



CITY OF LONG BEACH

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

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July 5, 2005

HONORABLE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL
City of Long Beach
California

RECOMMENDATION:

Adopt Plans and Specifications No. R-6588 for the Improvement of Clark Avenue between Spring Street and Wardlow Road; and authorize the City Manager to award the contract to Palp, Inc., doing business as Excel Paving Company, in an estimated amount of \$556,405, and execute all necessary documents related to the contract. (District 5)

DISCUSSION

The pavement on Clark Avenue between Spring Street and Wardlow Road is in need of rehabilitation. The rehabilitation work consists of replacing damaged curbs and gutters, trimming and root pruning trees, cold milling, resurfacing the pavement and installing new pavement markings.

City Council adoption of the plans and specifications and award of contract to the lowest responsible bidder are being recommended concurrently to expedite the project implementation. The project was advertised for bids on May 13, 2005, and bids were opened on June 8, 2005. Information regarding the bid and Palp, Inc., doing business as Excel Paving Company, is available on the attached contract awards document.

This matter was reviewed by Senior Deputy City Attorney Donna F. Gwin on June 15, 2005, and Budget Management Officer David Wodynski on June 22, 2005. In accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act, Categorical Exemption Number CEP-592-02 has been issued for this project.

TIMING CONSIDERATIONS

City Council action on this matter is requested on July 5, 2005, to authorize commencement of this Public Works project. Construction is anticipated to begin in September 2005 and should take approximately 30 working days to complete.

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FISCAL IMPACT

The contract award is for an estimated amount of \$556,405. Sufficient funds to cover the contract are budgeted in the Transportation Fund (SR 182) in the Department of Public Works (PW). The funding source is Proposition C monies.

SUGGESTED ACTION:

Approve recommendation.

Respectfully submitted,



CHRISTINE F. ANDERSEN
DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS

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Attachment

APPROVED:


for GERALD R. MILLER
CITY MANAGER