

**SANTA BARBARA COUNTY
BOARD AGENDA LETTER**



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-Agenda Number:
Prepared on: 01/23/04
Department Name: Public Works
Department No.: 054/02/02
Agenda Date: 02/10/04
Placement: Administrative
Estimate Time:
Continued Item: NO
If Yes, date from:

TO: Board of Supervisors

FROM: Phillip M. Demery, Director
Public Works

STAFF CONTACT: Dace Morgan, 568-3047
Engineering Manager

SUBJECT: Seismic Retrofit of Padaro Lane Overhead Bridge No. 51C-161 Federal Project No. STPLZ-5951 (094) near the town of Summerland in the First Supervisorial District of Santa Barbara County, County Project No. 862029

Recommendation(s):

That the Board of Supervisors:

- A. Approve plans and specifications for the Seismic Retrofit of Padaro Lane Overhead Bridge No. 51C-161 Federal Project No. STPLZ-5951 (094) near the town of Summerland in the First Supervisorial District of Santa Barbara County, County Project No. 862029;
- B. Award the construction contract in the amount of \$ 434,306.60 to the lowest responsible bidder Lash Construction, Inc, (A Local Vendor), P.O. Box 4640, Santa Barbara, California 93140, subject to the provisions of documents and certification, 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;
- D. Approve a contingency fund in the amount of \$ 34,215.33 for the Seismic Retrofit of Padaro Lane Overhead Bridge No. 51C-161 Federal Project No. STPLZ-5951 (094) near the town of Summerland in the First Supervisorial District of Santa Barbara County, County Project No. 862029.

Alignment with Board Strategic Plan:

The recommendation(s) are primarily aligned with Goal No. 1, An Efficient Government Able to Respond Effectively to the Needs of the Community.

Executive Summary and Discussion:

On Tuesday, January 22, 2004, Eight (8) bids were opened for the Seismic Retrofit of Padaro Lane Overhead Bridge No. 51C-161 Federal Project No. STPLZ-5951 (094) near the town of Summerland in the First Supervisorial District of Santa Barbara County, County Project No. 862029. The lowest responsible bid was submitted by Lash Construction, Inc. in the amount of \$ 434,306.60. Staff has performed an analysis of the bids received and has determined that the low bid is responsible and reasonable. Therefore, Staff recommends awarding this contract to Lash Construction, Inc.

The proposed project consists of seismic retrofitting Bridge 51C-161, by installing four 48” diameter cast in drill hole piles and two pile caps. The existing columns will be fitted with steel casings and their footings will receive an additional top mat of reinforced concrete. All the proposed work will be performed within the confines of the existing structure.

The installation of the new pilings and pile caps will require that Padaro Lane be closed from Highway 101 to the Loon Point Parking Area for approximately 6 weeks. Public Works has contacted the Padaro Lane Homeowner’s Association and informed them of the closure. Prior to the start of construction, Public Works will mail out informational flyers to the residents along Padaro Lane. The detour will be to reroute local traffic to Santa Claus Lane for the duration of the closure of Padaro Lane.



This project was approved as a part of the FY 02/03 Capital Improvement Plan.

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

Mandates and Service Levels:

No change in programs or service levels.

Fiscal and Facilities Impacts:

The Federal Highway Bridge Rehabilitation and Replacement (HBRR) Program will fund 80% of the cost associated with the bridge replacements (\$374,817.54). Measure 'D' will provide for the 20% HBRR matching funds (\$93,704.39) which brings the total contract amount to \$468,521.93.

Measure 'D' funds have been budgeted in Dept. 054, Fund 0015, Program 2900, Account 7511.

Special Instructions:

Please forward a certified copy of the Minute Order approving the recommendation to Beverly Cross in the Public Works Department, Transportation Division, Engineering Section.

Concurrence:

County Counsel
Auditor Controller
Risk Manager

Attachments:

Contract Summary Sheet
Draft Copy of Contract