

**COUNTY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
AGENDA ITEM TRANSMITTAL**

(1) DEPARTMENT Public Works	(2) MEETING DATE 2/3/2015	(3) CONTACT/PHONE Jeff Werst, Design Division Manager (805) 781-4480	
(4) SUBJECT Request to approve Amendment No. 2 to the agreement for engineering consulting services with Quincy Engineering for the River Grove Drive over Estrella River Bridge Project, Whitley Gardens, decreasing the contract amount by \$150,946.71. District 1.			
(5) RECOMMENDED ACTION It is recommended that the Board, approve Amendment No. 2 to the Agreement with Quincy Engineering, Inc. for the River Grove Drive over Estrella River Bridge Project providing for Bridge Rehabilitation only; and decreasing the total contract amount from \$665,210 to \$514,263.29.			
(6) FUNDING SOURCE(S) HBP, Federal Toll Bridge Account, Road Fund	(7) CURRENT YEAR FINANCIAL IMPACT Decrease of: \$150,946.71	(8) ANNUAL FINANCIAL IMPACT \$0.00	(9) BUDGETED? Yes
(10) AGENDA PLACEMENT <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Consent <input type="checkbox"/> Presentation <input type="checkbox"/> Hearing (Time Est. ___) <input type="checkbox"/> Board Business (Time Est. ___)			
(11) EXECUTED DOCUMENTS <input type="checkbox"/> Resolutions <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Contracts <input type="checkbox"/> Ordinances <input type="checkbox"/> N/A			
(12) OUTLINE AGREEMENT REQUISITION NUMBER (OAR) N/A		(13) BUDGET ADJUSTMENT REQUIRED? BAR ID Number: N/A <input type="checkbox"/> 4/5 Vote Required <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N/A	
(14) LOCATION MAP Attached	(15) BUSINESS IMPACT STATEMENT? No	(16) AGENDA ITEM HISTORY <input type="checkbox"/> N/A Date: 8/13/13, #10	
(17) ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE REVIEW <i>Nikki J. Schmidt</i>			
(18) SUPERVISOR DISTRICT(S) District 1			

Reference: 15FEB03-C-2

County of San Luis Obispo



TO: Board of Supervisors

FROM: Public Works
Jeff Werst, Design Division Manager
Cori Marsalek, Project Manager

VIA: Dave Flynn, Deputy Director of Public Works

DATE: 2/3/2015

SUBJECT: Request to approve Amendment No. 2 to the agreement for engineering consulting services with Quincy Engineering for the River Grove Drive over Estrella River Bridge Project, Whitley Gardens, decreasing the contract amount by \$150,946.71. District 1.

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the Board, approve Amendment No. 2 to the Agreement with Quincy Engineering, Inc. for the River Grove Drive over Estrella River Bridge Project providing for Bridge Rehabilitation only; and decreasing the total contract amount from \$665,210 to \$514,263.29.

DISCUSSION

River Grove Drive is a local street in Whitley Gardens and formerly served as the state route connecting Paso Robles with the communities of Cholame and Shandon. In the 1950's, Route 46 was built to serve regional traffic. The existing River Grove Bridge over the Estrella River has been determined by the State of California, Department of Transportation (Caltrans) to be eligible for funding through the Federal Highway Bridge Program (HBP). The existing bridge is a single span steel truss structure built in 1910. The bridge was initially programmed for replacement but with input from the community and alternative truck routes in place, is being revised to a rehabilitation of the existing bridge. As a result of information provided by the community and staff follow-up, the bridge has recently been determined to be eligible for the National Register of Historic Places.

Your Board originally entered into a contract with Quincy Engineering on January 25, 2011. An Amendment No. 1 to analyze the existing truss structure and historic significance was approved in August 2013.

Revision to the scope of work under Amendment No. 2 will involve rehabilitating all aspects of the steel truss bridge; including potential scour at the abutments, seismic deficiencies, and corrosion. Traffic speeds, pedestrian walkways, and potential traffic calming measures will also be addressed.

The proposed contract amendment will provide for the completion of the plans, specifications and estimate package for the newly defined bridge rehabilitation project. The amended scope of work is outlined in Exhibit "A" of the attached Amendment. The amended costs are itemized in Exhibit "B" of the attached Amendment.

OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT/IMPACT

Caltrans Office of Local Assistance oversees funding by agreement with Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) for authorization to utilize funds under the Federal Highway HBP.

The FHWA, California Department of Fish and Game, Regional Water Quality Control Board, US Army Corps of Engineers, and U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service will be the regulatory agencies from which the County will seek approval. The California State Office of Historic Preservation will be involved in final review and approval of the work.

Residents of Whitley Gardens have been notified of the project's potential change in scope and will be contacted during project environmental review. Residents had previously expressed their desire for rehabilitating the existing bridge at a community meeting in August 2010.

County Counsel has reviewed and approved the attached documents as to legal form and effect.

FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS

The proposed amendment to the agreement decreases the contract amount by \$150,946.71 for total compensation of \$514,263.29.

This is a multi-year project budgeted in the Road Fund FY 2014-15, in the amount of \$556,490 – WBS 300382. Funding for this project will come from Federal Highway Administration's Highway Bridge Program (HBP), Federal Toll Bridge Account, and Road Funds.

No budget adjustment is necessary at this time.

RESULTS

Amending this agreement will allow for the completion of the plans, specifications and estimate for the rehabilitation of the River Grove Drive Bridge over the Estrella River. Completion of the project will extend the bridge service life and enhance safety and livability for the community.

File: Contract No. 300382

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ATTACHMENTS

1. Vicinity Map
2. Amendment No. 2 to Agreement for Engineering Consulting Services River Grove Drive over Estrella River Bridge Replacement, Contract No. 300382, Federal Project No. BRLO-5949(119)