

March 15, 2005

Honorable Mayor and Members of
The Hermosa Beach City Council

Regular Meeting of
March 22, 2005

**PROJECT NO. CIP 04-115 STREET IMPROVEMENTS – 20TH STREET FROM VALLEY DRIVE TO
POWER STREET, AWARD CONSTRUCTION CONTRACT**

Recommendation:

It is recommended that the City Council:

1. Award the Construction Contract to Hardy & Harper, Inc. in the amount of \$69,110.00;
2. Authorize the Mayor to execute and the City Clerk to attest subject to approval by the City Attorney; and
3. Authorize the Director of Public Works to make minor changes to the Hardy & Harper, Inc. contract as necessary within the contingency of \$7,000.

SUMMARY:

On February 17, 2005, Project No. CIP 04-115 was advertised in the Easy Reader, Green Sheet (F.W. Dodge), and Reed Construction Data. A total of 9 bid packages were picked up. The City Clerk received 4 bids by the closing date of March 10, 2005. The bids were publicly opened and read aloud. The bid results were as follows:

BIDDER	CITY	TOTAL BID AMOUNT
1. Hardy & Harper, Inc.	Santa Ana, CA	\$69,110
2. Sully-Miller Contracting Co.	Anaheim, CA	\$69,600
3. PALP, Inc. dba Excel Paving Co.	Long Beach, CA	\$87,580
4. Alliance Streetworks Inc.	Anaheim, CA	\$92,020

All bids were responsive. The price of the apparent low bidder, Hardy & Harper, Inc., is \$9,085 (approximately 15%) above the engineer's estimate of \$60,025.

Background:

Project No. CIP 04-115 consists of sawcutting, removal of the entire street section, installation of a center concrete swale and asphalt concrete pavement. This improvement will eliminate the existing drainage problems on this street.

Staff reviewed the condition of the sewer line on 20th Street and concluded that it must be lined prior to road reconstruction due to its poor condition. The lining will be performed prior to demolition as part of Project No. CIP 00-412 Target Area 2 Sewer Improvements – Sewer Lining.

Analysis:

Staff reviewed the low bidder's documents and found them to be in order. Reference calls were supportive of the contractor's work habits.

The construction contract, contingency, and anticipated inspection/testing costs amount to \$69,110. Since sufficient funds are available in the 301 Capital Improvement Fund, no additional appropriation is needed.

Fiscal Impact:

The apparent lowest bid price of \$69,110, contingency of \$7,000, and anticipated inspection/testing costs for \$15,000 bring the total project budget to \$91,110. Sufficient funds are available; therefore, no additional appropriation is needed.

Attachment: Project Location Map

Respectfully submitted,

Concur:

Tristan D. Malabanan
Associate Engineer

Richard D. Morgan, P.E.
Director of Public Works/City Engineer

Noted for Fiscal Impact:

Concur:

Viki Copeland
Finance Director

Stephen R. Burrell
City Manager