

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AGENDA LETTER

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors 105 E. Anapamu Street, Suite 407 Santa Barbara, CA 93101 (805) 568-2240 **Agenda Number:**

Department Name: Public Works

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Department No.: For Agenda Of:

July 18, 2017 Administrative

Placement: AdmEstimated Tme: N/A

Continued Item: N_0

If Yes, date from:

Vote Required: Majority

TO: Board of Supervisors

FROM: Department Director: Scott D. McGolpin, Public Works Department, 568-3010

Contact Info: Chris Sneddon, Deputy Director, Transportation, 568-3064

SUBJECT: Construction of Santa Paula Avenue Hardscape Repairs Project, County Project No.

820668, in the Second Supervisorial District

County Counsel Concurrence

Auditor-Controller Concurrence

As to form: Yes 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 the construction of Santa Paula Avenue Hardscape Repairs Project, County Project No. 820668, in the Second Supervisorial District, on file in the Public Works Department office;
- b) Approve and authorize the Chair to execute the construction contract in the amount of \$210,919 to the lowest responsible bidder, JJ Fisher Construction Inc., 261 W Dana Street, Suite 102, Nipomo, CA 93444, subject to the provision of documents and certifications, as set forth in the plans and specifications applicable to the project, as required under California Law;
- c) Authorize the Director of Public Works or designee to approve changes or additions to the work being performed under the construction contract in an amount not to exceed \$22,091.90, plus an additional amount of \$10,000 for itemized supplemental work for the Santa Paula Avenue Hardscape Repairs Project, County Project No. 820668, in the Second Supervisorial District, for a total not to exceed authorization of \$243,010.90; and
- d) Find that the proposed actions are for existing facilities, which consists of the operation, repair, maintenance, or minor alteration of existing public structures, involving negligible or no expansion of use beyond that which currently exists, and that the proposed actions are therefore exempt from California Environmental Quality Act pursuant to 14 CCR 15301(c), and approve and direct staff to file the attached Notice of Exemption on that basis.

Summary Text:

This item is on the agenda to award the construction contract for the construction of Santa Paula Avenue Hardscape Repairs Project, County Project No. 820668, in the Second Supervisorial District to the lowest responsible bidder, JJ Fisher Construction Inc.

On Friday, June 23, 2017, four bids were opened for the construction of Santa Paula Avenue Hardscape Repairs Project, County Project No. 820668. JJ Fisher Construction Inc. submitted the lowest responsible bid in the amount of \$210,919.00, which is 38.3% above the Engineer's Estimate. The second lowest bid was 46.6% above the Engineer's Estimate.

This project was bid in accordance with the Public Contract Code, which requires the award go to the lowest responsible bidder. Public Works analyzed the bids and determined the low bid is responsive and responsible. Public Works recommends awarding this contract to JJ Fisher Construction Inc.



Typical section of sidewalk to be repaired on Santa Paula Avenue

Background:

This project will repair sidewalks and curb damaged by tree roots on both sides of Santa Paula Avenue from Walnut Lane to San Lucas Way, for a total length of 1,000 feet. The damaging trees were removed prior to construction; new trees will be planted after construction is complete. Locations are included on the Project Vicinity Map (Attachment B). Construction is scheduled to begin in August 2017 and to finish by September 2017. Traffic control will be provided by the Contractor, with delays anticipated to be less than 20 minutes. Public Works will notify emergency response services and will use construction area signs to notify the traveling public of traffic impacts, and temporary travel lane and sidewalk closures.

Fiscal and Facilities Impacts:

Budgeted: Yes

Fiscal Analysis:

Funding Sources	<u>Total One-Time</u> <u>Project Cost</u>
General Fund	\$ 50,000.00
Measure A Alt. Transportation South	\$ 100,000.00
Road Fund	\$ 93,010.90
	\$ 243,010.90

Narrative:

The total construction costs, including contingencies, amounts to \$243,010.90. \$50,000.00 of project construction cost will be funded by General Fund, \$100,000.00 of project construction cost will be funded by Measure A Alt. South, \$93,010.90 of project construction will be funded by Road Fund Balance. Funds for this project are budgeted in Fund 0016, Org Unit 0500, Program 2720, Department 054, Account 7510.

Key Contract Risks:

This contract has been assigned a risk assessment of low. The project is fully funded.

Special Instructions:

Please forward a certified, stamped Minute Order approving these recommendations and two duplicate original executed contracts to Gail Ocheltree, Public Works, Transportation Engineering, 123 E. Anapamu Street, ext. 3094. One original executed contract to be filed with the Clerk of the Board.

Attachments:

Attachment A: Contract for the construction of Santa Paula Avenue Hardscape Repairs Project, County

Project No. 820668; in the Second Supervisorial District (3 originals)

Attachment B: Project Vicinity Map Attachment C: Notice of Exemption

Authored by:

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