18. CONTRACT NO 98/99-227 -BEXLEY ROAD/DYERS ROAD/BRIDGE STREET/ BREEZES ROAD ROUNDABOUT

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The purpose of this report is to obtain Board approval for acceptance of a tender which is above the \$300,000 authority delegated to Council Officers.

As the project lies on the boundary between the Burwood/Pegasus and the Hagley/Ferrymead Boards this report is being sent to both Boards.

The contract is for the construction of kerbs, channels, AC paths/cycleways, grassed berms, landscaping, fencing relocation, timber retaining walls, drainage works and new carriageway pavement to form a large diameter roundabout at the Bexley Road/Dyers Road/Bridge Street/Breezes Road intersection.

Included in the above Contract is the installation of signage and application of new road markings.

Tender prices have been received as follows:

Technic Canterbury	\$382,670.15
BD Construction (Alternative)	\$424,425.00
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Canroad Construction	\$438,755.50
Local Construction	\$444,973.30
Francis Construction	\$467,299.00
Taggart Construction	\$473,323.10
Fulton Hogan	\$519,935.70
Waddell Holdings	\$522,265.58
Laing Contractors	\$544,609.35

All prices exclude GST.

These prices include a contingency sum of \$50,000 and the work is for a thirteen (13) week period and is to be completed by 30 June 1999.

The estimate for the work was \$480,000.

The standard roadworks information leaflet has been circulated inviting comments relating to the project and all enquiries and comments from residents and others have been satisfactorily resolved (*refer attached*).

Mr Hugh Ollivier of Technic Canterbury Limited has given an assurance that the work can be completed within the specified time. Since tenders closed on 2 December 1998, Technic Canterbury Limited have been bought out by Works Civil Construction Limited and Technic have assigned all their outstanding contracts and commitments to Works Civil Construction Limited.

Recommendation:	That the lowest price conforming tender of Works Civil Construction
	Limited (Technic Canterbury Limited) for the sum of \$382,670.15 be
	accepted.

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Recommendation:	That the aforementioned recommendation be adopted.