

Minutes of the West End Curb and Gutter Project Public Hearing held before the Buffalo City Council, Iowa on March 3, 2008.

The public hearing was called to order by Mayor John Carson at 7:03 pm. Present were Councilmembers Gina Guizar, Christine Carson, Mitch Greer, Judy Hammons, and Dana Jo Smith. Also present were Assistant City Engineer Brian Parks, Director of Public Works Dwain Bollman, Police Chief Gage Adams, and City Clerk Bill Bowers.

Mayor Carson asked Parks to explain the bids taken for the project. There are two (2) scopes to the project. Scope 1 consists of storm sewer, curb and gutter for Elm, Oak and Maple Streets. Scope 2 is Oak and Maple Streets only. The Public Works department requested that the bids include an alternate bid to replace un-grated storm water inlets with ones with a grate.

The engineering cost estimate was \$300,000 to \$330,000. The low bidder, All American Concrete, bid \$293,200.99 for Scope 1, \$195,740.36 for Scope 2, and \$302,151.99 for Scope 1 with Alternative 1. Veenstra and Kimm recommend acceptance of the Scope 1 with Alternative 1 bid from All American Concrete.

No comments were made by any member of the audience.

Motion by C. Carson to adjourn the public hearing at 6:05 pm. Seconded by Greer and carried unanimously.

William Bowers  
City Clerk