10. CONTRACT NUMBER 01/02 – 128 PICTON AVENUE (RICCARTON ROAD TO PEVEREL STREET) AND NELSON STREET RECONSTRUCTION

The City Streets Manager sought Board approval for acceptance of a tender which is above the \$300,000 authority delegated to Council Officers.

Relevant Current Policy

This project forms part of the City Streets Unit's Capital Expenditure Programme for the 01/02 year and shown on page P.71 of the Financial Plan and Programme.

Description

The contract is for the construction of kerbs, channels, asphaltic concrete paths, grassed berms, landscape planting, drainage works, full carriageway reconstruction, application of road markings and signage.

Tender prices have been received as follows:

City Care Ltd	\$566,248.50
Taggart Earthmoving Ltd	\$598,096.00
Calcon Asphalt Ltd	\$619,285.05
Local Construction Ltd	\$635,629.00
KB Contracting and Quarries Ltd	\$642,509.40
The Pot Hole People	\$664,993.20

All prices exclude GST.

These prices include a contingency sum of \$51,000 and the work is for a seventeen (17) week period.

The estimate for the work was \$581,000.

Results of Consultation

The standard roadworks information leaflet has been circulated inviting comments relating to the project and all enquires and comments from residents and others have been satisfactorily resolved.

Mr Frie van der Krabben of City Care Ltd has given an assurance that the work can be completed within the specified time.

The Board **resolved** that the lowest price conforming tender of City Care Ltd for the sum of \$566,248.50 be accepted.