

17. **CONTRACT NO 2000/01-275 – MAINTENANCE PAVEMENT REMARKING FOR AREA 2**

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Corporate Plan Output: Roading System Maintenance Traffic Services	

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

This contract is for the maintenance and pavement remarking of all carriageway road markings, including the maintenance of all reflective raised pavement markers, on approximately 500 km of carriageway in the Riccarton, Wigram, Spreydon and Heathcote Wards of the Christchurch City Council's area.

This work is being tendered in accordance with the requirements of the Transit New Zealand Amendment Act (1995) which requires the Council to publicly tender all Transfund financially assisted maintenance work.

The incumbent contractor is City Care Ltd who were the lowest tenderer when the work was last tendered in 1998.

The tenders have been evaluated by the weighted attribute method as set out in the Transfund New Zealand "Competitive Pricing Procedures Manual" and specified in the contract documents clause 106.1 of the "Conditions of Tendering". This method takes into account the tenderers abilities in relation to this project in such things as experience, track record, methodology, management skills, as well as price.

The results of the evaluation of the tenders is as follows:

	<i>Weighted Attribute Score</i>	<i>Tender Price</i>
City Care Ltd	61	\$310,746.85
Spraymarks Ltd	58	\$323,646.50
Fulton Hogan Ltd	55	\$324,670.50

All prices exclude GST.

These prices include a contingency sum of \$40,000 and the work is for 18 months with possible extensions for a further three years based on the contractor's performance.

It is intended to fund this work from the traffic services budget for 2000/01, 2001/02 and 2002/03.

The estimate for this work is \$307,000 (based on rates in Area 1 tendered six months ago).

As required by clause 2.7.2 "Tender Evaluation – Weighted Attribute Method" of the Transfund New Zealand "Competitive Pricing Procedures Manual", "the tendering authority shall only enter into a contract for the tender which scores the highest overall index.

Recommendation: That the tender with the highest weighted attribute score and the lowest tender price from City Care Ltd for \$310,746.85 be accepted.

Chairman's Recommendation: That the above recommendation be adopted.