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City Council  
Sacramento, California

Honorable Members in Session:

**SUBJECT:** TRAFFIC UNDULATIONS 1994/95 (PN:SH87) - CONTRACT AWARD

**LOCATION AND COUNCIL DISTRICT:** City-wide (see attached). Various districts.

**RECOMMENDATION:**

This report recommends that the City Council:

- Accept the low bid of \$69,696.00 from R.C. Collet, Inc.
- Award the contract for the Traffic Undulations 1994/95 to R.C. Collet, Inc.

**CONTACT PERSON:** Mehrdad Nazeri, Assistant Engineer, 264-7460

**FOR COUNCIL MEETING OF:** May 2, 1995

**SUMMARY:**

This project will construct asphaltic concrete undulations over existing pavement at various locations in the City of Sacramento (see attachment). The project will result in lower motor vehicle speeds and provide increased public safety, and promote City Council priorities regarding neighborhood revitalization and enhancement.



**BACKGROUND INFORMATION:**

This project will construct asphaltic concrete undulations over existing pavement at various locations in the City of Sacramento. The project will lower motor vehicle speeds and provide increased public safety and enhancement of existing neighborhoods. This project is a continuation of the program to install undulations on residential City streets with a history of excessive vehicle speed.

On February 7, 1995, the City Council approved the specifications for the Traffic Undulations 1994/95 project. Bids were received and opened by the City Clerk on March 15, 1995. The bids received were:

| <u>Contractor</u>               | <u>Bid Amount</u> | <u>MBE %<br/>Participation</u> | <u>WBE %<br/>Participation</u> |
|---------------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| R.C. Collet, Inc.               | \$69,696          | 12.55%                         | 4.70                           |
| Environmental Const.            | \$74,500          | 0                              | 0                              |
| CA Pavement Maint.              | \$78,484          | 0                              | 0                              |
| Stan Gilbert Const.             | \$79,886          | 0                              | 0                              |
| Granite Const.                  | \$80,492          | 0                              | 11.60                          |
| Biondi Paving                   | \$84,200          | 0                              | 0                              |
| American Engineering<br>Asphalt | \$86,318          | 0                              | 0                              |

Because there were no subcontracting opportunities on this project, staff requested and received City Manager authority to revise the MBE/WBE goals for this project. The revision eliminated the goals and good faith efforts, but maintained the preference program for those preference eligible firms bidding this project. This is consistent with Section 3.2 of the MBE/WBE Program Administrative Procedures adopted by Council on November 2, 1993, Resolution 93-169. The low bidder, R.C. Collet, Inc., exceeded the MBE goal.

**FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS:**

The engineer's estimated construction cost was \$87,000.00.

The current estimated total project cost, including all planning, design, construction and construction engineering costs is \$143,425. The current budget is \$160,000, which was approved in the 1994/95 Capital Improvement Program from the Gas Tax Fund (202). The funds available for this project amount to \$122,202, as of April 10, 1995.

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**ENVIRONMENTAL CONSIDERATIONS:**

Not applicable.

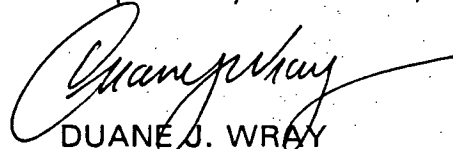
**POLICY CONSIDERATIONS:**

This action is consistent with Title 58 of the Sacramento City Code.

**MBE/WBE:**

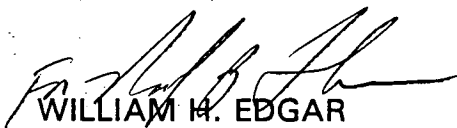
To encourage minority participation, plans and specifications were sent to 9 plan rooms and construction services organizations for publication. Four were directly involved with MBE/WBE construction firms. Staff recruited available MBE/WBE firms to participate in the bid process. The project was announced on the City of Sacramento Project Information Line, which contains information on Public Works and Utility Department projects. Project notices were sent to 29 organizations involved in MBE/WBE recruitment.

Respectfully submitted,



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**RECOMMENDATION APPROVED:**



WILLIAM H. EDGAR  
City Manager

**APPROVED:**



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Deputy Director of Public Works

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Attachment