

City of Garden Grove

INTER-DEPARTMENT MEMORANDUM

To:	Matthew Fertal	From:	Keith G. Jones	
Dept:	City Manager	Dept:	Public Works	
Subject:	HARBOR BOULEVARD/ TRASK AVENUE INTERSECTION IMPROVEMENT PROJECT PROJECT NO. 7128 RECOMMENDATION TO AWARD CONTRACT		Date:	August 25, 2009

OBJECTIVE

To award a contract for the construction of the Harbor Boulevard/ Trask Avenue Intersection Improvement Project.

BACKGROUND

The proposed project will widen the west side of Harbor Boulevard to its ultimate width to allow for four southbound through lanes and two left turn lanes. Additional improvements include construction of curb and gutter, sidewalk, driveway, wheel chair ramps, median curb, aggregate base, asphalt concrete, cold planing existing asphalt, water meters, storm drain catch basins, fire hydrant, traffic signal modification, traffic detector loops, red light camera modifications, traffic striping, raised pavement markers and adjusting utility valves and manholes to new finish grade.

DISCUSSION

Nine (9) qualified bids were received and opened in the City Clerk's office at 11:00 a.m. on June 10, 2009. The lowest qualified bidder is Elite Bobcat Service, Inc., with a bid of \$495,000.00. Subsequent to the bid process the City determined that the demolition of a gas station will also be required at an additional cost of \$132,530.00. This bid is within the current project budget. The licenses and references of the contractor have been reviewed and verified by staff, and all other documentation is in order. The anticipated contract schedule is as follows:

<i>Award contract</i>	<i>August 25, 2009</i>
<i>Begin construction</i>	<i>September 21, 2009</i>
<i>Complete construction</i>	<i>December 21, 2009</i>

FINANCIAL IMPACT

There is no financial impact to the general fund. This improvement is included in the 2008-09 Capital Improvement Budget and is funded by Measure "M" local (fund 421), Measure "M" regional (fund 423) and Gas Tax (fund 061).

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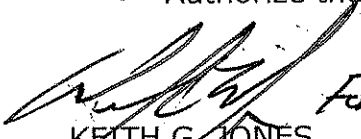
COMMUNITY VISION IMPLEMENTATION

This project is consistent with the community vision for maintaining and enhancing the city's infrastructure assets to maximize their value, longevity and usefulness for the community.

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the City Council:

- Award contract to Elite Bobcat Service, Inc. in the amount of \$495,000, plus the additional cost of \$132,500 for the demolition of the gas station.
- Authorize the City Manager to execute the agreement on behalf of the City.


For K.J.
KEITH G. JONES
Public Works Director


By: Navin Maru
Associate Engineer

Recommended for Approval


Matthew Fertal
City Manager