



# CITY OF GILLETTE

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## MEMORANDUM

TO: Ry Muzzarelli P.E., Development Services Director  
CC: Joe Schoen P.E., City Engineer  
Steven Peterson P.E., Capital Projects Coordinator  
FROM: Seth Morris, Engineering Specialist  
RE: Recommendation for Award  
Annual Pavement Maintenance Project, 20EN08

On January 21, 2020 at 10:00 AM, Four bids were received and read aloud by the City of Gillette Purchasing Division for the Annual Pavement Maintenance Project, 20EN08.

Bids were received from Hardrives Construction, Inc., Croell, Inc., Simon Contractors, and Knife River. All bids are responsive with no errors

The four bids along with the Engineer's estimate are as follows:

Bidder	Base Bid	Alternate A	Alternate B	Total Bid
Hardrives Construction, Inc.	\$ 316,616.50	\$ 70,074.60	\$ 13,230.00	\$ 399,754.10
Simon Contractors	\$ 392,329.50	\$ 111,400.00	\$ 23,100.00	\$ 526,829.50
Croell, Inc.	\$ 513,788.50	\$ 128,288.00	\$ 33,600.00	\$ 675,676.50
Knife River	\$ 457,812.50	\$ 198,691.20	\$ 45,297.00	\$ 701,800.70
<b>Engineer's Estimate</b>	<b>\$ 273,572.00</b>	<b>\$ 91,452.00</b>	<b>\$ 8,820.00</b>	<b>\$ 373,844.00</b>

The total construction cost for this project was estimated at \$373,844.00 and was prepared by the City of Gillette Engineering Division. The low bid from Hardrives Construction, Inc. was \$399,754.10, with 5% added by the Wyoming Preference Act their bid was \$419,752.31, which was still less than the second bid of \$526,829.50. The Hardrives Construction, Inc. bid was approximately 7% higher than the Engineer's Estimate. The difference will be paid for from the savings on previous jobs.

I recommend the approval of a bid award for the Base Bid, Alternate A, and Alternate B of the Annual Pavement Maintenance Project to Hardrives Construction, Inc. in the amount of \$399,754.10.

Sincerely,

Seth Morris

