

DUNDEE CITY COUNCIL

REPORT TO: Leisure, Arts and Communities Committee - 25 October 2010

REPORT ON: Tender for the Supply and Erection of Pedestrian Trip Rail

REPORT BY: Director of Leisure and Communities

REPORT NO: 632-2010

1.0 PURPOSE OF REPORT

1.1 To seek committee approval for the supply and erection of pedestrian trip rail for the Leisure and Communities Department.

2.0 RECOMMENDATIONS

2.1 That the committee agree to tender submitted by P and G Blacksmith, Dundee. After evaluation the suppliers listed are the most advantageous regarding quality and service.

3.0 FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

3.1 The cost of £10,000 can be met from the 2010/2011 Capital budget allocated to Leisure and Communities

4.0 MAIN TEXT

4.1 The older existing trip rail that provides a boundary between the footpath/cycle path and the parkland at the Esplanade, Brought Ferry and presents a hazard at various locations, is in need of replacement. It is therefore proposed that as part of a longer term program that this rail be replaced with a metal railing to a similar specification as an earlier improvement which has proven to be more robust and fits well with the existing environment.

4.2 Tender documentation was sent to three companies and two were returned (see Appendix 1)

4.3 It is recommended that the following offer from P and G Blacksmith , Dundee of £10,000 be accepted as being the most advantageous and to specification.

5.0 POLICY IMPLICATIONS

This report has been screened for any policy implications in respect of Sustainability, Strategic Environmental Assessment, Anti-Poverty, Equality Impact Assessment and Risk Management.

There are no major issues.

6.0 CONSULTATIONS

The Chief Executive, Depute Chief Executive (Support Services), Assistant Chief Executive and Director of Finance have been consulted on this report and are in agreement with its contents.

7.0 BACKGROUND PAPERS

None

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SUPPLY AND ERECTION OF PEDESTRIAN FOOTRAIL**MAXIMUM SPEND £10,000**

COMPANY	LINEAR METRES	£ PER METRE
DUNDEE CONTRACT SERVICES 353 CLEPINGTON ROAD DUNDEE, DD3 8PL	146 METRES	£68.49
P AND G BLACKSMITHS 12 FAIRFIELD STREET DUNDEE ,DD3 8HY	256 METRES	£39.00
N.MCMURTIE BLACKSMITHS 1 KELLAS ROAD WELLBANK , ANGUS	NO RETURN	NO RETURN