



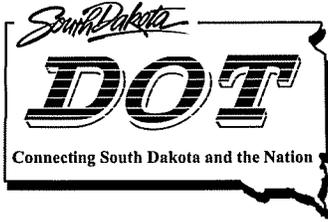
**October 07, 2020 thru October 14, 2020**

- 06-169-138 (north) on BC 77. Visited site on 10/07/2020.

Waiting for a timeline from Contractor for grading and asphalt, as of 10/14/2020. My hope is to provide at meeting.

County forces are going to address the Township gravel roads in Moody County when Brookings County 20 is closed during grading and asphalt.

- October 08, 2020 placement of shoulder material on Brookings County Road 25 to completed.
- 10/14/2020 Striping update. The SDDOT 80% County 20% striping project commenced and the contractor was asked to shut down due to the uneven job the contractor was performing. 09/28/2020 I met with SDDOT officials in regards to the dissatisfaction I had with the striping that had been completed so far.
  - County forces remarked centerline as the contractor was unclear of centerline was to be located, I am working on setting up a meeting with SDDOT but still waiting to hear back from SDDOT officials as the work the has been completed in Brookings County.
- 10/14/2020 Received SDDOT Bid Concurrence for the structure north of Bruce over the Sioux River.
  - Construction Schedule will be provided to the commission soon now that we have received DOT concurrence to award the contract.
  - Preparing the detour routes for locals, township and Hamlin County.



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October 14, 2020

Brian Gustad, Highway Superintendent  
Brookings County

RE: 2020 Bridge Improvement Grant Project  
BRF 6295(00)20-8, Brookings County, PCN 07TN  
Agreement #717152  
CONCURRENCE OF AWARD

Dear Mr. Gustad,

The following items for the noted project have been received and reviewed:

1. Bid Tabulation
2. Engineer's Estimate
3. County Commission's recommendation for action on bid proposal

The bid letting on September 29, 2020 resulted in a low bid of \$2,143,923.20 submitted by Sioux Falls Construction of Sioux Falls, SD. This low bid is 18.6% below the Engineer's Estimate; therefore, we concur with the award.

Please refer to your funding agreement for the terms of reimbursement. Reminder - To receive construction reimbursement, a copy of the signed contract between the county and the contractor must be submitted with the first construction billing. Additionally, a copy of the construction engineering contract between the county and consultant must be submitted, separately, with that first billing.

If you have any questions, please contact me at 773-3390.

Sincerely,

Cody Axlund, Bridge Replacement Engineer  
Local Government Assistance

cc: Banner Associates  
LGA – Doug Kinniburgh, Noël Clocksin, Coleen Kusser  
Proj. Dev. – Leah DeMers  
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