



# REPORT TO COUNCIL

## City of Sacramento

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CONSENT  
May 8, 2007

Honorable Mayor and  
Members of the City Council

**Title: Contract: 24<sup>th</sup> Street & Hogan Drive Traffic Signal Installation Project  
(PN: SM14)**

**Location/Council District:** 24<sup>th</sup> Street & Hogan Drive. Location map – Exhibit A of Resolution (District 5).

**Recommendation:** Adopt a **Resolution:** 1) approving plans and specifications for the 24<sup>th</sup> Street & Hogan Drive Traffic Signal Installation Project (PN: SM14); and 2) awarding the construction contract with Tim Paxin's Pacific Excavation, Inc. in the amount of \$209,302.

**Contact:** John Matoba, Associate Electrical Engineer, (916) 808-7891; Sompol Chatusripitak, Senior Electrical Engineer, (916) 808-5961.

**Presenters:** None

**Department:** Transportation

**Division:** Engineering Services

**Organization No:** 3434

### Description/Analysis

**Issue:** Bids have been received for the 24<sup>th</sup> Street and Hogan Drive Traffic Signal Installation Project (PN: SM14). Tim Paxin's Pacific Excavation, Inc. is the lowest responsive and responsible bidder. City Council approval is necessary to move forward with the awarding of the construction contract.

**Policy Considerations:** This action requested herein is consistent with the Sacramento City Code, Title 3 and with the City of Sacramento Strategic Plan goals of improving and expanding public safety.

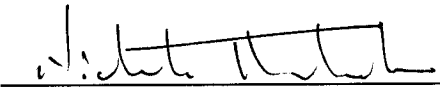
**Environmental Considerations:** The Development Services Department, Environmental Planning Services Division has reviewed the proposed action and determined that the project is exempt from the provisions of the California

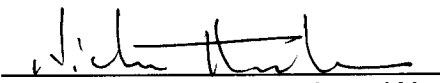
Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) under Categorical Exemption – State Class 3 and Section Number 15303(d).

**Rationale for Recommendation:** Tim Paxin's Pacific Excavation, Inc. is the lowest responsive and responsible bidder. Project funding is sufficient to award the contract.

**Financial Considerations:** The current project budget is \$427,000. As of April 12, 2007, the 24<sup>th</sup> Street and Hogan Drive Traffic Signal Installation Project (PN: SM14) has an unobligated balance of \$328,121, which is sufficient to execute the construction contract in the amount of \$209,302, provide for reimbursement of City furnished equipment, and cover remaining construction costs.

**Emerging Small Business Development (ESBD):** The ESBD goal is 20%. To encourage small and emerging business participation, plans and specifications were sent to 18 plan rooms and construction service organizations for publication. All are directly involved with Emerging and Small Business Enterprise (ESBE) construction firms. The project was also announced on the City's Project Internet site at [www.cityofsacramento.org/bids](http://www.cityofsacramento.org/bids). Pacific Excavation has 22.3% achieved ESBE participation.

Respectfully Submitted by:   
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Approved by:   
Jerry Way  
for Director of Transportation

Recommendation Approved:

  
RAY KERRIDGE  
City Manager

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**Attachment 1**

**Background**

The 24<sup>th</sup> Street and Hogan Drive intersection currently does not have a traffic signal. The installation of the signal will enhance the movement of traffic and provide safe crossings for pedestrians. Improvements will include constructing a traffic signal, reconstructing the existing curb ramps, and signing and striping.

The intersection of 24<sup>th</sup> Street and Hogan Drive is located approximately 800 feet from runway #30 of the Sacramento Executive Airport. City staff sent information to the FAA regarding this project. The FAA evaluated the signal at this location and determined that this project is not a hazard to air navigation if two conditions were met: 1) maximum structure height is 26 feet and 2) all structures have red beacon lights. The City's design meets the FAA conditions.

This project was advertised and bids were received on April 4, 2007. The results are summarized below:

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R.A.H. Electrical Contractors, Inc.	\$277,781	23.0%

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**RESOLUTION NO.**

Adopted by the Sacramento City Council

**APPROVING PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS AND AWARD CONTRACT  
FOR THE 24<sup>TH</sup> STREET AND HOGAN DRIVE TRAFFIC SIGNAL  
INSTALLATION PROJECT (PN: SM14)**

**BACKGROUND**

- A. The 24<sup>th</sup> Street and Hogan Drive intersection currently does not have a traffic signal. The installation of the signal will enhance the movement of traffic and provide a safe crossing for pedestrians. Improvements will include constructing a traffic signal, reconstructing the existing curb ramps, and signing and striping.
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**BASED ON THE FACTS SET FORTH IN THE BACKGROUND, THE CITY COUNCIL RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:**

- Section 1. Plans and specifications for the 24<sup>th</sup> Street and Hogan Drive Traffic Signal Installation Project (PN: SM14) are approved.
- Section 2. The construction contract is awarded to Tim Paxin's Pacific Excavation, Inc. in the amount of \$209,302.

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Exhibit A: Map of 24<sup>th</sup> Street and Hogan Drive Traffic Signal Installation Project  
(PN: SM14).

