

STAFF REPORT
City of Lancaster

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Date: December 11, 2007

To: Mayor Hearn and City Council Members

From: James R. Williams, Public Works Director

Subject: **Award of Bid - Public Works Construction Project No. 07-035**
2007 Traffic Signals

Recommendation:

Award Public Works Construction Project No. 07-035, 2007 Traffic Signals, to Taft Electric Company in the amount of \$1,465,409.44 plus a 10% contingency, for the construction of new traffic signals at 6 separate intersections. Authorize the City Manager, or his designee, to sign all documents.

Fiscal Impact:

\$1,611,950.38 (including 10% contingency); sufficient funds are available in Capital Improvements Budget Account Numbers 217-16TS001-924, 217-16TS005-924, 217-16TS007-924, 217-16TS012-924 and 217-16TS013-924.

\$39,000; the estimated annual cost for maintenance is \$6,500 per traffic signal. Six signals will be constructed with this project. Costs for traffic signals will be paid from the Street Lighting District.

Background:

The project, as designed, will install six new traffic signals at the following locations:

Avenue H and 10th Street West
Avenue J and 60th Street West
Avenue I and 13th Street West
Avenue L-12 and 10th Street West
Lancaster Blvd. and 3rd Street East
Sierra Highway and Milling Avenue

On November 20, 2007, at 11:00 a.m., the City conducted a bid opening for Public Works Construction Project No. 07-035. Two sealed bid envelopes were received, opened, and read aloud. The bids were as follows:

1. Taft Electric Company	\$1,465,409.44
2. C.T. & F. Inc.	\$1,805,449.60
Engineer's Estimate	\$1,643,455.50