>					
Capital Sewer Rates	1)	2,277,960	2,277,960		0
Drawdown from Sewage Works R.F.	_	11,214,166	1,534,167	91,443	9,588,556
		13,492,126	3,812,127	91,443	9,588,556
EW376520 - IRP - Watermain					
Capital Water Rates		10,753,000	8,163,471	121,924	2,467,605
Drawdown from Capital Water R.F.		6,565,186		,	6,565,186
·		17,318,186	8,163,471	121,924	9,032,791
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TOTAL FINANCING	_	\$42,429,426	\$17,246,699	\$304,811	\$24,877,916
) FINANCIAL NOTE:		ES241420	ES254020	EW376520	Total
Contract Price	-	\$89,862	\$89,861	\$119,815	\$299,538
Add: HST @13%		11,682	11,682	15,576	38,940
Total Contract Price Including Taxes	-	101,544	101,543	135,391	338,478
Less: HST Rebate					
Net Contract Price		10,100	10,100	13,467	33,667
115t Contract 1 1100	-	\$91,444	\$91,443	\$121,924	\$304,811

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# **APPENDIX 'B'**

