

**STAFF REPORT**  
**City of Lancaster**

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Date: December 14, 2010

To: Mayor Parris and City Council Members

From: Robert C. Neal, Director of Public Works

Subject: **Award of Bid - Public Works Construction Project No. 09-025  
Traffic Signal Upgrades HSIPL 5419(026)**

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**Recommendation:**

Award Public Works Construction Project No. 09-025, Traffic Signal Upgrades HSIPL 5419(026), to Freeway Electric, Inc., in the amount of \$461,060.00, plus a 10% contingency, for traffic signal improvements at five locations. Authorize the City Manager, or his designee, to sign all documents.

**Fiscal Impact:**

\$507,150.00 (including 10% contingency) to be awarded; sufficient funds are available in Capital Improvements Budget Account Numbers 217-12TS007-924 and 399-12TS007-924. Since these are improvements to existing traffic signals, there will be no additional maintenance costs to the current budget.

**Background:**

The project involves the modification of five traffic signals to improve intersection safety. Ninety percent of the construction cost is being federally funded through the Highway Safety Improvement Program (HSIP). The traffic signals that will be improved are at the following locations:

- Avenue I and 5<sup>th</sup> Street East
- Avenue J and 5<sup>th</sup> Street East
- Avenue J and 15<sup>th</sup> Street East
- Avenue J-8 and 15<sup>th</sup> Street West
- Avenue L and 20<sup>th</sup> Street West

On October 27, 2010, at 11:00 a.m., the City conducted a bid opening for Public Works Construction Project No. 09-025. Four sealed bid envelopes were received, opened, and read aloud. The bids were as follows:

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|---------------------------------|--------------|
| 1. Freeway Electric, Inc.       | \$461,060.00 |
| 2. Traffic Development Services | \$519,932.00 |
| 3. C.T. & F, Inc.               | \$543,598.14 |
| 4. Taft Electric, Inc.          | \$593,038.00 |
| Engineer's Estimate             | \$600,000.00 |

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