STAFF REPORT

Lancaster Redevelopment Agency

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Date: December 9, 2008

To: Chairman Parris and Agency Board Members

From: Elizabeth Brubaker, Housing and Neighborhood Revitalization Director

Subject: Rejection of Bid – Single Family Residential Infill Contract #1

Recommendation:

Reject bid for Single Family Residential Infill Contract #1 for construction of infill housing.

Background:

This project was designed to construct two single-family infill residences in the North Downtown Transit Village Project area.

On October 14, 2008, the Lancaster Redevelopment Agency conducted a bid opening for Housing &Neighborhood Revitalization Single Family Residential Infill Contract #1. One sealed bid envelope was received, opened, and read aloud. The bid was as follows:

1. California Averland Construction, Inc.

\$832,600.00

Only one bid was received and it was substantially higher than the project estimate and exceeded the project budget. Therefore, staff recommends that the Agency Board reject the bid.

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