

**SANTA BARBARA COUNTY
BOARD AGENDA LETTER**



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TO: Board of Directors
Santa Barbara County Flood Control and Water Conservation District

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SUBJECT: **Walnut-College Storm Drain Laterals Project (LC8305),
Fourth Supervisorial District**

Recommendation(s):

That the Board of Directors:

- A. Approve the Walnut- College Storm Drain Laterals Project (LC8305) and the attached CEQA Notice of Exemption (post);
- B. Approve plans and specifications for the project; and
- C. Authorize the Public Works Director to advertise and receive bids for the project.

Alignment with Board Strategic Plan:

The recommendations are primarily aligned with Goal No. 2. A Safe and Healthy Community in Which to Live, Work, and Visit.

Executive Summary and Discussion:

On August 25, 1986, a Joint Powers of Agreement (JPA) was entered into between the District and the City of Lompoc (City) for cost sharing and coordination of the Walnut-College Storm Drain Laterals Project. The JPA provides for coordination of design, construction, and maintenance efforts, and sharing of certain project costs. Since then, there have been changes of responsibility and costs associated with the project. A revised JPA was developed identifying these changes. This JPA was approved by the City Council on May 6, 2003. The revised JPA will be scheduled for your Board's approval at a later date as appropriate.

The project is located on Walnut Avenue between 3rd and A Streets and on College Avenue between A and D Streets in the City of Lompoc. The project consists of installing storm drainpipes, manholes, and drop inlet structures at both locations. The construction of this project will address

the current drainage problems that occur at the intersections of Walnut Avenue and A Street and at College Avenue and A Street during rainfall events.

This project is anticipated to begin construction this summer.

Mandates and Service Levels:

This project will increase flood protection to the residents in this area.

Fiscal and Facilities Impacts:

This project was included in the Adopted 2002/03 Budget and costs were allocated in the Design Cost Center under the Water Resources Division of the Public Works Department as shown on page D-300 in the budget book. The project is also included in the 2003-04 Proposed Budget since costs of the project will continue into next fiscal year. Costs from this project will be paid from Dept: 054, Acct: 8700, Fund: 2470, Program: 3005. This project is also identified in the County's Capital Improvement Plan.

Special Instructions:

Direct the Clerk of the Board to post the attached notice of exemption and to send a copy of the minute order of this action to the Flood Control District office, Attn: Christina Lopez.

