



DATE: February 10, 2015

CATEGORY: Consent

DEPT.: Public Works

TITLE: **California Street/Escuela Avenue
Traffic Signal Modifications, Project
10-39 – Accept Construction**

RECOMMENDATION

Accept California Street/Escuela Avenue Traffic Signal Modifications, Project 10-39, and authorize the final contract payment.

BACKGROUND

On July 5, 2011, the City Council awarded the construction contract for California Street/Escuela Avenue Traffic Signal Modifications, Project 10-39, to Amland Corporation of San Jose, California, at the low bid price of \$225,066, which included a \$26,000 construction contingency. The project installed new traffic signals with video detection devices, audible pedestrian countdown signals, battery back-ups, and new curb ramps. The intersections were restriped with new crosswalks and pavement markings.

ANALYSIS

Construction was substantially completed in December 2012 and all final payment items have been resolved between the City and the contractor. The final construction cost of \$213,868 is within the construction budget of \$225,066 and included two change orders for additional traffic signal and concrete paving work, and a final item adjustment change order totaling \$14,802. All work has been completed in accordance with the plans and specifications.

FISCAL IMPACT

Project 10-39 is funded with \$475,000 from the CIP Reserve Fund, \$177,000 from the Construction/Conveyance Tax Fund, and \$467,000 from gas tax, for a total budget of \$1,119,000 to fund three traffic signals at California Street/Escuela Avenue, California Street/Ortega Avenue, and East Middlefield Road/North Whisman Road. The portion

of the \$1,119,000 budget allocated to the California Street/Escuela Avenue traffic signal is \$365,000. The total project expenditure for the California Street/Escuela Avenue traffic signal is approximately \$300,000, which is within the budget allocation for the project.

ALTERNATIVES

Determine that the improvements have not been completed in conformance with City standards and decline to accept the improvements until they are completed to the satisfaction of the Council.

PUBLIC NOTICING – Agenda posting.

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