

Bid 7457 – Norte Vista Sidewalk Improvements Project

Public Works Department

City Council
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BACKGROUND

1. On September 26, 2013, Governor Brown signed legislation creating the Active Transportation Program (ATP) to encourage use of active modes of transportation - biking and walking.
2. On May 20, 2014, Public Works submitted an application for \$2,575,000 of ATP grant funds with a local match of \$258,000 to construct sidewalk on Gaylord Street, Jones Avenue, Chadbourne Avenue, and Bushnell Avenue.
3. On May 18, 2017, the City was allocated \$1,822,000 of the ATP grant funds to complete the construction of new sidewalk improvements.



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BACKGROUND (CONT)

4. On August 5, 2015, Public Works submitted an application for \$500,000 of MSRC grant funds for the same Project.
5. On September 3, 2015, the City was awarded \$500,000 of the Motor Vehicle Registration Fee Subvention Funds to implement clean air and complete streets with this Project.



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CURRENT PROJECT

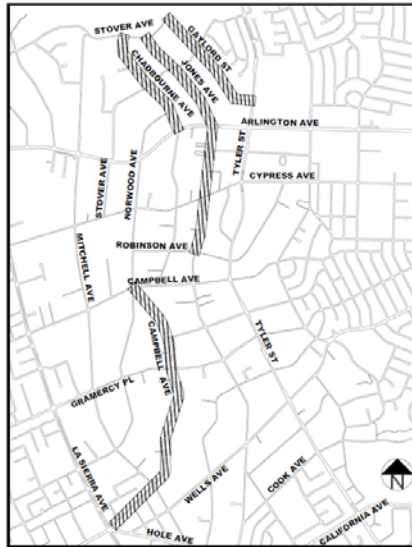
1. Construct 2.9 miles of sidewalk, curb, gutter, 23 pedestrian ramps, and 165 residential driveways;
2. Widen the existing pavement width from 20' or 24' wide to 31' to 35' wide.
3. Remove interfering trees, shrubs, and private fences;
4. Replace 16 power poles and install new electrical conduits, pullboxes, and 42 concrete streetlight standards.
5. Update stop signs, street name signs, and install pavement markings.
6. Resolve drainage issues within the Project limits.



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LOCATION MAP



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PHOTOS

BUSHNELL AVENUE



CHADBOURNE AVENUE



PROVIDE SIDEWALK, CURB, GUTTER, DRIVEWAYS, AND PEDESTRIAN RAMPS

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PHOTOS

GAYLORD STREET



REPLACEMENT OF POLES



JONES AVENUE



RESOLVE DRAINAGE ISSUES

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COMPETITIVE BIDS

- A. On December 8, 2017, eight bids were received for the construction of the project.
- B. The lowest responsive bid was from USS Cal Builders, Inc., of Stanton, California.
- C. Bid amount: \$3,304,094.40 (29.8% below estimate)



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RECOMMENDATIONS

That the City Council:

1. Accept grant funds from the California Department of Transportation Active Transportation Program Cycle I, in the amount of \$1,822,000, authorizing an increase to the Norte Vista Sidewalk Improvement project revenue account 9888928-331310 and the project expense account number 9888928-440309, in the same amount;
2. Accept grant funds from the Clean Transportation Funding of the Mobile Source Air Pollution Reduction Review Committee, in the amount of \$500,000, authorizing an increase to the Norte Vista Sidewalk Improvement project revenue account number 9888934-339000 and the project expense account number 9888934-440309, in the same amount;
3. Award a construction contract for Bid No. 7457 for the Norte Vista Sidewalk Improvements to USS Cal Builders, Inc., of Stanton, California in the amount of \$3,304,094.40; and
4. Authorize the City Manager, or his designee, to execute the construction contract with USS Cal Builders, Inc., including making minor and non-substantive changes.



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