

**Town of Southington
Public Works Committee**

Committee Members:

Michael DelSanto, Chair	Present
Paul Chaplinsky Jr., Vice Chair	Present
Christopher Poulos	Present
Ed Pocock Jr.	Present
Susan Zoni	Present
Chief Jack Daly	Present
Bill Casarella, SWD Supt.	Not Present
Keith Hayden, ex-officio	Present
Annette Turnquist, ex-officio	Present

Contact Person:

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MINUTES

Wednesday June 3, 2020 – 4:00 p.m.
Webex Meeting

1. Call to Order – Quorum *The Webex meeting was called to order at 4:05 pm.*
2. Approval of Minutes
 - i. 5-6-20 Meeting Minutes *Motion to approve - Chaplinsky/Daly 6-0 approve*
3. Communications
 - a. Police Department *The Chief reported that there was an issue on the Town Green with traffic that the police resolved. Other than that, all is normal.*
 - b. Bulky Waste Transfer Station
*1,100 vehicles Saturday
Closed the previous Saturday*
 - c. Highway/Parks Department
 - i. 2020 Road Projects update
*3 contractors working on drainage repairs
Tilcon scheduled for end of June/beginning of July*
 - ii. High School parking lot
*Parking expansion in-house
Going very well & crew doing great job
Tilcon scheduled for week of June 22*
 - iii. Memorial Park concession building renovation
BMP plans to start next week
 - iv. Memorial Park playscape
*Going well & looks great
Looking into creating additional area for future swingset before contractor finishes up*
 - v. Dog Park
*Moving entrance from west end to east end
Removed necessary trees last week
Eagle Fence currently working on fence renovations*
 - vi. General Maintenance
*Sweeping – 2 to 3 weeks
Mowing & trimming parks, open space, Town properties
Mowing sightlines
Restoration done except for some longer runs*
 - vii. Tennis & Basketball Court Resurfacing
This work is part of phase 2 of the Parks Master Plan for which \$770,000 has been approved for the 2020-2021 fiscal year. Hinding' s proposed cost is within the portion of the \$770,000 allotted for the tennis and basketball courts.

The Highway Superintendent recommend Hinding Tennis Courts be approved for \$235,394.50 (\$213,995 plus a 10% contingency).

- d. Engineering *(Please see attached Engineering Report)*
 - i. Trail Lazy Lane to TL
 - ii. Plantsville Safety Improvements
 - iii. Marion Avenue over Humiston Brook Bridge Replacement
 - iv. Spring Street Bridge
- e. Water Department *COVID-Water Dept is back to full strength except office staff. Office will still be closed until glass shielding is put up to protect office staff. Mill St Tank Project is moving forward with hopes the Town/SWD communication antennas are installed around July 1 st. Moving forward with plans to build a new back up well for Well 9 Flushing of water mains night/day as normal for water quality.*
- f. Members *Mr. Poulos wants to investigate the use of rumble strips on route 10 in Plantsville. He also wants a formal plan based on the 4 "E"s of Traffic Safety.*
- g. Public *None*
4. Old Business *None*
5. New Business
 - i. *Motion to recommend Hinding's bid for approval of the Town Council in the amount of \$235,394.50 (\$213,995 plus a 10% contingency) for the resurfacing of tennis and basketball courts Chaplinsky/Pocock 6-0 approve.*
6. Adjournment *Motion to adjourn Chaplinsky/Pocock 6-0 approve. The meeting was adjourned at 4:39 pm.*

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ENGINEERING REPORT
Wednesday June 3, 2020

Trail Lazy Lane to TL

Extra Work Request #5 was tentatively approved by VHB and the DOT. This work involves adding a bid alternate for H-piles instead micro piles which hopefully will reduce construction costs. This was the result of a DOT review after the construction cost estimate came in above the initial estimate. This should have no impact on the project schedule. The project will be bid this fall with a Spring 2021 construction start.

Plantsville Safety Improvements

Nothing new to report. W&S is currently coordinating with CTDOT ROW. They will continue to incorporate 90% review items over the next several weeks and prepare for the 100% submission to CTDOT. The 100% submission will be provided to CRCOG by the end of the summer and to CTDOT in September. Construction to begin in Spring 2021.

Marion Avenue over Humiston Brook Bridge Replacement

Milone and MacBroom has been working on environmental permits. We are on the agenda for the June 4th IW meeting for local approval and the DEEP and USACOE permits have been applied for. The revised ROW maps have been submitted to DOT so they can start negotiations.

Spring Street Bridge

CJM has completed their review of the Final Design Plans. AECOM is addressing a few minor comments. We have begun discussions with AECOM for the construction inspection. We will receive resumes, hours, and wage rates for review. We are still on track for a Spring 2021 construction start.

Respectfully Submitted
Keith Hayden P.E.

Town of Southington

Highway/Parks Department

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MEMORANDUM

TO: Mark Sciota, Town Manager
FROM: Annette S. Turnquist, P.E., M.P.A., Superintendent AST
RE: Tennis & Basketball Court Resurfacing
DATE: June 3, 2020

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I am in receipt of a proposal for each of the three major parks for resurfacing of the tennis and basketball courts. The proposals are from Hinding Tennis Courts from West Haven. They are an approved vendor associated with Sourcewell (contract #060518-AST), a cooperative purchasing organization to which the Town of Southington belongs. The total proposed cost is \$213,995.

Hinding resurfaces more than 400 courts per year. They have worked in Stamford and New London. They use the "Riteway Crack Repair" method which they have seen last up to ten years without cracks returning. While Hinding cannot guarantee against new cracks forming, they do guarantee the existing cracks for two years.

This work is part of phase 2 of the Parks Master Plan for which \$770,000 has been approved for the 2020-2021 fiscal year. Hinding's proposed cost is within the portion of the \$770,000 allotted for the tennis and basketball courts. I recommend Hinding Tennis Courts be approved for \$235,394.50 (\$213,995 plus a 10% contingency).

c: Gabe Calandra