

22. CHRISTCHURCH WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT CAPACITY UPGRADE REGISTRATIONS OF INTEREST TO TENDER FOR THE SECOND MAJOR UPGRADE CONTRACT

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The purpose of this report is to gain approval to seek tenders from a recommended list of potential tenderers for a further major part of the work associated with the Capacity Upgrade of the Christchurch Wastewater Treatment Plant.

The recommended list of potential tenderers will be tabled at the Committee meeting.

BACKGROUND

In February 1999 and as part of the eight year, \$33.6m Christchurch Wastewater Treatment Plant Capacity Upgrade project, the Council let a large essentially civil works contract to Daniel Smith Industries for \$7.694m to construct the first two of four large new clarifiers and the installation of a new channel works and sludge pumping station and ancillary works.

The next stage of the work is a diverse package involving a number of different disciplines and types of equipment supply, that together provide for the operation of the first stage of the expanded treatment plant. The elements of this contract include the supply and installation of, sludge pumps, aeration blowers, pipework and diffusers, high voltage electric cabling and switchboards, sludge thickening equipment, and the building of switchboard room and sludge thickening building and the construction of the new oxidation pond inlet structure.

REGISTRATIONS OF INTEREST

Due to the diversity and complexity of this proposed work, staff in conjunction with the Beca/City Design consortium deem it prudent to pre select companies to be invited to tender for the work. Registration of Interest has been advertised and the list of companies recommended to be invited to tender will be selected by a weighted attribute method that evaluates company profile, relevant experience, company resources, sub-contractors, timeframe, safety record and health and safety management procedures, planning systems and so on.

The list of companies that have registered interest in tendering for the work will be presented to the Committee as a supplementary report with a recommendation as to which companies be invited to tender. This recommendation will have been independently reviewed by the Council’s Project Management Consultant for the upgrade work, David McLernon of Octa and Associates.

Recommendation: That the information be received.

Chairman’s Recommendation: Not seen by Chairman.