

Special Meeting  
November 8, 2011 5:30 p.m.  
City of Oswego

Present: Councilmembers Darren Tynan, Ty Lewis, Bill Owens, Jane Rea with Mayor Glenn Fischer presiding.

Absent: Councilmembers Dee Brown and Terry Edwards.

The meeting was called to discuss a change order for patching road cuts from the water distribution project.

Kenny LaForge, LaForge Construction requested a change in the pavement type "asphalt surface or brick paved area". The details of plan drawings (49 of 50) show 8" of concrete and 2" asphalt for the top surface. LC is requesting is to install 8" of a 'high early' strength concrete 8" thick. He advised in an email dated October 13 that this method is identical to that which KDOT uses on major highway road patches in our area. Some of the advantages are:

- traffic can be driving on the patch within 24 hours or less.
- additional concrete strength -8 sack mix proposed
- according to his sources the contractor who grinds will have no concerns in regard to costs for a small piece of concrete along a street, assuming no rebar is present.
- the concrete will provide a more durable driving surface with little to no maintenance.

He went on to say the designed method, using asphalt top, would be very difficult to maintain traffic control and access to homes during the patching process. It is anticipated that this work will take place in late winter as weather permits, which may be prior to any asphalt plants opening. He feels they could have the patches done with concrete before asphalt was even available. This change was to be done with a no cost change order for the revised method requested.

Supt. Allison explained that LC would widen the cut at least one foot on each side (further if the asphalt is broken up so they have a clean cut); which overall will provide a better product for the city, since we plan to overlay within less than a year after the project is complete.

Owens made a motion and Lewis seconded to approve the proposed change at no additional cost. Motion carried.

Owens made a motion and Tynan seconded to adjourn the meeting at 5:36 p.m.

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Glenn Fischer, Mayor

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Cheri R. Peine, City Clerk