

STAFF REPORT



ITEM NO. 28

CITY OF OCEANSIDE

DATE: July 12, 2006

TO: Honorable Mayor and City Council Members

FROM: Water Utilities Department

SUBJECT: **AUTHORIZATION TO AWARD A CONTRACT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$266,029 TO WEST VALLEY CONSTRUCTION CO., INC., OF CAMPBELL FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE STEWART STREET WATERLINE REPLACEMENT PROJECT**

SYNOPSIS

Staff and the Utilities Commission recommend that the City Council authorize an award of contract in the amount of \$266,029.20 to West Valley Construction Co., Inc. of Campbell, California, for the construction of the Stewart Street Waterline Replacement project; and authorize the City Manager to execute the agreement upon receipt of all supporting documents.

BACKGROUND

On October 19, 2005, the City Council approved the plans and specifications for the construction of the Stewart Street Waterline Replacement project and authorized the Public Works Director to call for bids.

The existing 12-inch cast iron waterline is located in Stewart Street between Laguna Street and California Street (Exhibit A). This line is approximately 50 years old and extremely fatigued as evidenced by recent leaks. Approximately 950 linear feet of line in Stewart Street needs to be replaced from the Laguna Street knuckle to approximately 30 feet north of the California Street intersection. Hirsch & Company of San Diego designed the Stewart Street Water Line Replacement project.

ANALYSIS

The project consists of installing approximately 950 linear feet of 12-inch polyvinyl chloride (PVC) C-900, Class 200 domestic waterline. The work generally includes, but is not limited to, furnishing labor, equipment, materials, and services to construct the 12-inch waterline, water services, fire hydrants, and appurtenances. The pipeline work includes chlorination, de-chlorination, hydrostatic testing, and quality testing. Other items of work include coordination with utility companies for locating their facilities, excavation safety measures, making the connections to the City system,

saw cutting, trench pavement and aggregate base removal and replacement, miscellaneous concrete removal and replacement, asphalt grinding and tire modified asphalt concrete overlay, traffic control, and repairing striping and markings.

On May 25, 2006, three bids were received and opened for the Stewart Street Waterline Replacement project (Exhibit B). The low bidder was West Valley Construction Co., Inc., of Campbell, California, with a bid in the amount of \$266,029.20. Staff has reviewed the bid submitted by West Valley Construction Co., Inc. and find that its bid, bid bond and references are in accordance with City standards. The engineer's estimate to construct the project was \$262,221.60.

FISCAL IMPACT

In Fiscal Year 2005-2006, \$1,000,000 was appropriated for Miscellaneous Waterline Projects. The West Valley Construction Co., Inc., bid was \$266,029.20, so adequate funds are available for the project.

COMMISSION OR COMMITTEE REPORT

The Utilities Commission approved staffs recommendation at its June 20, 2006 meeting.

CITY ATTORNEY'S ANALYSIS

Pursuant to Public Contract Code Section 20162, a contract for a public project in excess of \$5,000 must be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder. Public Contract Code Section 1103 defines "responsible bidder" as a bidder who has demonstrated the attributes of trustworthiness as well as quality, fitness, capacity and experience to satisfactorily perform a public works contract. The City Council also has discretion to reject all bids and re-advertise, under Public Contract Code Section 20166.

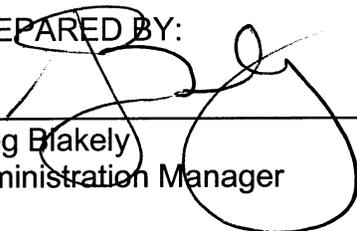
INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS

The City's standard insurance requirements will be met.

RECOMMENDATIONS

Staff and the Utilities Commission recommend that the City Council authorize an award of contract in the amount of \$266,029.20 to West Valley Construction Co., Inc., of Campbell, California, for the construction of the Stewart Street Waterline Replacement project; and authorize the City Manager to execute the agreement upon receipt of all supporting documents.

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SUBMITTED BY:



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Exhibit A - Site Map
Exhibit B - Bid Results

