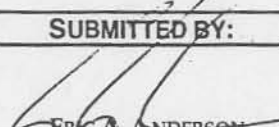


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DES MOINES, IOWA

CITY COUNCIL COMMUNICATION 96-066  
FEBRUARY 19, 1996 AGENDA

SUBJECT:	TYPE:	PREPARED BY:	SUBMITTED BY:
DOUGLAS/EUCLID AVENUE WIDENING (US 6)— PROPOSED REDUCTION IN CITY COSTS	◆ RESOLUTION RECEIVE/FILE	HAROLD E. SMITH CITY ENGINEER	 ERIC A. ANDERSON CITY MANAGER

**SYNOPSIS —**

On January 2, 1996, by Roll Call No. 96-109, the City Council approved an Addendum to Preconstruction Project Agreement 92-4-111 for a construction project on US 6 (Douglas/Euclid Avenue) from just east of ML King, Jr. Parkway to just west of Lower Beaver Road.

Subsequent to submitting the executed document to the IDOT, IDOT staff proposed minor changes in the funding participation by the City of Des Moines. These changes were primarily small corrections in storm sewer items, percentage participation in lump sum bid items, and a decrease from 50 percent to 35 percent City participation in traffic signals.

**FISCAL IMPACT —**

As a result of these revisions to the Preconstruction Project Agreement, City participation in this project would be reduced by approximately \$102,000 from \$762,000 to \$660,000 based on IDOT cost estimates. Some caution should be exercised by Council in that the costs shown are estimates only, subject to the accuracy of the estimates and the bidding climate at the time of construction. The CIP reserves \$820,000 for this project under Account Code 389247 (page 273) through FY96-97.

**RECOMMENDATION —**

Approval of this revision to the Addendum to Preconstruction Agreement No. 96-A-047 with the IDOT.