

 <p style="text-align: center;">Council Communication Office of the City Manager</p>	Date:	May 7, 2012
	Agenda Item No.	7
	Roll Call No.	[_____]
	Communication No.	<u>12-215</u>
	Submitted by:	Jeb E. Brewer, P.E., City Engineer

AGENDA HEADING:

Approving and authorizing the execution of Iowa Department of Transportation Agreement for Grand Avenue over Walnut Creek Bridge Replacement.

SYNOPSIS:

Recommend approval of Iowa Department of Transportation Agreement No. 1-12-SBRU-012 for County and City Bridge Construction Funds

FISCAL IMPACT:

Amount: \$3,316,610.69 (Construction Contract)

Funding Source: 2012-2013 CIP, Page Bridge-11, Grand Avenue over Walnut Creek, BRV045, being: City Bridge Construction funds for 80% of construction costs with a \$1,000,000 maximum; \$1,600,000 G.O. Bonds issued, \$200,000 G.O. Bonds to be issued, and the remaining \$516,610.69 in Gaming Monies (including a transfer of \$216,610.69 in gaming funds from BRV039).

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

On March 24, 2008, under Roll Call No. 08-463, the City Council approved an agreement with the Iowa Department of Transportation (IDOT) for \$1,000,000 of Federal Highway Bridge Program Funds. In accordance with the approved agreement, IDOT received and opened bids on March 20, 2012. On April 9, 2012, City Council held the public hearing and entered into a construction contract with Jenco Construction Inc., Herluf H.S. Jensen, President, 6804 NW 2nd Street, Des Moines, Iowa, 50313.

IDOT has subsequently made state funding available in place of the Federal Highway Bridge Program funds. This agreement supersedes the previous agreement. The funding amounts are the same. State City Bridge Construction Funds are available for 80% of the eligible project costs up to a maximum of \$1,000,000. This change is administrative. All the contract requirements included in the project bid documents remain the same, including compliance with Davis Bacon. This will remove the federal audit requirements that are normally associated with federally funded projects.

PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION(S):

Date: April 9, 2012

Roll Call Number: [12-0567](#) and [12-0568](#)

Action: [On](#) Grand Avenue Bridge Over Walnut Creek: Resolution approving plans, specifications, form of contract documents, engineer's estimate, receive and file bids, and designating lowest responsible bidder as Jenco Construction, Inc., (Herluf H.S. Jensen, President), \$3,316,610.69. ([Council Communication No. 12-155](#)) Moved by Hensley to adopt. Motion Carried 7-0.

(A) [Approving](#) contract and bond and permission to sublet. Moved by Hensley to adopt. Motion Carried 7-0.

Date: March 12, 2012

Roll Call Number: [12-0374](#)

Action: Ordering construction of the following: [Grand](#) Avenue Bridge over Walnut Creek: Receiving of bids, (3-20-12), Setting date of hearing, (4-9-12). (Construction Estimate - \$3,189,754.65). ([Council Communication No. 12-116](#)). Moved by Hensley to adopt. Motion Carried 7-0.

Date: May 18, 2009

Roll Call Number: [09-825](#)

Action: Approving Professional Services Agreements for the following: [Shuck](#)-Britson, Inc. for evaluation, design and construction phase services for the Grand Avenue over Walnut Creek Bridge Replacement, not to exceed \$267,864. ([Council Communication No. 09-334](#)). Moved by Kiernan to adopt. Motion Carried 6-1. Absent: Cownie.

Date: March 24, 2008

Roll Call Number: [08-463](#)

Action: [Approving](#) execution of Iowa Department of Transportation (IDOT) Agreement for Grand Avenue over Walnut Creek Bridge Replacement. ([Council Communication No. 08-159](#)). Moved by Vlassis to adopt. Motion Carried 7-0.

BOARD/COMMISSION ACTION(S): NONE

ANTICIPATED ACTIONS AND FUTURE COMMITMENTS:

Partial payments to the contractor and final acceptance of work.

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