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AGENDA: AUGUST 6, 2002

July 30, 2002

SANTA CRUZ COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
701 Ocean Street
Santa Cruz, California 95060

SUBJECT: WEBB ROAD AT PM 0.63 STORM DAMAGE REPAIR PROJECT
DSR NO. 95058

Members of the Board:

The plans, specifications and engineer's estimate for the above referenced storm damage repair project on Webb Road at PM 0.63 have been completed and are presented for your Board's consideration and approval. The project will provide for the reconstruction of the Webb Road embankment culvert and roadway section. The existing storm-damaged concrete headwall and 36-inch corrugated steel-pipe culvert will be replaced with rock slope protection and a 5-foot reinforced concrete pipe culvert.

It had been Public Works' intention to construct this project during the summer of 2003; however, this past winter has created an emergency situation at the project site. Storm water running through separations in the damaged 36-inch culvert has eroded the roadway embankment, which has undermined Webb Road. County Road Maintenance staff have backfilled around the culvert in order to stabilize the roadway and maintain through traffic. Since Webb Road is the only access for the residents above the storm damage site, it is necessary to advance the construction date for the repair work to fall 2002.

The engineer's estimate for this project is \$235,000, not including contingencies or administration costs. The funding for this storm damage repair project was originally allocated by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) and the California Office of Emergency Services (OES) but was declared ineligible due to time constraints set by FEMA. This project is currently under appeal on the basis that the past delays on the project were caused by factors mainly outside the control of the County, including our need to respond to multiple storm events over successive years and federal environmental permitting delays. The Department of Public Works believes that there is sufficient justification for the time delays and that this project will eventually be reinstated by FEMA. Funding for this project has been included within the approved Public Works Department 2002/2003 road budget.

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

1. Approve the plans, specifications and engineer's estimate and authorize calling for bids for the Webb Road at PM 0.63 Storm Damage Repair Project, DSR No. 95058.
2. Direct the Clerk of the Board to advertise a Notice to Contractors for a ten-day period beginning August 10, 2002, in accordance with the provisions of Public Contract Code Section 20392.
3. Set the bid opening for 10:45 a.m. on August 20, 2002.
4. Authorize the Department of Public Works to take necessary action to provide for the award of bid that same day.

Yours truly,

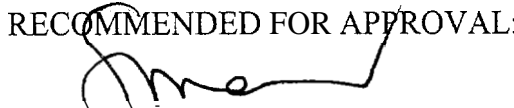


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Attachments

RECOMMENDED FOR APPROVAL:



County Administrative Officer

copy to: Public Works
 John Spain, Office of Emergency Services
 Neil England, Federal Emergency Management Agency

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