

City of Garden Grove  
INTER-DEPARTMENT MEMORANDUM

To: Allan L. Roeder  
Dept.: Interim City Manager  
Subject: ADOPTION OF A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE RECEIPT OF GRANT FUNDING FOR THE 2015 TIER 1 MAGNOLIA STREET AND EUCLID STREET IRRIGATION RETROFIT PROJECTS

From: William E. Murray  
Dept.: Public Works  
Date: July 28, 2015

OBJECTIVE

For City Council to adopt a Resolution authorizing the receipt of grant funding from the Orange County Transportation Authority's (OCTA) 2015 Tier 1 Environmental Cleanup Program for the 2015 Tier 1 Magnolia Street and Euclid Street Irrigation Retrofit Projects.

BACKGROUND/DISCUSSION

OCTA developed the Environmental Cleanup Tier 1 Grant Program (Tier 1) to help protect Orange County beaches and waterways from transportation-generated pollution and improve overall water quality. Among other project types, this program consists of funding median drip irrigation and catch basin screen installations at locations citywide.

Staff submitted three grant proposals that include removing turf and overhead sprinkler systems and replacing them with drip irrigation and drought-tolerant plants, including installation of catch basin screens. The locations chosen for this grant cycle include medians on Euclid Street from Lampson to Katella and from Westminster to Trask, and on Magnolia Street from Westminster to Trask and Lampson to Chapman. To meet eligibility guidelines, the City is also required to submit a resolution authorizing the receipt of grant funding.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

There is no impact to the General Fund. The City is requesting \$500,000 from OCTA. Matching contributions will include Water Enterprise Funds.

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the City Council:

- Adopt the attached Resolution authorizing the receipt of 2015 Tier 1 Environmental Cleanup Program funds from the Orange County Transportation Authority.

*for*   
WILLIAM E. MURRAY, P.E.  
Public Works Director

  
By: Ana Neal  
Sr. Administrative Analyst

Attachment: Resolution

Approved for Agenda listing

  
Allan L. Roeder  
Interim City Manager

GARDEN GROVE CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION NO.

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GARDEN GROVE  
AUTHORIZING RECEIPT OF FUNDS FOR THE ENVIRONMENTAL CLEANUP TIER 1  
GRANT PROGRAM UNDER ORANGE COUNTY LOCAL TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY  
ORDINANCE NO. 3 FOR THE 2015 TIER 1 MAGNOLIA STREET AND EUCLID STREET  
IRRIGATION RETROFIT PROJECTS

WHEREAS, Orange County Local Transportation Authority Ordinance No. 3, dated July 24, 2006, known and cited as the Renewed Measure M Transportation Ordinance and Investment Plan, makes funds available through the Environmental Cleanup Program to help protect Orange County beaches and waterways from transportation-generated pollution (urban runoff) and improve overall water quality;

WHEREAS, the Environmental Cleanup, Tier 1 Grant Program consists of funding for equipment purchases and installation to catch basins in accordance with Best Management Practices, such as screens, filters, inserts, and other "street-scale" low flow diversion projects;

WHEREAS, the Orange County Transportation Authority (OCTA) has established the procedures and criteria for reviewing proposals for grant funding;

WHEREAS, the City of Garden Grove possesses authority to nominate water quality improvement projects that have a transportation pollution nexus to finance and construct the proposed project;

WHEREAS, by formal action the City Council authorizes the nomination of the 2015 Tier 1 Magnolia Street and Euclid Street Irrigation Retrofit Projects, including all understanding and assurances contained therein, and authorizes the person identified as the official representative of the City of Garden Grove to act in connection with the nomination and to provide such additional information as may be required;

WHEREAS, the City of Garden Grove will maintain and operate the equipment acquired and installed;

WHEREAS, the City of Garden Grove will give OCTA's representatives access to and the right to examine all records, books, papers, or documents related to the funded Tier 1 Grant Project;

WHEREAS, the City of Garden Grove will cause work on the project to be commenced within a reasonable time after receipt of notification from OCTA and the project will be carried to completion with reasonable diligence;

WHEREAS, the City of Garden Grove will comply where applicable with provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act, the National Environmental Policy Act, the Americans with Disabilities Act, and any other federal, state, and/or local laws, rules and/or regulations with regard to the project;

WHEREAS, the City of Garden Grove must include all projects funded by Net Revenues in the seven-year Capital Improvement Program as part of Renewed Measure M Ordinance eligibility requirement; and

WHEREAS, the City of Garden Grove authorizes a formal amendment to the seven-year Capital Improvement Program to add projects approved for funding upon approval from the OCTA Board of Directors.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Garden Grove hereby authorizes the Public Works Director as the official representative of the City of Garden Grove to accept funds for the Environmental Cleanup, Tier 1 Grant Program for the 2015 Tier 1 Magnolia Street and Euclid Street Irrigation Retrofit Projects.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Council of the Garden Grove, agrees to fund its share of the project costs and any additional costs over the identified programmed amount.