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	Agenda Item No. 5A Roll Call No. <u>10-</u> Communication No. <u>10-158</u> Submitted by: Jeb E. Brewer, P.E. City Engineer	

AGENDA HEADING:

Ordering construction of the following: 2009 Bridge Embankment Scour Repairs - Receiving bids, (4-13-10), and Setting date of hearing, (4-26-10). (Construction Estimate - \$46,055).

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 the repair of erosion and scour at five bridges that were damaged during the floods of 2008. This project will not begin until river levels have receded enough to accomplish the work.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Amount: \$46,055 City Engineer's Estimate

Funding Source: 10/11 Operating Budget, Page 117, Storm Mitigation/Recovery, OPR178, Being: Anticipate 100% FEMA reimbursement under FEMA Disaster 1763 Project PW5253

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

The Engineering Department has prepared plans, specifications, form of contract documents, and City Engineer’s estimate for the construction of the 2009 Bridge Embankment Scour Repairs, 12-2009-004. The improvement includes a Class 10 borrow excavation, concrete slope pavement, remove and replace 4” PCC, 24” CMP pipe with flared end section, Class ‘B’ revetment, abutment and wing slope grading, flowable mortar and tree protection in accordance with the contract documents including Plan File Nos. 517-006/013 at the following bridge sites: Scott Avenue Bridge over Des Moines River, South Union Street Bridge over Yeader Creek, Easter Lake Drive and Evergreen Drive Bridges over Easter Lake and SE 30th Street Viaduct over UPRR Yard all in Des Moines, Iowa.

The estimated construction cost is \$46,055. 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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