



DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC WORKS

COUNTY OF' SANTA CRUZ

GOVERNMENTAL CENTER

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SANTA CRUZ COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

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SUBJECT: COUNTY-WIDE STORM DEBRIS REMOVAL PROJECT

Members of the Board:

The Board of Supervisors received three bids for the subject project. Durden General Engineering of Aptos was the apparent low bidder at \$411,400. On October 6, 1998, your Board authorized award of the contract to Durden General Engineering. The contractor has since notified the Public Works Department that an error was made in their preparation of the bid and they are requesting that they be released from their bid.

Public Contracts Code, Section 5 101, permits the Board of Supervisors as the awarding authority to consent to such a release. This request has been reviewed by County Counsel's Office, which concurs with the Department of Public Works' recommendation to release Durden General Engineering from its bid and award the contract per Public Contracts Code Section 5 106 to the next lowest bidder.

The second low bid was submitted by Granite Construction Company, Inc. of Watsonville, in the amount of \$610,207. Granite has verified that its bid is in order. There is sufficient funding available within the 1998/99 Road Budget.

It is therefore recommended that the Board of Supervisors take the following action:

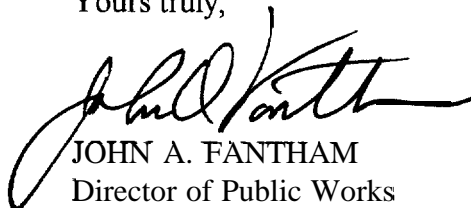
1. Approve the retraction of Durden General Engineering's bid for the County-Wide Storm Debris Removal Project.
2. Accept the second low bid of Granite Construction Company of Watsonville, in the amount of \$6 10,207 and authorize award of the contract.

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- 3. Authorize the Director of Public Works to sign the contract on behalf of the County.

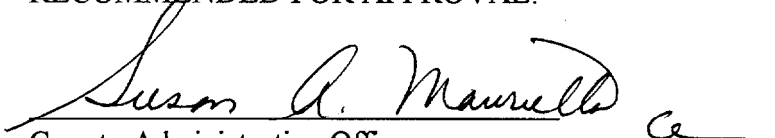
Yours truly,


 JOHN A. FANTHAM
 Director of Public Works

JES:mg

Attachments

RECOMMENDED FOR APPROVAL:


 County Administrative Officer

copy to: Public Works
 Durden General Engineering

COUNTY OF SANTA CRUZ
REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF AGREEMENT

4189

TO: Board of Supervisors
County Administrative Officer
County Counsel
Auditor-Controller

FROM: PUBLIC WORKS (Dept.)

[Signature] (Signature) 10/9/98 (Date)

The Board of Supervisors is hereby requested to approve the attached agreement and authorize the execution of the same.

1. Said agreement is between the COUNTY OF SANTA CRUZ (Agency)
and GRANITE CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, INC
P.O. BOX 720, WATSONVILLE, CA 95077 (Name & Address)

2. The agreement will provide COUNTY-WIDE STORM DEBRIS REMOVAL

3. The agreement is needed BECAUSE THE WORK CAN BE DONE MOST EXPEDITIOUSLY BY CONTRACT

4. Period of the agreement is from BOARD APPROVAL to JUNE 30, 1998

5. Anticipated cost is \$ 610,207 (Fixed amount; Monthly rate; Not to exceed)

6. Remarks: CONTRACT \$610,207; CONTINGENCIES \$28,180.58; OVERHEAD \$36,612.42;

TOTAL CONTRACT \$675,000

7. Appropriations are budgeted in 933897 PO0600 621100 (Index#) 3590 (Subobject)

NOTE: IF APPROPRIATIONS ARE INSUFFICIENT, ATTACH COMPLETED FORM AUD-74

Appropriations are available and will be encumbered.
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Contract No. 81741 Date 10/9/98

GARY A. KNUTSON, Auditor Controller

By *[Signature]* Deputy

JES:mg

Proposal reviewed and approved. It is recommended that the Board of Supervisors approve the agreement and authorize the
DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS to execute the same on behalf of the DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

(Agency)

Remarks:

(Analyst)

BY *[Signature]* County Administrative Officer Date 10/14/98

Agreement approved as to form. Date

Distribution:

- Bd. of Supv. - White
- Auditor-Controller - Blue
- County Counsel - Green
- Co. Admin. Officer - Canary
- Auditor-Controller - Pink
- Originating Dept. - Goldenrod

*To Orig. Dept. if rejected.

ADM - 29 (6/95)

State of California)
County of Santa Cruz) SS

_____ ex-officio Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Cruz,
State of California, do hereby certify that the foregoing request for approval of agreement was approved by
said Board of Supervisors as recommended by the County Administrative Officer by an order duly entered
in the minutes of said Board on _____

By _____ Deputy Clerk

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