

CITY OF LONG BEACH

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

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May 18, 2004

HONORABLE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL City of Long Beach California

SUBJECT:

Adopt Plans and Specifications and Award Contracts to Sequel

Contractors, Inc., and Alliance Streetworks, Inc., Respectively for:

R-6573

Improvement of Easy Avenue Between Spring Street and

34th Street (District 7)

R-6594

Improvement of 7th Street Between Pacific Avenue and

Long Beach Boulevard (District 1)

DISCUSSION

The pavement on the subject streets is in need of rehabilitation. The rehabilitation work consists of replacing damaged curbs and gutters, cold milling, resurfacing the pavement, and installing new pavement markings.

City Council adoption of the plans and specifications and award of the contract to the lowest responsible bidder are being recommended concurrently to expedite implementation of these projects. The projects were advertised for bid on March 26, 2004 and bids were opened on April 21, 2004. It is recommended that the City Council award construction contracts to Sequel Contractors, Inc., and Alliance Streetworks, Inc. Information regarding Sequel Contractors, Inc., and Alliance Streetworks, Inc., is provided on the attached "Recommended Contract Awards" sheets.

This matter was reviewed by Deputy City Attorney Donna F. Gwin on April 26, 2004 and Budget Manager Michael Killebrew on April 29, 2004. In accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act, Categorical Exemption Numbers CEP-597-02 (R-6573) and CEP-775-02 (R-9594) have been issued for these projects.

TIMING CONSIDERATIONS

City Council action on this matter is requested on May 18, 2004 to authorize commencement of these Public Works projects. Construction is anticipated to begin in August 2004 and should take approximately 30 working days (R-6573) and 60 working days (R-6594).

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FISCAL IMPACT

The estimated contract award amounts are listed below and are budgeted in the Transportation Fund (SR 182) in the Department of Public Works (PW). The funding source for both projects is Proposition C monies.

R-6573 \$303,670 R-6594 \$251,532

IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT THE CITY COUNCIL:

- 1) Adopt Plans and Specifications Numbers R-6573 for the Improvement of Easy Avenue Between Spring Street and 34th Street and R-6594 for the Improvement of 7th Street Between Pacific Avenue and Long Beach Boulevard; and
- 2) Authorize the City Manager to award contracts to Sequel Contractors, Inc., in an estimated amount of \$303,670 (R-6573) and to Alliance Streetworks, Inc., in an estimated amount of \$251,532 (R-6594), and execute the contracts and all necessary documents related to the contracts.

Respectfully submitted,

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BM:AS P/CL/R-6573, R-6594/Easy Ave., 7th St.

Attachments

APPROVED:

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