



BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
AGENDA LETTER

Agenda Number:

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
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Department Name: Public Works
Department No.: 054
For Agenda Of: September 9, 2008
Placement: Administrative
Estimated Tme: N/A
Continued Item: No
If Yes, date from:
Vote Required: Majority

TO: Board of Supervisors
FROM: Department Scott D. McGolpin, Public Works Director x3010
Director
Contact Info: Dacé B. Morgan, Deputy Director, Transportation x3064
SUBJECT: Construction of 2008/09 Zaca Fire Repair on Santa Barbara Canyon Road in the
5th Supervisorial District of Santa Barbara County, Project No. 810533

County Counsel Concurrence

As to form: Yes

Other Concurrence: Risk Management

As to form: Yes

Recommended Actions:

That the Board of Supervisors:

- A. Approve plans and specifications for Construction of 2008/09 Zaca Fire Repair on Santa Barbara Canyon Road in the 5th Supervisorial District of Santa Barbara County, Project No. 810533;
- B. Award the construction contract in the amount of \$ 359,546.40 to the lowest responsive bidder, Union Asphalt, Inc. (a local vendor), P.O. Box 1280, Santa Maria, Ca 93456-1280, subject to the provisions of documents and certification as set forth in the plans specifications applicable to the project and as required by law;
- C. Authorize the Chair to execute the construction contract upon return of the Contractor's executed contract documents , the review and approval of the County Counsel, Auditor-Controller, Risk Manager or their authorized representative;
- D. Approve a contingency fund in the amount of \$ 30,477.32 for Construction of 2008/09 Zaca Fire Repair on Santa Barbara Canyon Road in the 5th Supervisorial District of Santa Barbara County, Project No. 810533.

Auditor-Controller Concurrence

As to form: Yes

Summary Text:

On Thursday, August 14th, 2008, seven (7) bids were opened for the Construction of 2008/09 Zaca Fire Repair on Santa Barbara Canyon Road in the 5th Supervisorial District of Santa Barbara County, Project No. 810533. The lowest responsive bid was submitted by Union Asphalt, Inc. (a local vendor), a California Corporation, in the amount of \$ 359,546.40. This amount is 13.3% under the Engineer's Estimate. Public Works staff has performed analysis of the bid received and has determined that the bid is responsive and reasonable and recommends awarding this contract to Union Asphalt, Inc.

The proposed project is located on Santa Barbara Canyon Road in the unincorporated area of Cuyama in the County of Santa Barbara. It includes overlaying a total of 3.0 miles of the road, from Foot Hill Road to South End, using a Type B asphalt concrete.

This project was bid in accordance with the Public Contract Code, which requires awarding to the lowest responsive bidder.



Santa Barbara Canyon Road, Cuyama

Background: On July 4th 2007, the Zaca Fire started north of Los Olivos and east of Foxen Canyon Road. By August 3rd, the Santa Barbara County Board of Supervisors declared a local emergency in response to the changing situation of the Zaca Fire and also activated its Emergency Operation Center. Governor Arnold Schwarzenegger visited the County’s Emergency Operation Center on the same date and signed a state declaration of emergency for the Zaca Fire. By the time it was fully contained on September 4, 2007, the Zaca Fire had burned approximately 240,207 acres.

During the 60 days of fire control efforts and subsequent demobilization and clean up, Santa Barbara Canyon Road sustained significant road damage. This road was used as a primary entry point into the Los Padres National Forest and out of the Richardson Camp in New Cuyama. Traffic included transportation of heavy equipment, bulldozers, water trucks, fire engines and personnel around the clock. Santa Barbara Canyon Road is also the only access to many residents at the south end of the road.

This project allows for rehabilitation of Santa Barbara Canyon Road utilizing State Office of Emergency Services (OES) funds in combination with a match from local Measure D funds.

Fiscal and Facilities Impacts:

Budgeted: Yes

Fiscal Analysis:

<u>Funding Sources</u>	<u>Current FY Cost:</u>	<u>Annualized On-going Cost:</u>	<u>Total One-Time Project Cost</u>
OES			\$ 356,250.00
Meas D			\$ 33,773.72
Federal			
Fees			
Other:			
Total	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 390,023.72

Narrative:

This project will be allocated through OES funds for 91% of the cost; Measure D funds will provide the remaining 9%.

The funds for OES and Measure D for this project are budgeted in Fund 0016, Org Unit 0500, Program 2920, Department 054, and Account 7510.

Staffing Impacts:

Legal Positions:
None

FTEs:
None

Special Instructions:

Please provide a certified stamped Minute Order approving these actions to the Public Works Transportation Division, Engineering Section. Attention: Beverly Cross.

Attachments:

Construction Contract for Construction of 2008/09 Zaca Fire Repair on Santa Barbara Canyon Road in the 5th Supervisorial District of Santa Barbara County, Project No. 810533

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