

BID

Demolition for Lowndes County Fire Rescue Station 3

Director of Engineering Services, Chad McLeod, presented the item. Mr. McLeod stated Lowndes County advertised for bids to demo the former restaurant building (formerly Rascals) at 4875 U.S. Highway 41 South in Lake Park. In order for Lowndes County to begin the process for a new Fire Station #3, the demolition of this building is the next step. Six bids were received with two bids being disqualified due to incomplete paperwork. The four qualifying bids were: Standard Contractors in the amount of \$85,174.00, Complete Demolition Services in the amount of \$89,000.00, Kellerman Construction in the amount of \$123,240.00, and Killeen Construction in the amount of \$147,942.60. Commissioner Smith inquired how long demolition would be before the area is ready for construction. Mr. McLeod responded that there is a sixty (60) day time limit on construction.

Bid for Bemiss Road Right of Way Mowing

Purchasing Agent, Amy Woods, presented the item. Mrs. Woods stated bids were received for Right of Way Mowing on Bemiss Road. This mowing will include the initial clean up, full cuts and the median. Outdoor Living submitted the low bid in the amount of \$414,988.00 for a five-year contract. The State of Georgia Department of Transportation will be reimbursing Lowndes County for the entire cost of the mowing and the Public Works Department will be maintaining the contract.

REPORTS - County Manager

County Manager, Paige Dukes, thanked Public Works Director, Robin Cumbus, for her efforts with the bid for the Bemiss Road Right of Way Mowing. Commissioner Orenstein asked if that included edging the sidewalks. Mrs. Dukes responded yes, it is more than eighty (80) miles of handwork. Chairman Slaughter asked if this continues to include trash pick-up. Mrs. Cumbus responded yes, and the median is included as well.

ADJOURNMENT

Commissioner Wisenbaker made a motion to adjourn the meeting, second by Commissioner Smith. Chairman Slaughter adjourned the meeting at 8:37 a.m.