

RESOLUTION NO. 17-2016

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS, AWARDING A BID TO STARKS CONSTRUCTION COMPANY FOR THE EAST BUSINESS HIGHWAY 80 WATER LINE PROJECT.

WHEREAS, the City of Abilene owns and operates a public water supply system that includes water distribution pipelines; and

WHEREAS, there exists a 14 inch diameter cast iron water pipeline along East Business Highway 80 that is aged and in very poor condition and in need of replacement; and

WHEREAS, recent failures of the 14 inch water pipeline have resulted in the disruption of water service to campuses and businesses along east business highway 80; and

WHEREAS, the City Water Utilities Department contracted with Enprotec/Hibbs & Todd, Inc. (EHT) for the preparation of plans and contract documents, bidding assistance, project supervision, and project administration for the replacement of the existing pipeline; and

WHEREAS, Starks Construction Company submitted the lowest qualifying bid totaling \$340,000.03 for the project, and EHT has evaluated the low bid for conformity with the advertisement for bids and checked the references of the apparent low bidder and does recommend awarding the bid to Starks.

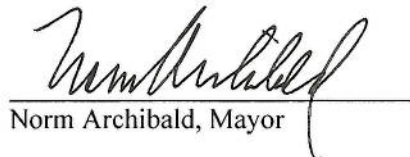
NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS:

That the City Manager is authorized to execute a construction contract with Starks Construction Company for the East Business Highway 80 Water Line Project in the amount of \$340,000.03.

ADOPTED this 11th day of February, 2016.

ATTEST:


Danette Dunlap, City Secretary


Norm Archibald, Mayor

APPROVED:


Stanley E. Smith, Interim City Attorney