



BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
AGENDA LETTER

Agenda Number:

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
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Santa Barbara, CA 93101
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Department Name: Public Works
Department No.: 054
For Agenda Of: November 10, 2020
Placement: Administrative
Estimated Time: N/A
Continued Item: No
If Yes, date from:
Vote Required: Majority

TO: Board of Supervisors
FROM: Department Director Scott D. McGolpin, Public Works Director, 568-3010
Contact Info: Chris Sneddon, Deputy Director, Transportation, 568-3064
SUBJECT: East Mountain Drive Bridge at San Ysidro Creek; County Project No. 864048;
First Supervisorial District

County Counsel Concurrence

As to form: Yes

Other Concurrence: Risk Management

As to form: Yes

Auditor-Controller Concurrence

As to form: Yes

Recommended Actions:

That the Board of Supervisors:

- a) Approve the plans and specifications on file in the Public Works Department office for construction of East Mountain Drive Bridge at San Ysidro Creek; County Project No. 864048; First Supervisorial District;
- b) Award the attached construction contract, East Mountain Drive Bridge at San Ysidro Creek; County Project No. 864048 in the amount of \$252,393 to the lowest responsible bidder, Peter Lapidus Construction (a local vendor) Post Office Box 1262, Carpinteria, CA 93014, subject to the provision of documents and certifications, as set forth in the specifications applicable to the project, as required under California Law;
- c) Approve and authorize the Director of Public Works or designee, to approve change orders for a contingency amount up to \$25,470 and supplemental items of \$7,000, for the construction of County Project 864048 for a total not to exceed authorization of \$284,863;
- d) Approve and authorize the Chair to execute the attached construction contract, which has been reviewed and approved by County Counsel, Auditor-Controller and Risk Manager, or their authorized representatives; and
- e) Determine the project was found by the Board to be exempt from the provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act and that the Director of Public Works or designee was authorized to advertise for bids to construct this project on November 6, 2018. A Notice of Exemption was filed on this basis on September 26, 2018, and the proposed action is within the scope of the above reference Notice of Exemption.

Summary Text:

This item is on the agenda to award a construction contract for the replacement of Bridge No. 51C-202, East Mountain Drive over San Ysidro Creek. On October 16, 2020, three (3) bids were opened for the East Mountain Drive Bridge at San Ysidro Creek Project (“Project”); County Project No. 864048. Peter Lapidus Construction submitted the lowest responsive and responsible bid in the amount of \$252,393 which is 2% below the Engineer’s Estimate.

This project was bid in accordance with the Public Contract Code, which requires the award go to the lowest responsive and responsible bidder. The Department analyzed the bids and determined the low bid is responsive and responsible. The Department recommends awarding this contract to Peter Lapidus Construction.

Background:

This project will reconstruct a bridge destroyed during the 1/9/18 Thomas Fire Debris Flow. Construction will include structure excavation; placing two cast-in-drilled hole concrete foundation piles at each abutment, two cast-in-place reinforced concrete abutments; and erecting a seventy five feet long, fourteen feet wide, county-furnished steel bridge structure on the abutments. Once the bridge is in place, the approach roads will be reconstructed.

As was the case before the debris flow, this bridge will be primary used as a bicycle and pedestrian access to adjacent trails and public recreational easements. The bridge will be closed to vehicular traffic except during emergencies, when first responders will have access.

Fiscal and Facilities Impacts:

Budgeted: Yes

Fiscal Analysis:

<u>Funding Sources</u>	<u>Current FY Cost:</u>	<u>Total One-Time Project Cost</u>
SCE Settlement	\$ 284,863	\$ 284,863
Total	\$ 284,863	\$ 284,863

Narrative:

The total construction costs, including supplemental work and contingencies, amounts to \$284,863. Funds for this project are budgeted in Dept. 054, Fund 0017, Org. 0600, Program 2820, Account 7510.

Key Contract Risks:

This contract has been assigned a risk assessment of standard. The project is fully funded in the current fiscal year budget.

Special Instructions:

Please forward the following items to Gail Ocheltree in the Public Works Department, Transportation Division, 123 E. Anapamu St., Santa Barbara, extension 83094:

- A certified, stamped Minute Order approving these recommendations
- One original executed contract to remain with the Clerk of the Board and one original duplicate signature sheet to be returned to Public Works, Transportation Division.
- Original, fully-executed Special Provisions signature sheet, (keep a copy for your files)
- Original, fully-executed Title Sheet half-size) (keep a copy for your files)

Attachments:

Attachment A: Contract for the Construction of East Mountain Drive Bridge at San Ysidro Creek; County Project No. 864048 (2 original signature sheets)

Attachment B: Special Provisions Sheet

Attachment C: Title Sheet

Attachment D: Copy of Notice of Exemption filed September 26, 2018

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