



**Meeting Date: May 18, 2022**

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**Report No: PWE 23-2022**

**Subject: Tender Results – Bear Creek Municipal Drain Branches 6, 12 & 13 Construction Award**

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**Recommendation:**

THAT the construction of the Bear Creek Municipal Drain Branches 6, 12 & 13 be awarded to the lowest tender bid submission received from Robinson Farm Drainage Limited in the amount of \$630,285.00 + HST.

**Purpose:**

To obtain Council approval of the tender award with regards to proceeding with the drainage works under the Ontario Drainage Act.

**Background:**

A Request for Drain Improvement was submitted to Middlesex Centre to request the improvement to an existing Municipal Drain under the Ontario Drainage Act.

By-Law #2021-108 was passed enacting the Engineer's report prepared by Mike DeVos, Spriet Associates for the drain design and cost estimate. The project proceeded to the public tendering stage with two tenders submitted.

**Analysis:**

The following tender results were received through a public tendering process and are listed as follows:

<b>Contractor</b>	<b>Bid Price</b>
Robinson Farm Drainage Ltd	\$630,285.00 + HST

Van Bree Drainage and Bulldozing Ltd	\$691,951.50 + HST
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**Financial Implications:**

Spriet Associates staff have reviewed the bid for compliance with the respective tender requirements and the lowest tender bid submission from Robinson Farm Drainage Ltd. has been recommended to be awarded. The cost estimate for construction provided by Spriet Associates was \$520,940.00 + HST.

**Strategic Plan:**

This matter aligns with following strategic priorities:

- Sustainable Infrastructure and Services
- Responsive Municipal Government

The award of this tender will allow construction to proceed in order to provide the desired service level for the landowners. The tendered price provides good value for the required work and was within 33% of the Estimate as allowed for in the Drainage Act.

**Attachments:**

N/A