

SANTA BARBARA COUNTY BOARD AGENDA LETTER



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Agenda Number:
Prepared on: 5/14/03
Department Name: Public Works
Department No.: 054/02/02
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Placement: Administrative
Estimate Time:
Continued Item: NO
If Yes, date from:

TO: Board of Supervisors

FROM: Phillip M. Demery, Director
Public Works

STAFF CONTACT: Eric Pearson, 681-5686
Construction Manager

SUBJECT: Construction of the Stagecoach Road Landslide Project No. 03STRM, Storm Area 3T01- Third Supervisorial District

Recommendation(s):

That the Board of Supervisors:

- A. Approve and authorize the execution of Change Order No. 2 in the amount of \$139,600.00 for construction and installation of an extension of the slope protection drapery to areas of the new slide adjacent to this original slide area of County Project No. 03STRM, Storm Area 3T01. This extension would make the total construction cost \$327,315.00

Alignment with Board Strategic Plan:

The recommendation is primarily aligned with Goal No. 1, An efficient Government Able to Respond Effectively to the Needs of the Community.

Executive Summary and Discussion:

On December 23, 2002, a large rock and boulder landslide occurred on Stagecoach Road at approximately one third-mile from Highway 154. The landslide forced the closure of the road for public safety reasons and the road remained closed while AIS Construction, Inc. of Carpinteria, CA, under a sole-source contract approved by the Board on January 21, 2003, placed a cable mesh drapery cover over the slide area. This project is 95% complete.

Recent rains have triggered an additional landslide on this slope in areas adjacent to the original slide. Also, cracks in the formations can be seen developing which indicates potential additional sliding in the near future. The road is again closed for reasons of public safety on May 7, 2003.

Staff recommends approval of this Change Order to the contract to provide funds for an 84' x 184' extension of the cable mesh drapery covering this new slide area. This should be done on an emergency basis so that the road can be safely opened as soon as possible and minimize the inconvenience to the traveling public. The required permits have been issued for the work, and this permit includes the new slide area.



Mandates and Service Levels:

No change in programs or service levels.

Fiscal and Facilities Impacts:

Measure 'D' funding for this project is budgeted in Fund 0015, Org Unit 0002, Program 2900, Department 054 and Account 7511. Costs for this project will be tracked in the event that future winter weather causes damage in the county that warrants disaster relief.

Special Instructions:

Please provide a certified stamped Minute Order approving these actions to the Construction Section, Attention: Linda Thompson.

Concurrence:

County Counsel
Auditor Controller
Risk Manager