

City of New Braunfels, Texas

550 Landa Street New Braunfels, TX

Legislation Text

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SUBJECT:

Approval of a contract with E-Z Bel Construction and Raba Kistner Consultants for construction on Landa Street.

BACKGROUND / RATIONALE:

The citywide street program was approved in the 2013 Bond election. Projects in this program could include: mill & overlay of pavement, curb repair/replacement, sidewalk repairs, and concrete diamonds around meter boxes and manholes.

The Landa Street (Walnut Avenue to Loop 337 Access) reconstruction project was designed by Vickrey & Associates. The City issued this project for bid on July 6th. A total of three bids were received on July 31st. Each of the submissions was scored based on cost, relevant experience, schedule, and financial capacity. Based on this criteria, E-Z Bel construction was selected as the best value bidder. They submitted a bid of \$1,087,049. The addition of contingency funding brings the amount for construction to \$1,163,143. Raba Kistner Consultants will be performing the materials testing for this project with a not to exceed amount of \$11,770.

ADDRESSES A NEED/ISSUE IN A CITY PLAN OR COUNCIL PRIORITY:

| X | Yes | City Plan/Council Priority: | Strategic Priorities: Continue an ongoing program of |
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| | | | infrastructure construction and maintenance. |

FISCAL IMPACT:

The 2013 bond program includes \$10 million for citywide street improvement projects that will provide funding for engineering services, construction and testing on these projects.

COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

N/A

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends approval of a construction contract with E-Z Bel Construction for \$1,163,143 and materials testing contracts with Raba Kistner Consultants totaling \$11,770.