

**COUNCIL LETTER  
CITY OF GALESBURG  
DECEMBER 19, 2016**

**AGENDA ITEM:** Bids for reconstruction of North Seminary Street from Grove Street to Fremont Street

**SUMMARY RECOMMENDATION:** The City Manager, Director of Public Works, and Purchasing Agent recommend that the City Council approve the bid submitted by Halverson Construction Co. in the amount of \$2,696,817.19 to complete the reconstruction of North Seminary Street from Grove Street to Fremont Street

**BACKGROUND:** Public Works is requesting the reconstruction of North Seminary Street from Grove Street to Fremont Street. This reconstruction will include complete pavement, curb, and driveway apron removal due to insufficient existing pavement thickness. Replacement includes new combination concrete curb and gutter, concrete and brick sidewalk repairs for ADA compliancy, new storm sewer pipe and structures, as well as new concrete driveway approaches. In addition, the existing pavement will be replaced with an 8 inch concrete pavement surface on an aggregate subgrade. The intersection of Fremont Street will be resurfaced with milling off the existing asphalt and replacing with new hot-mix asphalt. Multiple stages for construction are required to maintain traffic over the recently opened Bickerdyke Bridge and to maintain access to Cottage Hospital and their employees. Trees that were removed due to the emerald ash borer, conflict with new utilities, or the widened roadway will be replaced as requested by the adjacent property owners. There are 85 working days planned for this project.

The project was advertised in the Register-Mail, in the Illinois Department of Transportation Bulletin to all contractors statewide, and on the City's website. Seven bids were received for this project. Halverson Construction Company submitted the low and best bid in the amount of \$2,696,817.19. The bid for this project was within estimates for this project.

**BUDGET IMPACT:** There are sufficient funds budgeted for this work from the 2016 Bond Funds.

**SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS:**

1. Bid tabulation

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Public Works Department Memo  
Opening Order Council Manager Government Series 187

Reconstruction on N. Seminary Street  
(E. Crow to E. Fremont)

Section: 15-00501-27-PV

Bid Date: 12/27/2016

Table with columns: BIDDER NAME, BIDDER ADDRESS, CITY/STATE/ZIP, UNIT, ITEM, PRICE, TOTAL, UNIT, PRICE, TOTAL, UNIT, PRICE, TOTAL, UNIT, PRICE, TOTAL, UNIT, PRICE, TOTAL. Rows include items like SO D RECTANGULAR FABRIC FOR GROUND STABILIZATION, SO D TOPSOIL, SO D PORTLAND CEMENT CONCRETE DRIVEWAY PAVEMENT 8 INCH, etc.

\$ 2,856,217.19

\$ 3,079,732.80

\$ 2,700,226.52

\$ 3,415,161.00

\$ 3,272,765.47

\$ 2,914,866.97

\$ 2,924,420.90

TOTAL BID