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	Agenda Item No.	5B
	Roll Call No.	<u>15-789</u>
	Communication No.	<u>15-257</u>
	Submitted by:	Pamela S. Cooksey, P.E., City Engineer

AGENDA HEADING:

Ordering construction of the following: 2015 Median Island Replacement - Receiving bids, (6-9-15), and Setting date of hearing, (6-22-15). Construction Estimate - \$450,000.

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 replacement of deteriorated medians on major roadways at various locations in the City of Des Moines.

FISCAL IMPACT:

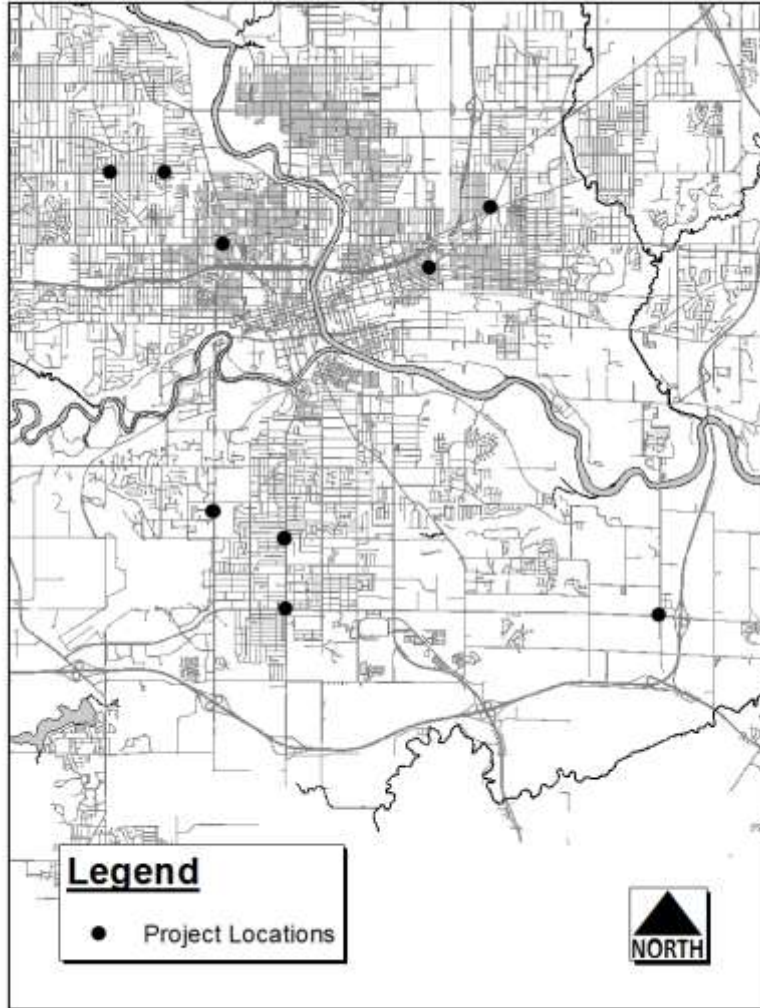
Amount: \$450,000 City Engineer's Estimate

Funding Source: 2015-2016 CIP, Page Street - 43, Traffic Median Island Replacement, TR034, G. O. Bonds

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

The Engineering Department has prepared plans, specifications, form of contract documents, and City engineer's estimate for the construction of the 2015 Median Island Replacement, 06-2015-003. The improvement includes reconstruction of raised Portland Concrete Cement (PCC) medians and other incidental items; in accordance with the contract documents, including Plan File Nos. 568-219/237, along Fleur Drive from Stanton Avenue to Watrous Avenue, Hubbell Avenue from Easton Boulevard to Guthrie Avenue, S.W. 9th Street at McKinley Avenue, Hubbell Avenue at E. 18th Street, Hickman Road at 30th Street, Beaver Avenue at Hickman Road, University Avenue at 19th Street, Army Post Road at S.W. 9th Street, and Army Post Road at S.E. 45th Street, Des Moines, Iowa.

The estimated construction cost is \$450,000. The proposed plans, specifications, and form of contract documents are available for public inspection in the Des Moines 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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