



## AWARD WORKS OF PUBLIC CONSTRUCTION FOR THE WATER DIVISION PAVING PANEL

Public Utilities Department

City Council  
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## BACKGROUND

1. Contractor Panels were established by the Board and City Council to provide additional ability and capacity
2. Need was identified to reaffirm the Contractor Panels
3. February 13, 2017 – RPU Board unanimously recommended this item for Council Approval, along with the other two Contractor Panels



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## BACKGROUND (CONT.)

4. RPU's Water Division City Forces do not perform final paving
5. Formal bid Process – Too long to hire paving contractors
6. Paving Panel – Hire paving contractors more quickly
  - a) Seamless pipeline construction project
  - b) High level of customer service



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## BACKGROUND (CONT.)

7. Moving the Paving Panel forward at this time due to the urgency for paving



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## DISCUSSION

1. The Board authorizes projects \$50,000 and over by approval of the related Work Order
2. Staff solicits bids from the Paving Panel
3. Resolution authorizing the City Manager, or his designee, to issue the PO



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## RECOMMENDATIONS

That the City Council adopt a resolution, by at least five affirmative votes:

1. Authorizing the City Manager, or his designee, to award works of public construction to the lowest and responsive and responsible bidder for construction not to exceed \$500,000, for project advertised for bid under the Water Division Paving Panel, if the expenditure has been approved by either the Board of Public Utilities or the City Council, as applicable; and
2. Directing the City Manager to seek Board approval to add qualified contractors to the Water Division Paving Panel.



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