

COMMON COUNCIL

August 21, 2003

Mayor Marylou Stewart presided at a special meeting of the Common Council held at 7:25 PM on August 21, 2003, in the Common Council Chambers at One Court Plaza.

Present:

Mayor Marylou Stewart
Ald. Gary Clark
Ald. Robert Rabinowitz
Ald. Sharon Jeffer
Ald. Joseph Biviano

Also:

Clerk/Director of Finance Brian Molinaro
Fire Chief John Tighe
EMO A. Jones
Asa Allison, Delaware Engineering
Approximately 50 Firefighters
Deputy Clerk Donna Russell

Absent:

Ald. Jeffrey Thornton

RESOLUTION # 60 - 2003.

AWARDING BID FOR FIRE STATION RENOVATIONS AND
EXPANSION

Ald. Biviano introduced the following and moved its adoption:

WHEREAS, the City of Norwich has undertaken a Fire Department renovation project at its 31 East Main Street location; and

WHEREAS, financing has been secured for such project through bond and grant funding; and

WHEREAS, bids were received on August 19, 2003 for the renovation and expansion of the Norwich Fire Station; and

WHEREAS, the Engineer, Fire Chief and Public Works Committee have reviewed the bids and made certain recommendations; now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the bid for Fire Station Renovations and Expansion be awarded to the lowest qualified bidders meeting specifications as follows:

- CN2-G-03 -- General Construction to ConMas Incorporated of Binghamton, NY in the amount of \$1,565,000.00;
- CN2-E-03 -- Electrical Construction to Eppy Electric of Oneida, NY in the amount of \$210,086.00;
- CN2-M-03 -- Mechanical Construction to Louis Picciano & Sons, Inc. of Vestal, NY in the amount of \$311,500.00.

Seconded by Ald. Rabinowitz and duly adopted on a roll call vote, 5-0.

-- Prior to the vote, Ald. Biviano reiterated the Public Works Committee's position regarding any surplus funds there may be as a result of the low bids received. No surplus funds would be utilized until the project is complete. All suggestions and comments relative to the project should be directed to the Fire Chief.

Adjournment – Ald. Biviano moved to adjourn at 8:04 PM. Seconded by Ald. Jeffer and duly adopted, ayes all.