

**CITY OF LA VISTA
MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL REPORT
FEBRUARY 5, 2013 AGENDA**

Subject:	Type:	Submitted By:
ADVERTISEMENT OF BIDS – QUIET ZONE CROSSING IMPROVEMENTS LA VISTA QUIET ZONE	◆ RESOLUTION ORDINANCE RECEIVE/FILE	JOHN KOTTMANN CITY ENGINEER/ASSISTANT PUBLIC WORKS DIRECTOR

SYNOPSIS

A resolution has been prepared authorizing the advertisement of bids for the construction of Quiet Zone Crossing Improvements at three BNSF roadway crossing locations. The locations include 126th Street, West Giles Road, and 132nd Street. This work is pursuant to an interlocal agreement between Sarpy County and the City of La Vista originally entered into in 2008. This work is Phase I of that agreement.

FISCAL IMPACT

The FY13 Capital Fund Budget provides funding for the proposed project.

RECOMMENDATION

Approval

BACKGROUND

The City Engineer in conjunction with Felsburg, Holt and Ullevig has prepared plans and specifications for the Quiet Zone Crossing Improvements, La Vista Quiet Zone. The work will occur in County right-of-way and will require one temporary construction easement. All costs will be a 50/50 split between Sarpy County and the City of La Vista. The Engineer's Estimate, prepared by Felsburg, Holt and Ullevig is \$66,985.79 for the proposed construction work. The following schedule is suggested:

Publish Notice to Contractors	February 14, 2013 and February 21, 2013
Open Bids	March 4, 2013
City Council Award Contract	March 19, 2013

The specifications allow 20 working days to complete all work after the effective date of the Notice to Proceed.

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LA VISTA, NEBRASKA AUTHORIZING THE ADVERTISEMENT OF BIDS FOR CONSTRUCTION OF THE QUIET ZONE CROSSING IMPROVEMENTS AT THREE (3) BURLINGTON NORTHERN SANTA FE (BNSF) ROADWAY CROSSING LOCATIONS.

WHEREAS, the City Council has determined that the construction of the Quiet Zone Crossing Improvements at three (3) Burlington Northern Santa Fe (BNSF) Roadway Crossing locations is necessary, and

WHEREAS, the FY13 Capital Fund Budget provides funding for the proposed project, and

WHEREAS, all costs will be a 50/50 split between Sarpy County and the City of La Vista pursuant to the Interlocal agreement, and

WHEREAS, the City Engineer in conjunction with Felsburg, Holt and Ullevig, has prepared plans and specifications for said improvements.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the City Administrator is hereby authorized to advertise for bids construction of the Quiet Zone Crossing Improvements at Three Burlington Northern Santa Fe (BNSF) Roadway Crossing Locations in accordance with plans and specifications prepared by the City Engineer in conjunction with Felsburg, Holt and Ullevig. Said bids are to be opened and publicly read aloud at 10 a.m. at the office of the City Clerk, 8116 Park View Boulevard, La Vista, Nebraska on March 4, 2013.

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PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 5TH DAY OF FEBRUARY 2013

CITY OF LA VISTA

Douglas Kindig, Mayor

ATTEST:

Pamela A. Buethe, CMC
City Clerk

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

City of La Vista
La Vista, Nebraska

QUIET ZONE CROSSING IMPROVEMENTS LA VISTA QUIET ZONE

Sealed proposals will be received by Pamela Buethe, Clerk of said City, at the City of La Vista, City Hall, 8116 Parkview Boulevard, La Vista, NE 68128, until 10:00 AM on the 4th day of March, 2013, for the furnishing of all labor, materials, use of Contractor's equipment, plant and all else necessary to construct properly all of the improvements for QUIET ZONE CROSSING IMPROVEMENTS.

At such hour, or as soon as practicable thereafter, the City of La Vista will proceed to publicly open in the presence of all bidders and consider the bids received for the furnishing of such labor, materials, and equipment necessary for the proper construction of such improvements.

The extent of the work consists of the construction or other effectuation of the items listed below and other related preparatory and subsidiary work from issuance of the Notice to Proceed:

Item	Description	Estimated Quantities	
1	Remove Asphalt Pavement	11	S.Y.
2	Remove Concrete Pavement	17	S.Y.
3	Construct Tacked-On Concrete Median	2188	S.F.
4	Construct 9" Concrete Pavement – Type L85	387	S.Y.
5	Construct 9" Concrete Driveway – Type L85	26	S.Y.
6	Construct Asphalt Pavement – (9") PG 64-22	9	S.Y.
7	Remove Curb & Gutter	123	L.F.
8	Aggregate Surface Course	13	S.Y.
9	Earthwork (Embankment), Established Qty.	55	C.Y.
10	Earthwork (Excavation), Established Qty.	88	C.Y.
11	Seeding – Type "A"	295	S.Y.
12	Remove Pavement Markings	2537	L.F.
13	Permanent Painted Pavement Markings – 4" White	2537	L.F.
14	Permanent Painted Pavement Markings – 24" White	48	L.F.
15	Permanent Painted Pavement Markings – Railroad Symbol	5	EA.
16	Install Traffic Signs & Posts, Signs Provided by Contractor	1	L.S.
17	Install Tubular Markers, Materials Provided by Contractor	108	EA.
18	Mobilization	1	L.S.

All work called for in the Contract Documents shall be furnished in strict accordance with the Plans and Specifications prepared by Felsburg, Holt & Ullevig, Project Engineers for the City of La Vista, and now on file with the City Clerk. **All bidders must obtain a set of plans from the City Public Works Department and submit their bid on the Proposal Form included with the contract documents. Only those bids received from registered plan holders, as recorded at the office of the La Vista Public Works Department, will be considered for award.**

Each bid shall be accompanied in a SEPARATE SEALED ENVELOPE by a certified check or bid bond in an amount of not less than five percent of the amount bid and such certified check or bid bond shall be payable to the Treasurer of the City of La Vista, Nebraska as security that the bidder to whom the contract may be awarded will enter into a contract to build the improvement in accordance with this Notice to Contractors and will give a contract and maintenance bond in the amount of 100% of the contract price. No bidder may withdraw his proposal for a period of sixty (60) days after the date set for the opening of bids.

Plans, Specifications and Contract Documents may be examined and procured at the office of the La Vista Public Works Department, 9900 Portal Road, La Vista, Nebraska 68128.

The City reserves the right to waive informalities and to reject all or any bids.

CITY OF LA VISTA, NEBRASKA

Pamela A. Buethe, City Clerk