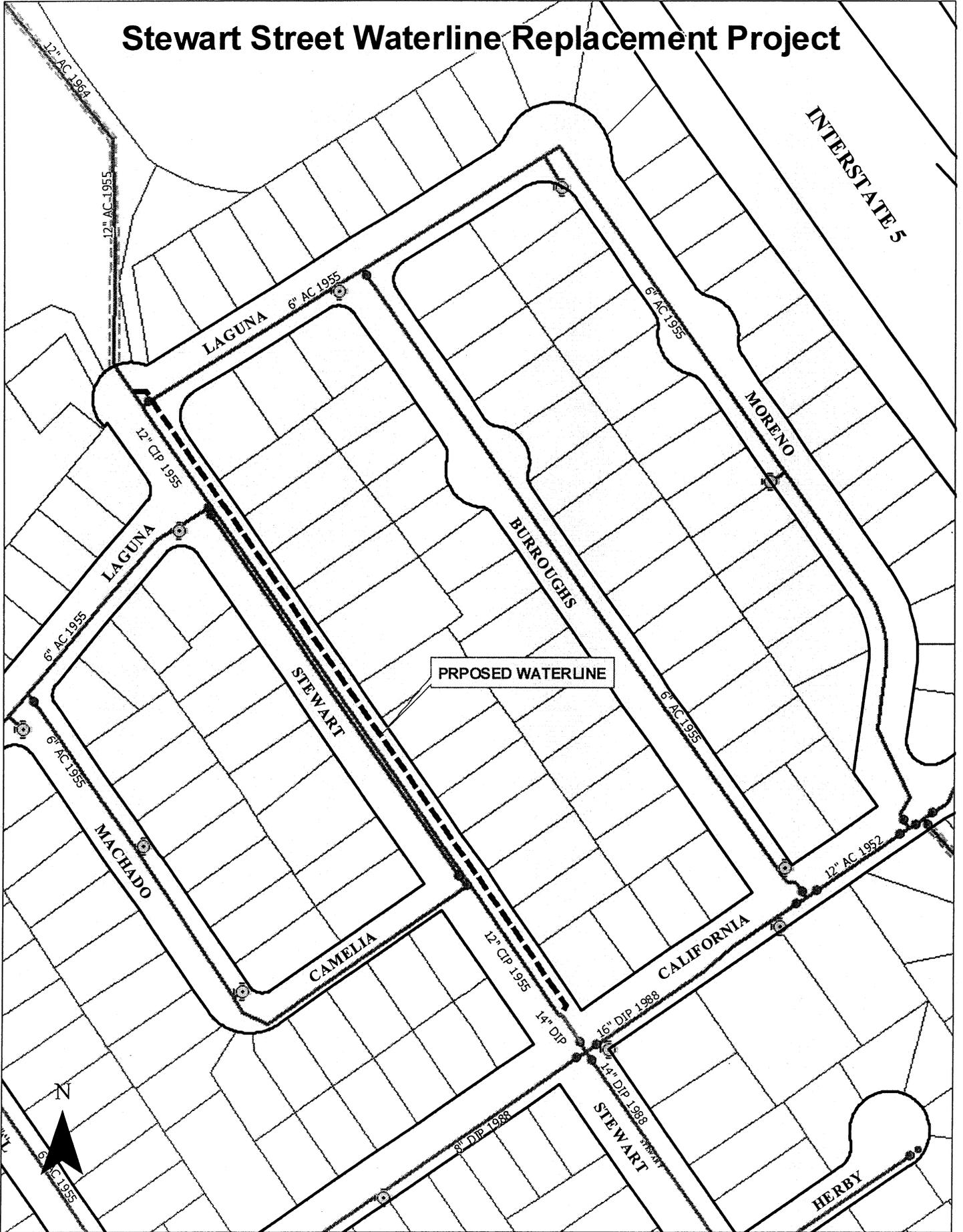
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Stewart Street Waterline Replacement Project



1" equals 150'

Stewart Street Waterline Replacement (712-85-8240)
May 25, 2006 BID RESULTS

Bid Item	Description	Quantity	Unit	Engineer's Estimate		West Valley Construction Co., Inc.		3-D Enterprises		Don Hubbard Contracting Co.	
				Unit Price	Extension	Unit Price	Extension	Unit Price	Extension	Unit Price	Extension
BID SCHEDULE											
1	MOB/Demob	1	LS	10,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00					
2	Shoring	1	LS	7,500.00	7,500.00	930.00	930.00	17,828.00	17,828.00	13,500.00	13,500.00
3	New 12" PVC	931	LF	120.00	111,720.00	93.00	86,583.00	3,651.00	3,651.00	2,200.00	2,200.00
4	Removal/Abandonment of Exist	1	LS	10,000.00	10,000.00	2,420.00	2,420.00	141.65	131,876.15	165.00	153,615.00
5	Replace 3/4" Services	20	Ea	1,400.00	28,000.00	1,480.00	29,600.00	6,882.00	6,882.00	4,500.00	4,500.00
6	Fire Hydrant	2	Ea	4,500.00	9,000.00	6,515.00	13,030.00	1,006.15	20,123.00	2,350.00	47,000.00
7	Connect to Existing	4	Ea	6,000.00	24,000.00	9,855.00	39,420.00	3,042.75	12,171.00	14,000.00	56,000.00
8	Video Existing Site	1	LS	1,200.00	1,200.00	444.00	444.00	712.00	712.00	1,500.00	1,500.00
10	AC Cold Milling & Overlay	38,001	SF	1.60	60,801.60	2.20	83,602.20	2.74	104,122.74	2.46	93,482.46
TOTAL BID SCHEDULE					262,221.60		266,029.20		305,740.89		384,897.46
Percent of Engineer's Estimate							101.5%		116.6%		146.8%
RANKING											
							Apparent Low Bidder		2		4
LISTED SUBCONTRACTORS											
AC Cold Mill & Overlay							All American Asphalt		Frank & Son Paving		Palomar Grading & Paving