

China Creek North Park Upgrades Construction Contract

Park Board Committee Meeting Monday, September 17, 2018



Purpose of Presentation



To seek Board approval to award a contract for upgrades to China Creek North Park to TGK Irrigation Ltd. with a contract value of \$683,541.00 plus applicable taxes, through funding available in the 2018 Capital Budget, Neighbourhood Park Renewal Program.



Background – Context





Surrounded by:

- Residential
- Educational
- Business
- Transit

Background – Existing Conditions





Background – Existing Conditions Addressed in Contract





Track resurfacing



Playground replacement

Background – Existing Conditions Addressed in Contract







Accessibility issues on west hill

Background - Process



- 2015 city-wide playground assessment showed high replacement need due to age and condition
- Accessibility issues throughout park are a community concern
- Staff developed park designs in collaboration with community including field users, and Persons with Disabilities Advisory Committee (PWDAC)

Background - Process



- 2 public engagement sessions: December 2016, May
 2017 with positive feedback
- July 10, 2017 Board approved staff to proceed with detail design after reviewing and approving conceptual plans and public engagement results

2018 China Creek North Park Renewal

Concept Plan Approved by Board in July 2017



Scope of Work

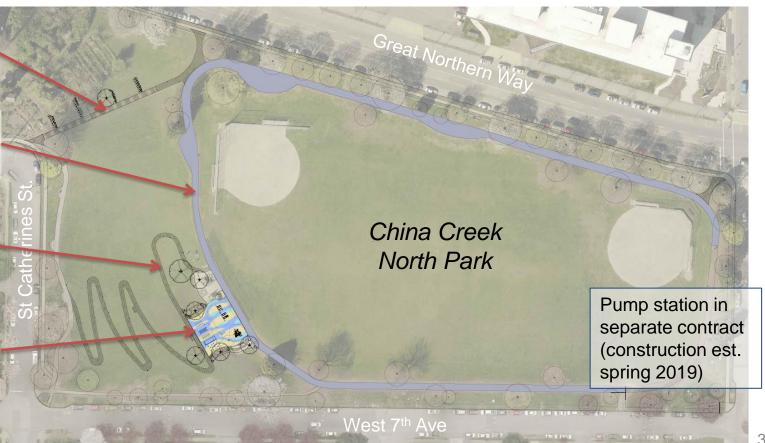


New Staircase

Track resurfacing

New Accessible Path

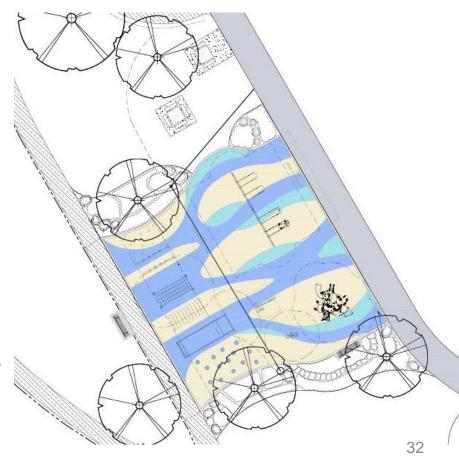
Renewed Playground



Scope of Work – Playground Renewal



- New play equipment:
 - Play structure (2-5 yrs)
 - Double-wide hill slide
 - Hillside climbing elements
 - Double spring rider
 - Swings (4 total)
- Patterned resilient safety surfacing
- New landscaping
- Seating benches and picnic tables
- Accessible connection from St. Catherine's St.



Project Challenges: Soil Contamination



- Site previously used as landfill
- Soils testing found metals exceeding the Contaminated Sites Regulation (CSR) parkland use (PL) standards at two locations
 - All contamination found below 12" depth
- Response:
 - Deep burial at Vancouver Landfill

Project Challenges: Japanese Beetle Management



- Agriculture Canada prohibits transport of soils (top 12") and plant materials outside the Japanese Beetle Regulation Area (containment zone).
- Response:
 - Soils will remain in the park
 - Plant materials will be taken to a local COV site for processing/management.

Tender Summary



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The ITT was issued in the accordance with Park Board's Procurement Policy. Bids were received from:

TGK Irrigation Ltd.	\$683,541.00
Wilco Civil Inc.	\$746,938.10
Canadian Landscape and Civil Services Ltd.	\$769,957.00
Western Watershed Designs Ltd.	\$796,777.69

 TGK Irrigation Ltd. recently completed the Dr. Sun Yat Sen Gardens pond renewal project.

Project Schedule



- Begin construction in early October 2018
- Substantial completion targeted for June 30, 2019
- Engineering works to begin in spring 2019 with an estimated 9 month construction period

Recommendation



- A. THAT the Vancouver Park Board authorize staff to enter into a contract with TGK Irrigation Ltd., for renovations at China Creek North Park with a contract value of \$683,541.00, plus applicable taxes to be funded through the 2018 Capital Budget.
- B. FURTHER THAT the Director of Legal Services, Chief Purchasing Official, and Park Board General Manager be authorized to execute on behalf of the Park Board the contract contemplated by Recommendation A; and
- C. THAT no legal rights or obligations will be created by the Park Board's adoption of Recommendations A and B above, until the contract is executed by the authorized signatories of the City and Park Board as set out in these Recommendations

