

City of Los Alamitos

Agenda Report Consent Calendar

July 6, 2009
Item No: 8D

To: Mayor Troy Edgar and Members of the City Council

Via: Jeffrey L. Stewart, City Manager

From: Steven Mendoza, Director of Community Development

Subject: Award of Professional Services Agreement for Design of Fiscal Year 2009-10 Residential Street Resurfacing Project

Summary: This report recommends actions to provide professional design services for Fiscal Year 2009-10 Residential Street Resurfacing Project.

Recommendation: Authorize the City Manager to approve a Professional Services Agreement with DGA Consultants in the amount of \$34,661.00 for design of Fiscal Year 2009-10 Residential Street Resurfacing Project.

Background

The 2009-10 Residential Street Resurfacing Program provides the resurfacing of streets in the following neighborhoods; Woodcrest, Country Square, New Dutch Haven, Old Dutch Haven and Suburbia. Attachment 1 provides a map depicting the neighborhoods and a list of the streets included in the 2009-10 program. The project work includes removal of existing asphalt where needed due to subsurface failures, edge grinding, and resurfacing with 1 ½ - 2 inches of asphalt pavement. Slurry seal of some streets will be considered where full resurfacing is not needed. The work also includes curb repair where needed, restriping, notifications to residents, utility coordination and traffic control.

Discussion

The 2009-10 Residential Street Resurfacing Program provides asphalt overlays in the following neighborhoods; Woodcrest, Country Square, New Dutch Haven, Old Dutch Haven and Suburbia. Attachment 1 provides a map depicting the neighborhoods included in the 2009-10 program.

The initial step for the project is design. Staff solicited three qualified firms to submit a proposal for the work. The fees submitted by each firm are;

Firm	Proposed Fee
DGA Consultants	\$34,661
KDM Meridian	\$38,175
KFM Engineering, Inc	\$38,500

All consultants provided comprehensive proposals; all firms are well qualified and have performed work on similar past projects. Staff is recommending DGA Consultants to provide the required services. DGA Consultants provided a comprehensive proposal addressing key issues including pavement evaluation and expedited schedule. DGA Consultants also submitted the lowest fee proposal.

The proposed fee of \$34,661 is reasonable for the scope of work. Staff recommends that a professional services agreement design services; be awarded to DGA Consultants for the 2009-10 Residential Street Resurfacing Project.

Fiscal Impact

The total budget approved for this project is \$900,000. The estimated cost breakdown below provides for project construction costs up to \$811,000 (construction costs plus contingency). Staff at the present time has only very preliminary construction cost estimates. As design progresses more refined construction estimates will be developed. Should costs be significantly higher or lower than budget staff will return to Council for further direction regarding funding and/or project modifications prior to bidding the project.

ITEM	AMOUNT
Design	\$34,661
Construction Estimate	\$737,600
Contingency (10%)	\$73,739
Construction Mgmt/Inspection	\$50,000
Materials Testing	\$2,500
Misc Expenses(Printing, postage, advertising)	\$1,500
TOTAL ESTIMATED COST	\$900,000

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 Jeff Stewart
 City Manager

Attachments: 1) *Project Location Map*
 2) *Consultant Agreement*