

Iowa Department of Natural Resources
Natural Resource Commission

ITEM	4	DECISION
TOPIC	Construction Projects	

Bids were opened March 26, 2009 for the following projects:

1. Palisades-Kepler State Park, Linn County – FEMA Related Silt Removal and Clean-up

This project consists of earthwork, riprap placement, crushed rock surfacing, pressure washing of stone walls, clearing of down trees and seeding as required by the Plans and the DNR Construction Inspector. The project will repair damage caused by the 2008 flood of the Cedar River and restore the riverbank in Palisades-Kepler State Park to a pre-2008 flood condition. The project was designed and will be inspected by Dave Heer, DNR Engineer. DNR estimate is \$90,000. Funding will be provided by 90% FEMA and 10% REAP Land Management Minors (Capital Link #157). 20 sets of plans were issued. 17 bids were received. 1 was returned as a late bid.

Arensdorf Excavating & Trucking, Inc.	Anamosa, IA	\$52,129.00
B & J Hauling & Excavation	Monticello, IA	\$52,234.90
Seaton Construction	Deep River, IA	\$69,985.00
Connolly Construction	Peosta, IA	\$70,104.50
Mainline Excavating Co. Inc.	Dubuque, IA	\$70,553.88
Cole Construction Company. Inc.	Keosauqua, IA	\$73,866.40
Rays Excavating LLC	Edgewood, IA	\$78,573.00
Taylor Construction, Inc.	New Vienna, IA	\$78,874.40
Michaels Construction	Adel, IA	\$82,613.00
Tschigffrie Excavating	Dubuque, IA	\$82,673.16
BWC Excavating LC	Solon, IA	\$82,769.31
Dolan Excavating	Manchester, IA	\$84,222.70
Borst Brothers Construction, Inc.	Marion, IA	\$84,653.65
Ricklefs Excavating, Ltd.	Anamosa, IA	\$95,074.00
DeLong Construction, Inc.	Washington, IA	\$97,846.80
ESCO Inc.	Solon, IA	\$103,737.00
F J Meyer Construction Co. Inc.	Mount Vernon, IA	\$152,076.21

Staff recommends the acceptance of the low bidder, Arensdorf Excavating & Trucking, Inc.

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