


COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

	Number: 21-569	Meeting: December 20, 2021
	Agenda Item: 77	Roll Call: 21-1974
	Submitted by: Steven L. Naber, P.E., City Engineer	

AGENDA HEADING:

Hearing on 2nd Avenue and Hull Avenue Traffic Signal Replacement: Resolution approving plans, specifications, form of contract documents, engineer's estimate, receive and file bids, and designating lowest responsible bidder as Iowa Signal, Inc., Wayne Lesley, President, \$166,902.84.

SYNOPSIS:

This is a public hearing to allow for public input on the 2nd Avenue and Hull Avenue Traffic Signal Replacement and take the necessary actions as required by Iowa Code to authorize a contract for construction of the proposed project. The project includes replacement of traffic signals at the intersection of 2nd Avenue and Hull Avenue.

FISCAL IMPACT:

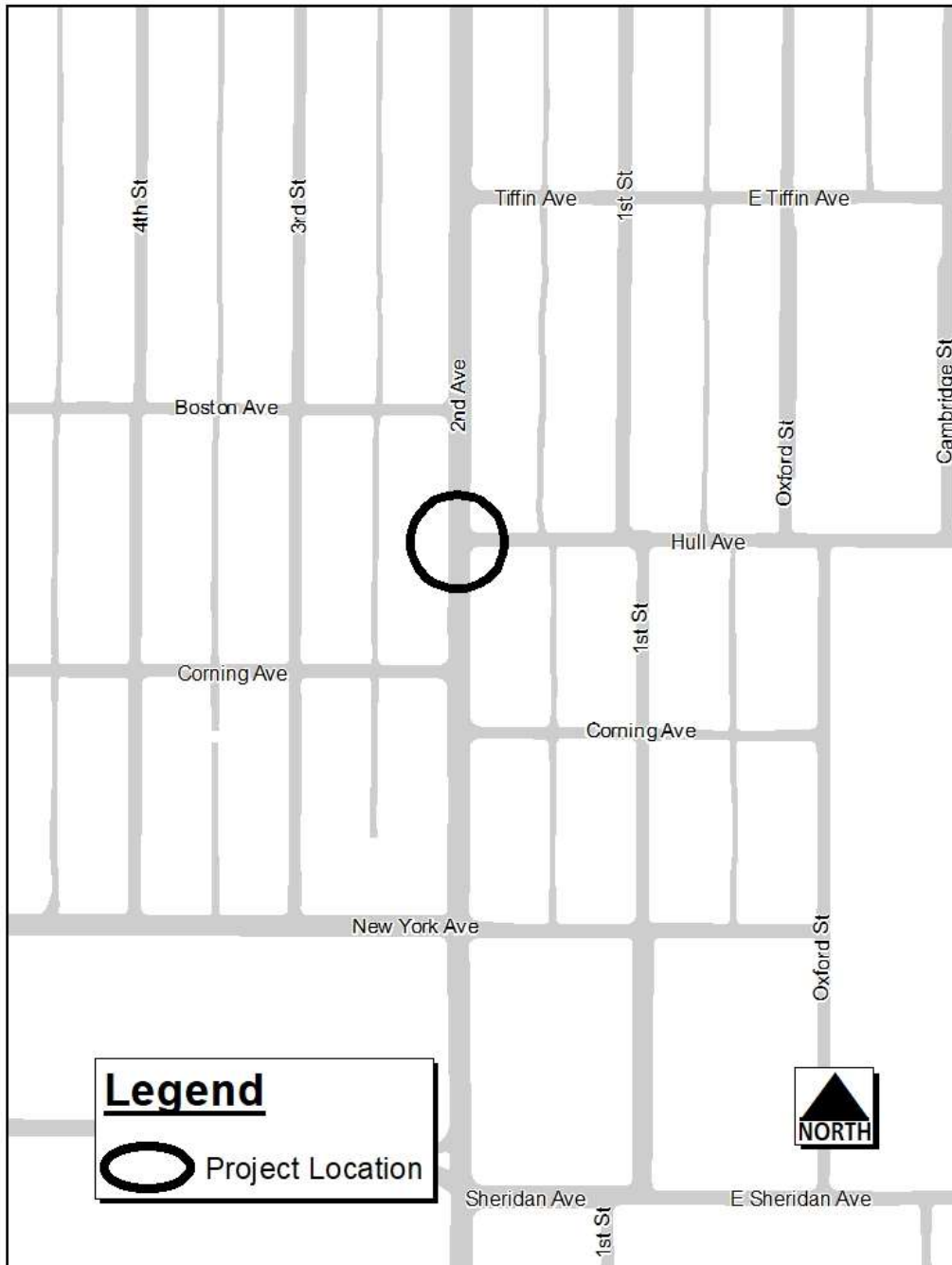
Amount: \$166,902.84 construction contract (\$300,000 City Engineer's Estimate)

Funding Source: 2021-2022 CIP, Page 163, Traffic Signals – Replacement, TR091, G. O. Bonds.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

- On November 1, 2021, under Roll Call No. 21-1639, the City Council received and filed plans, specifications, form of contract documents, and City Engineer's estimate for the construction of the 2nd Avenue and Hull Avenue Traffic Signal Replacement. Before the City Council can enter into a contract, it must hold a public hearing and approve the proposed plans, specifications, and form of contract documents and engineer's estimate for the construction of the 2nd Avenue and Hull Avenue Traffic Signal Replacement, Activity ID 04-2020-018. The improvement includes new traffic signals, Portland Cement Concrete (PCC) curb and gutter, PCC sidewalks, pavement markings, and other incidental items; all in accordance with the contract documents, including Plan File No. 630-227/243, located at the intersection of 2nd Avenue and Hull Avenue.
- Sealed bids for said improvement were submitted by the following bidders:
 - Iowa Signal, Inc., Grimes, IA, Low Bid
 - Van Maanen Electric, Inc., Newton, IA
 - Minturn, Inc., Brooklyn, IA

- The bids were received and opened at a public meeting presided over by the City Engineer in the City Council Chambers, 2nd Floor, City Hall, 400 Robert D. Ray Drive, Des Moines, Iowa at 11:00 a.m. on November 16, 2021.
- The City Engineer has determined that the lowest responsive, responsible bid for the construction of said improvement was submitted by Iowa Signal, Inc. (Wayne Lesley, President, 3711 S.E. Capitol Circle, Grimes, IA, 50111), in the amount of \$166,902.84, and said bid should be accepted. The Finance Director has determined that funds are available for said improvement as stated above.



PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION(S):

Date: November 1, 2021

Roll Call Number: [21-1639](#)

Action: Ordering construction of the following:

- (A) [2nd](#) Avenue and Hull Avenue Traffic Signal Replacement – Receiving of bids (11-16-21), Setting date of hearing (12-20-21), Engineer’s estimate, \$300,000. ([Council Communication No. 21-465](#)) Moved by Gatto to adopt. Motion Carried 6-1. Absent: Cownie.

BOARD/COMMISSION ACTION(S): NONE

ANTICIPATED ACTIONS AND FUTURE COMMITMENTS:

Partial payments to the contractor and final acceptance of work.

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