

**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.