

December 1, 2022

The Stonington Board of Selectmen held a special meeting on this date at the Stonington Town Hall at 2:00 p.m. Present were First Selectman Danielle Chesebrough; Selectwoman June Strunk and Selectwoman Debbie Motycka Downie were available via a conference phone line. No members of the public or press were present.

(1) Call to Order

Ms. Chesebrough called the meeting to order at 2:00 p.m.

(2) Comments from the Public

None

(3) New Business

Award of Bid – South Anguilla Road Bridge Rehabilitation

Mr. Chris Greenlaw, Town Engineer, gave a brief overview stating that the Department of Public Works received five (5) bids for the South Anguilla Bridge bid on October 28, 2022. The construction project includes the bridge parapet walls, installation of new guiderails, milling and paving of the bridge deck and approaches. Although the low bid was to Old Colony Construction, LLC. for the amount of \$322,334.00, staff is recommending award to the second low bidder Suchocki & Sons, Inc. for the total of \$ 338,445. This recommendation is based on the review of references provided by consultant, WMC Engineers. WMC has reviewed the bid and performed reference inquiries. As part of the WMC review, it was determined that the low bid contractor Old Colony Construction, LLC has a performance history of extended project timelines and schedules that would derive increased costs for construction administration and inspection, at a minimum. The bid documents allow for the Town to reject any and all bidders and reserves the right to award the work to a proposer other than the one which submitted the lowest price.

A motion was made by Ms. Downie, seconded by Ms. Strunk and voted unanimously to recommend to the Board of Finance that the award for the Rehabilitation of Bridge #04790 South Anguilla Road Over Anguilla Brook go to Suchocki & Sons, Inc. for the amount of \$338,445.00.

(4) Comments from the Selectmen

None

(5) Adjourn

There being no further business to come before this Board, the meeting adjourned at 2:10 p.m.



Stacey Haskell

Recording Secretary