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May 17, 1994

City Council Sacramento, California

Honorable Members in Session:

SUBJECT:

APPROVAL OF PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS AND AUTHORIZATION TO ADVERTISE FOR BIDS FOR THE 4TH AVENUE SEWER REPLACEMENT

PROJECT (JN: 3750)

LOCATION AND COUNCIL DISTRICT:

This project is located along 4th Avenue between Freeport Boulevard and 24th Street (District 5).

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends the City Council approve the plans and specifications for this project and authorize the City Clerk to advertise for bids to be received on July 13, 1994.

CONTACT PERSON:

Gary E. Gosse, Supervising Engineer, 433-6611

FOR COUNCIL MEETING OF:

May 31, 1994

SUMMARY

Plans and specifications for this project have been prepared. Approval of plans and specifications and authorization to advertise for bids is recommended.

COMMITTEE/COMMISSION ACTION

None.

APPROVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL MAY 3 1 1994 • City Council
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4th Avenue Sewer Replacement Project (JN: 3750)

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

This project will replace approximately 1500 feet of existing 8 inch diameter combined system storm drainage and sewer main located in 4th Avenue between Freeport Boulevard and 24th Street. The existing combined sewer main has extensive root damage requiring continual maintenance.

ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION

The Environmental Services Division has determined that this project is categorically exempt pursuant to State Class 1 and 2 and Section 15302(c) of the California Environmental Quality Act.

FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS

The engineer's estimate of the construction cost of the project is \$210,000. The total project cost, including design, inspection, and contingency is \$300,000. Because this project will be on a segment of the combined system, project funding will be allocated between the Sewer Fund (25%) and the Storm Drainage Fund (75%). Sufficient funds for this project are proposed in the Sewer Fund and Storm Drainage Fund Five Year (1994-1999) Capital Improvement Program.

A non-refundable fee of \$20.00 will be charged for each set of plans and specifications to cover reproduction costs.

POLICY CONSIDERATIONS

This action is consistent with Chapter 58, Article III, Section 58.301 of the City Code concerning advertisement for bidding requirements.

MBE/WBE

This project will include MBE/WBE participation goals of 10.57% MBE and 9.5% WBE, as required by Resolution No. 93-619, relating to MBE/WBE participation goals and policies adopted by the City Council on November 2, 1993. Award of Contract will be contingent upon the responsive low bidder either meeting the project MBE/WBE participation goals or making adequate good faith efforts towards meeting the project goals. Bids submitted which meet or exceed the MBE/WBE goals may be eligible for bid price preference up to a maximum of 7% or \$25,000, whichever is lower.

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Plans and specifications will be sent to seven (7) plan rooms and construction services organizations for publication and use by the construction industry of Northern California. There are four (4) organizations on the distribution list that are directly involved with outreach to MBE/WBE contractors.

Other outreach efforts to MBE/WBEs for this project will include:

- Advertisement of the project on the City of Sacramento Construction Project Bid Line (916) 392-4758.
- Free access to review the project plans and specifications at the City of Sacramento Planroom at Engineering Division offices at 927 10th Street.
- Provide notice of this project to three minority chambers of commerce and three minority and women community organizations directly involved with outreach to MBE/WBEs.

Respectfully submitted,

Gary A. Reents

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RECOMMENDATION APPROVED:

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City Manager

APPROVED:

James G. Sequeira

Director of Utilities

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