CITY OF JOPLIN
COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM

ITEM
Council Bill 2021-117 – Construction Agreement for Microsurfacing 2021

MEETING DATE
March 15, 2021

ORIGINATING DEPT
Public Works – Engineering

ATTACHMENTS
CB 2021-117 Ordinance, Bid Tabulation, Construction Agreement, Location map

REVIEWED BY
Director of Public Works – David Hertzberg, Director of Finance – Leslie Haase. City Attorney – Peter C. Edwards, City Manager – Nicholas Edwards

SUMMARY
This Council Bill approves a construction agreement with Vance Brothers Inc. for the Microsurfacing 2021 in the amount of Six Hundred Sixty-Two Thousand Six Hundred Twenty-Three and 12/100 Dollars ($662,623.12).

BACKGROUND
As a part of the annual street maintenance program, the City provides preventive maintenance on asphalt streets on a seven-year cycle. The Street Slurry Seal projects have been a major part of this seven-year preventive maintenance program since 1982. In 2004, staff chose to use Microsurfacing over the Type II Slurry Seal used in the past. Microsurfacing sets up more quickly and is more durable. This allows roads to be opened to the public in a shorter time frame. City staff prepared bid documents for the project. Staff followed the City’s procurement policy for advertising of said project. Two companies submitted bids (see attached Bid Tabulation), that were opened on February 23, 2021. Vance Brothers was the low bidder and the bid was below the Engineer’s estimate. Staff evaluated the bid and chose to award the base bid and both alternates.

FUNDING SOURCE
These payments are included in the FY 2020-21 in the Transportation Sales Tax Fund.

RECOMMENDATION
Staff recommends adoption of this Council Bill on a non-emergency basis.