

STAFF REPORT
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Date: July 22, 2014

To: Mayor Parris and City Council Members

From: Robert C. Neal, Director of Public Works

Subject: **Award of Bid – Public Works Construction Project No. 11-024,
Install Solar-Powered LED Stop Signs, HSIPL-5419(040)**

Recommendation:

Award Public Works Construction Project No. 11-024, Install Solar-Powered LED Stop Signs, HSIPL-5419(040), to Traffic Development Services, Inc., of Moorpark, California, in the amount of \$293,955.00 plus a 20% contingency, to install solar-powered signs and install/upgrade striping and markings at thirty-six (36) rural intersections. All intersections are located around existing Lancaster school sites. 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:

\$352,746.00 (including 20% contingency); sufficient funds are available in Capital Improvements Budget Account Nos. 210-12TC003-924 and 399-12TC003-924. Estimated annual maintenance costs are \$8,710.00.

Background:

The City of Lancaster received \$393,200.00 in the Cycle 4 Highway Safety Improvement Program (HSIP) for the installation of Solar-Powered LED Stop Signs and striping and marking updates at thirty-six (36) rural intersections.

This project involves installation of Solar-Powered LED Stop Signs and striping and marking updates at thirty-six (36) rural intersections near existing school sites within the City of Lancaster. All thirty-six (36) intersections will receive new thermoplastic striping and markings and new Solar-Powered LED Stop Signs. The improvements will increase safety for all pedestrians. Access through the various intersections will remain open and allow for movement.

This project is partially funded by an HSIP grant, and therefore, the City of Lancaster is prohibited from applying the Local Hiring Preference requirements. Per Local Hiring Ordinance No. 977, the City shall not apply the Local Hiring Preference when a State or Federal law or regulation prohibits the use of a Local Hiring requirement.

The City conducted a bid opening for Public Works Construction Project No. 11-024 on June 18, 2014, at 11:00 a.m. Six (6) sealed bid envelopes were received, opened and read aloud. The bids are as follows:

<u>Contractor</u>	<u>City</u>	<u>Bid Amount</u>
1. Traffic Development Services, Inc.	Moorpark	\$293,955.00
2. Chrisp Company	Fremont	\$300,760.00
3. Hobbs Construction, Inc.	Fresno	\$349,458.00
4. ANM Construction & Engineering	Lancaster	\$389,500.00
5. Sterndahl Enterprises, Inc.	Sun Valley	\$408,915.00
6. DOD Construction, LTD.	Bakersfield	\$486,320.00
Engineer's Estimate		\$402,700.00

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