



Resort Municipality of Whistler
4325 Blackcomb Way
Whistler, BC
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June 23, 2022

ATT: Chelsey Roberts, Capital Projects Manager

RE: T078-01-CIVIL – White Gold Utility Undergrounding Civil Works

This letter provides a recommendation regarding the tender for contract T078-01 CIVIL, based on the submissions dated June 13, 2022.

Bid Submission Summary:

The following is a summary of the bids submitted:

Bid Compliance:

<i>Description</i>	<i>Ponte Bros. Contracting Ltd.</i>	<i>Drake Excavating Ltd.</i>
Signed Form of Tender	Yes	Yes
Signed Addendums (1-6)	Yes	Yes
Schedule of Quantities and Prices	Yes	Yes
Preliminary Construction Schedule	Yes	Yes
Experience of Superintendent	Yes	Yes
Comparable Work Experience	Yes	Yes
Subcontractors	Yes	Yes
Bonding Surety	Yes	Yes

Bid Pricing:

<i>Contractor Name</i>	<i>Utility Undergrounding</i>	<i>Bonding</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>Ponte Bros. Contracting Ltd.</i>	\$6,225,195.00	\$120,000.00	\$6,345,195.00*
<i>Drake Excavating Ltd.</i>	\$5,435,045.00	\$47,000.00	\$5,482,045.00*

(* excluding taxes)

Recommendation:

The petition amount for the total project cost on public property, including civil works covered by this tender, utilities (Shaw, Telus, BC Hydro), statutory rights of way and project management, is \$5,520,075. The bid prices received are reasonable, taking into account current market conditions that didn't exist when the petition was issued, and that the lowest bidder has provided a compliant submission.

The latest project forecast value is estimated at \$9,197,833.00, which exceeds the petition value by 67%.

Based on the forecast value, I recommend the White Gold Utility Undergrounding Project be returned to Whistler Council to determine next steps.

Regards,

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