



**CITY COUNCIL COMMUNICATION**

August 13, 2013

**SUBJECT:** Authorizing the Purchase of Asphalt Slurry Seal and Microsurfacing

**SUBMITTED BY:** Chris D. Barker, Assistant City Manager

**REFERENCE NO:** Bid No. 006-09

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**ACTION REQUESTED:**

Consider authorizing the purchase of asphalt slurry seal and microsurfacing through the annual contract with Viking Construction, Inc., 2592 Shell Road, Georgetown, Texas 78628 for preventative street maintenance.

**ALTERNATIVES:**

- Table the request
- Deny the request

**SUMMARY OF SUBJECT:**

The City of Euless Purchasing Department solicited sealed bids (006-09) in February 2009 for the purchase of asphalt slurry seal and microsurfacing for preventative street maintenance.

Slurry seal and microsurfacing is a homogeneously blended asphalt product which consists of up to a 3/8" surface coat of aggregate, liquid asphalt and finely graded manufactured sand. The product costs considerably less than an asphalt overlay and prolongs street life an average of an additional five to seven years. Slurry seal and microsurfacing can only be used on streets in fair condition and greatly helps to restore a uniform surface texture and driving course. The City will only purchase material as needed and will be billed only for the actual material purchased.

**FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS:**

Revenue Sources:

Expenditure Accounts: 101-8033-531.73-20

Budgeted Fiscal Year(s): FY 2013

Estimated Expenditure: \$90,000

Total Expenditure:

Over/Under Projection By:

Other Comments:

**SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS:**

**APPROVED BY:**

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