

# **Council Communication**

Office of the City Manager

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Agenda Item No. 7G
Roll Call No. 09Communication No. 09-491

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**City Engineer** 

# **AGENDA HEADING:**

Ordering construction of the following: 2009 Expanded Street Resurfacing Program - Contract 2 - Receiving bids, (7-28-09), and Setting date of hearing, (8-10-09). (Construction Estimate - \$2,334,000).

# **SYNOPSIS:**

Recommend the City Council proceed with construction of the improvement and set dates to receive bids and hold a public hearing, as required by Iowa Code, utilizing the method of financing referenced below. This project provides for partial and full depth patching, scarification of existing asphalt streets and hot mix asphalt (HMA) overlay of arterial and residential streets citywide. The project addresses citizen concerns regarding the condition of city streets by preserving deteriorating infrastructure.

# **FISCAL IMPACT:**

Amount: \$2,334,000, City Engineer's Estimate

<u>Funding Source</u>: 2009-2010 CIP, Page Street-42, Special City-wide Street Improvements, STR217, Being: \$1,643,915 in Gaming Monies from the Agreement with Polk County and The Racing Association of Central Iowa, and a transfer of \$690,085 in G.O. Bonds from Army Post Widening – SE 5th to SW 9th Streets, Page Street-4, STR229, due to receipt of Federal Stimulus Funds from the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA) of 2009 for Army Post Widening. The transferred \$690,085 in G.O. Bond funds will be used to resurface Prospect Road from Hickman Road to ML King Parkway, Hubbell Avenue from E 29th Street to E 33rd Street and Hubbell Avenue from University Avenue to Easton Boulevard, per City Council discussion.

# **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:**

The Engineering Department has prepared plans, specifications, form of contract documents and City Engineer's estimate for the construction of the 2009 Expanded Street Resurfacing Program - Contract 2, 06-2009-020. The improvement includes scarification of existing asphalt streets, furnish and place HMA, furnish and place pavement markings and other incidental items; in accordance with the contract documents, including Plan File Nos. 506-119/144, at the following locations in Des Moines, Iowa:

- E. 9th Street from Guthrie Avenue to Arthur Avenue
- 13th Street from University Avenue to Day Street
- S.E. 34th Street from Easter Lake Drive to Evergreen Avenue
- 48th Street Hickman Road to Beaver Crest Drive
- Clark Street from 23rd Street to 27th Street
- Day Street from 9th Street to 13th Street

- Delaware Avenue from Guthrie Avenue to E. Hull Avenue
- Euclid Avenue from Douglas Avenue to 27th Street
- Guthrie Avenue from North Union Street to Saylor Road
- Hubbell Avenue from E. 29th Street to E. 33rd Street
- Hubbell Avenue from University Avenue to Easton Boulevard
- McKinley Avenue from East of S.E. 5th Street to S.E. 14th Street
- Meredith Drive from Beaver Avenue to Merle Hay Road
- Prospect Road from Hickman Road to M.L. King Jr. Parkway
- South Union Street from Park Avenue to Bell Avenue
- Vandalia Road from CB&Q Street to S.E. 43rd Street.

The estimated construction cost is \$2,334,000. The proposed plans, specifications and form of contract documents are available for public inspection in the City Engineer's Office.

PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION(S): NONE

**BOARD/COMMISSION ACTION(S): NONE** 

### ANTICIPATED ACTIONS AND FUTURE COMMITMENTS:

Anticipated actions include public hearing, receive and file bids, designate lowest bidder and approve contract and bond; also, partial payments to the contractor and final acceptance of work.

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