



COUNTY OF SAN MATEO
Inter-Departmental Correspondence
Public Works



Date: April 30, 2014
Board Meeting Date: June 3, 2014
Special Notice / Hearing: None
Vote Required: Majority

To: Honorable Board of Supervisors
From: James C. Porter, Director of Public Works
Subject: Reconstruction of San Benito Avenue
[County Project No. RT701; Project File No. E4913000]

RECOMMENDATION:

Adopt a Resolution:

- A) Adopting the plans and specifications, including conformance with prevailing wage scale requirements for the reconstruction of San Benito Avenue from Oak Drive to the End, and installation of valley gutters on Fair Oaks Avenue between 12th and 14th Avenues – North Fair Oaks Area; and
- B) Authorizing the Director of Public Works to call for sealed proposals to be received by Tuesday, June 24, 2014 at 2:30 p.m., in the office of the County Manager/Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.

BACKGROUND:

On June 18, 2002, your Board adopted Resolution Nos. 065329 and 065330, which established minimum road standard options and a priority list for road improvements in the North Fair Oaks Area.

DISCUSSION:

San Benito Avenue, from Oak Drive to the End, is the next street on the North Fair Oaks area road priority list for proposed reconstruction. The Department surveyed all property owners along the street to determine the minimum road standards to be used in the design of the road improvements. The road standards to be used (two nine-foot wide travel lanes with three-foot wide valley gutters on each side of the road from Oak Drive to Fair Oaks Avenue and two-foot wide valley gutters on each side of the road from Fair Oaks Avenue to the End) for this project are based on the results of the property surveys. Fair Oaks Avenue is on the priority list with two-foot wide valley gutters constructed when adjacent streets on the priority list are reconstructed. Valley

gutters on each side of Fair Oaks Avenue between 12th and 14th Avenues will be installed as part of this project.

The Fair Oaks Sewer Maintenance District and California Water Service Company have requested that work involving affected sanitary sewer and water facilities be performed in conjunction with this project. The plans and specifications for the work have now been prepared and staff is recommending that your Board authorize calling for bids for the proposed work.

County Counsel has reviewed and approved the Resolution as to form.

Approval of this action will contribute to the Shared Vision 2025 outcome of a Livable Community by improving our roads for use by the traveling public to support livable connected communities.

FISCAL IMPACT:

The estimated cost of construction is \$765,000. The project will be financed as follows:

Road Funds	\$757,755.00
California Water Service Company*	\$2,415.00
Fair Oaks Sewer Maintenance District*	<u>\$4,830.00</u>
Total Estimated Cost	\$765,000.00

*Resolution No. 064550, executed by your Board on June 19, 2001, authorized the Director of Public Works to enter into agreements with special districts and utility companies for work less than \$50,000 proposed to be done in conjunction with County road projects.

Reimbursement for the cost of doing work for the Fair Oaks Sewer Maintenance District and California Water Service Company will be through individual agreements with the utility companies.

There is no impact to the General Fund.