

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

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Date: August 14, 2012

To: Mayor Parris and City Council Members

From: Robert C. Neal, Director of Public Works

Subject: **Award of Bid – Informal Bid No. 1203, Street Nuisance Water Improvements, Avenue K, 11<sup>th</sup> Street East to Carol Drive**

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**Recommendation:**

Award Informal Bid No. 1203, Street Nuisance Water Improvements, Avenue K, 11<sup>th</sup> Street East to Carol Drive, to ANM Construction & Engineering of Lancaster, California, in the amount of \$166,850.00, plus a 10% contingency. Authorize the City Manager, or his designee, to sign all documents. This contract is awarded to the lowest responsible bidder per California Public Code Section 22038(b).

**Fiscal Impact:**

\$183,535.00 (including 10% contingency); sufficient funds are available in Capital Improvement Budget Account No. 484-17SD017-924. Additional annual maintenance costs are estimated to be \$7,140.00.

**Background:**

Avenue K, between 11<sup>th</sup> Street East and Carol Drive, has a history of significant nuisance water and flooding during rain events. An underground drainage system was installed in 2005 to help capture the nuisance water between 11<sup>th</sup> Street East and Carol Drive and convey it into an existing 50' wide drainage easement between 11<sup>th</sup> Street East and Yaffa Street. That system has become ineffective due to blockages and causes flooding and standing water in the gutters and street year round. The proposed project will upgrade eight existing drainage inlets into standard curb opening catch basins, remove and restore the existing leach system, and correct flow-lines in the gutters from 11<sup>th</sup> Street East to Carol Drive (including the commercial driveway just west of 11<sup>th</sup> Street East). Bio-filters and screens will also be installed in the catch basins to reduce the amount of debris, silt, and trash from entering the system. Six curb ramps will also be brought up to ADA standards.

On July 12, 2012, at 2:00 p.m., the City conducted a bid opening for Informal Bid No. 1203. One sealed bid envelope was received, opened, and read aloud. The bid is as follows:

1. ANM Construction & Engineering	<u>Bid</u> \$166,850.00
Engineer's Estimate:	\$160,000.00

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