



BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
AGENDA LETTER

Agenda Number:

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
105 E. Anapamu Street, Suite 407
Santa Barbara, CA 93101
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Department Name: Public Works
Department No.: 054/02/02
For Agenda Of: 07/11/2006
Placement: Administrative
Estimate Time:
Continued Item: NO
If Yes, date from:
Vote Required Majority

TO: Board of Supervisors

FROM: Department Director: Phillip M. Demery, Director, 568-3010
Public Works Department
Contact Info: Scott D. McGolpin, Deputy Director, 568-3064
Public Works Department, Transportation Division

SUBJECT: Channel Clearing North of Santa Rosa Road at Mile Post 9.3;
Third Supervisorial District; County Project No. 310310

County Counsel Concurrence:

As to form/legality: Yes No N/A

Auditor-Controller Concurrence:

As to form: Yes No N/A

Recommended Action(s):

That the Board of Supervisors:

- A. Approve the plans and specifications for the Channel Clearing North of Santa Rosa Road at Mile Post 9.3, County Project No. 310310;
- B. Award the construction contract in the amount of \$267,145.00 to the lowest responsible bidder on the Base Bid Items plus Supplemental Items plus Alternate 1, Granite Construction Co., a California Corporation (A Local Vendor), 585 W. Beach Street, Watsonville, California, 95076, subject to the provision of documents and certifications, as set forth in the plans and 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 and the review and approval of the County Counsel, Auditor-Controller, and Risk Manager or their authorized representatives; and
- D. Approve a contingency fund in the amount of \$25,857.25 for Channel Clearing North of Santa Rosa Road at Mile Post 9.3, County Project No. 310310.

Summary:

On Thursday, June 15, 2006, six (6) bids were opened for the Channel Clearing North of Santa Rosa Road at Mile Post 9.3, County Project No. 310310. The lowest responsible total bid was submitted by Granite Construction Inc., a California Corporation (Not a Local Vendor), in the amount of \$267,145.00, which is 31%

below the Engineer's Estimate. Reasons for the low bid include Granite Construction's ownership of a nearby quarry; and Granite Construction's proximity to the project site (they have an office and yard in Buellton). Public Works staff has performed an analysis of the bids received and has determined that the low bid is reasonable and recommends awarding this contract to Granite Construction Co to build the Base Bid Items and Alternate 1.

This project was bid in accordance with Public Contract Code Section 20103.8, Subdivision c, which specifies how the award is to be made to the lowest responsible bidder.

Background:

This project will remove accumulated sediment from part of Shale Creek Channel, and will place rock slope protection on the channel bank. The project begins on the north side of Santa Rosa Road, and extends northwesterly along Shale Creek Channel for approximately 1,800 feet. The rock slope protection will extend approximately 150 feet along the outside of a channel bend, on the north channel bank. The County is required to perform this channel clearing work to fulfill requirements of a settlement agreement between the County and the property owner Mr. Russell Lugli.



**Channel Clearing North of Santa Rosa Road on Shale Creek
Looking Northwest (downstream)**

Construction is scheduled to begin in August 2006, and will last approximately two months.

The project and the CEQA Notice of Exemption were approved by your Board on May 17, 2005. Your Board also approved this project as part of the FY 2005/06 Measure D Program of Projects and FY 2006/07 Measure D Program of Projects for the County of Santa Barbara.

Fiscal and Facilities Impacts:

The total project funding including contingencies is \$293,002.26. Funding is provided by Measure D revenues and the funds have been budgeted in Dept. 054, Fund 0015, Org 0002, Program 2900, and Account 7511.

Budgeted: Yes No

Fiscal Analysis

<u>Funding Sources</u>	<u>Current FY Cost:</u>	<u>Annualized Cost:</u>	<u>Total Project Cost</u>
General Fund	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
State	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Federal	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Fees	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Other:	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$293,002.25
Other:	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Total:	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 293,002.25

Narrative:

Staffing Impact(s):

Legal Positions:

FTEs:

None

Special Instructions:

Please forward copies of the Minute Order approving these recommendations to:

1. Public Works Department, Transportation Division, Engineering Section, Attn: Beverly Cross
2. Public Works Department, Transportation Division, Accounting Section, Attn: Donna Manuel
3. Office of the County Counsel, Attn: Michael Youngdahl

Attachments: (list all)

Construction Contract for Channel Clearing North of Santa Rosa Road at Mile Post 9.3, Third Supervisorial District, County Project Number 310310.

Authored by: Sarah Craig, Civil Engineer, 568-3060

cc: