

Electrical Contracts Are Awarded To Shelby Firm

Shelby Electrical Co., the low bidder for electrical work on the new Citizens Service Center on Piedmont Ave., was awarded contract on an amended negotiated bid of \$37,150 by the city commission Wednesday.

William (Bill) Little, consulting engineer with Southeastern Company, told the board in a special meeting that negotiations have "brought the low bid in line with anticipated

costs" and reduced the Cleveland County firm's bid by \$12,750.

Other bidders were Hoke Electric Co. of Kings Mountain, \$51,996; and Basic Electric Co. of Charlotte, \$59,000.

To a question from Mayor John Henry Moes, Little said the use of aluminum wiring instead of copper in main feeder circuits and the reduction of the lighting level in the

building by one-third would not impair the quality of lighting the facility and would provide most adequate lighting and would not reduce effectiveness of the system. The reduction calls for eliminating of 18 power poles in the main building and some outlets in offices.

In a related matter, the board accepted the low bid of \$3650 by Line Metal Products of Asheville for 60 expanded 15x1.5x72 metal open form lockers for the Citizens Service Center. Other bidders

were Republic Steel, \$4822; and John Lendir Pella Window and Door, of Hickory, \$5607.

The board, on motion of Comm. James Childers and seconded by Comm. Humes Houston, authorized advertising of a city-owned house on McGinnis street across from the new public works building and approved an addition to the new pay scale plan to include a supply clerk for the new public works facility.

Engineer Little recommended that the board advertise for bids for electrical equipment for lighting the grounds of the new Governmental Services Facilities Building (City Hall) and new Citizens Service Center (Public Works) buildings and estimated a cost of \$39,000 for lighting, including wiring, transformers, pole standards, etc. for the Public Works Building at \$39,000 and \$80,000 for lighting, including underground cables from Gold Street and a loop feeder from two different circuits, at City Hall site. A primary cable will run underground from Piedmont to the public works site and steel poles will be used in front of the building with floodlights as features, said Little.

Mr. Little said no additional cost for lighting would be incurred in the expansion project at the Community Center.

The board, upon recommendation of the Mayor, adopted a resolution encouraging Cleveland County to qualify incorporated towns to be eligible for EDA funds to finalize ODEP requirement procedures.

A Public Hearing will be held on the following Rezoning Petition with the Board of Commissioners on Oct. 10, 1977 at 7:30 p. m. in Council Chambers.

Home Savings & Loan: Petition rezone property from L. I. to R. O. property located on the north side of West King Street, between Sims St. and Kings Mountain Hospital, Inc. property. Description as follows:

Beginning at an old iron in the North west corner of the intersection of W. King Street (US 74) and N. Sims Street; thence South 88-48-48 West 185.52 feet to an old iron West 99.08 feet thence North 52-26-00 West 163.02 feet to a point; thence North 18-40-00 East 290.04 feet to an iron; thence North 26-30-00 East 36.39 feet to an iron on the Southern side of Sipes Street; thence South 73-52'00 East 146.35 feet along Southern right of way of Sipes Street to an old iron; thence South 52-13-12 East 184.9 feet to an old iron; thence South 53 07 16 East 154.92 feet to an old iron on the Western Sims Street; thence South 15-43-16 West 323.80 feet along Western right of way of Sims Street back to the point of beginning.

KMUF Report

Oct. 14

Final reporting day for United Fund contributions in the 1978 appeal for \$45,000 will be Oct. 14, UF President Larry Wood said yesterday.

Mr. Wood and Pat Cheshire, campaign chairman, said all volunteers are urged to make their final reports as soon as possible.

KM Schools reported total pledges and contributions of \$3,150, this week, said Becky Scism, treasurer.

Champion Lands Big Contract

Champion Landscaping and Excavation of Kings Mountain has received a contract from the U. S. Department of Interior for \$1.3 million in site improvements at Cowpens National Battlefield.

Improvements include relocating roadways and water mains and removing vacated buildings at the site.

Cowpens is 26 miles from Kings Mountain National Military Park. It was the site of a Revolutionary War battle fought on Jan. 17, 1781, patriot Cmdr. Gen. Daniel Morgan defeated Col. Banastre Tarleton's Tory forces. It was the second decisive American victory prior to the victory at Yorktown.

Bridges Named To Post

A prominent Kings Mountain businessman, Bobby Bridges of City Auto & Truck Parts, Inc., has been named to the Board of Directors of the North Carolina Automotive Wholesalers Association (NCAWA).

The announcement of Bridges' election came at the recent annual convention of the NCAWA at Myrtle Beach.

Fire, Police Units On Display Saturday

To punctuate Fire Observance Week the Kings Mountain Fire and Police Departments will present public information programs in the central business district this Saturday.

Fire Chief Gene Tignor said, "Our department will station a fire truck on Battleground Ave. and have informational officers on hand to answer questions on fire safety."

Police Chief J. D. Barrett will station

Crime Prevention Officer Houston Corn and Det. Sgt. Richard Reynolds downtown Saturday to display the PDs' new crime prevention and crime scene search vans.

Chief Barrett said, "The vans will be open for public viewing and the officers will answer questions on the operations of the vehicles."

The fire department display will be on the street at 9 a. m.

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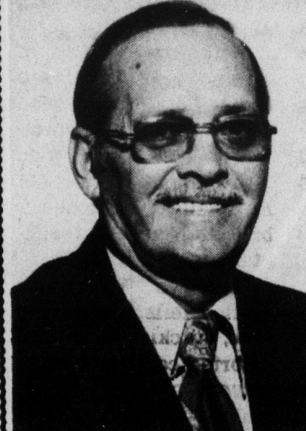
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