



Prineville City Council Meeting; May 13, 2008

Issue Summary

Topic; 2008 Spring Asphalt Overlay

Department; Transportation

Staff; Scott Smith

Overview;

The Transportation Department begin advertising for our spring overlay project on April 19, 2008. This project will consist of a 2" asphalt overlay on NE Laughlin St. beginning at the intersection of NE Oregon Ave. and extending through the intersection of NE Combs Flat. This section is approx 3100'x24'. However Public Works is going to extend the width of this overlay to 26' in width to provide a little wider travel lane. It is anticipated that this section will require approx 1200 ton of asphalt at a cost of \$84,000.00

Also this project will resurface NE Oregon Ave. from NE Laughlin to the intersection of NE Ochoco Ave. This section is approx 900'x26' and is anticipated to require 300 tons of asphalt at a cost of \$21,000.00. Total engineers estimate for this project is \$105,000.00 and will be funded from line item 10-43100-2223 Street Maintenance. Public Works and Engineering held a mandatory pre bid conference on April 29, 2008 with only 2 paving contractors attending. The 2 contractors were Knife River from Bend and High Desert Paving from Redmond.

Bids were opened May 6, 2008 and reviewed by staff May 7, 2008. High Desert Paving was the low bid at \$79,502.80. Knife River bid \$79,539.40; this is a difference of \$36.60 which shows a very competitive bid. Staff asks that the Council award the 2008 Spring Asphalt Overlay Project to High Desert Paving. Staff would also like to inform the Council that the 2008 summer overlay bid came in at \$61.02 a ton and this current bid is \$59.80 a ton, which is pretty remarkable given the fuel and oil price increases we have experienced in the last year.