



BID 8038
SANTA ANA RIVER TRAIL IMPROVEMENTS

Public Works Department

City Council
May 7, 2024

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BACKGROUND

1. On November 8, 2016, Measure Z, which is a one-cent transaction and use tax to help pay for critical unfunded City Programs and Services was approved by the City of Riverside voters.
2. On June 13, 2023, City Council authorized the allocation of \$6,492,000 in Measure Z funding for Parks capital improvement projects.
3. This allocation includes a \$340,000 supplemental appropriation for the Santa Ana River Trail Improvement project.



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DISCUSSION

In partnership with the Parks, Recreation and Community Services Department, this project proposed to improve the Santa Ana River Trail by

1. Installing swing gates and barriers to re-route pedestrian and bicyclists at two locations.
2. To provide unimpeded access to emergency vehicles.



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PROPOSED TRAIL IMPROVEMENTS

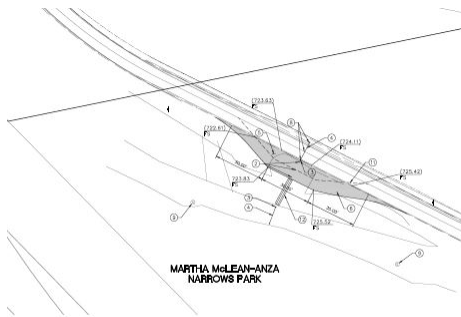


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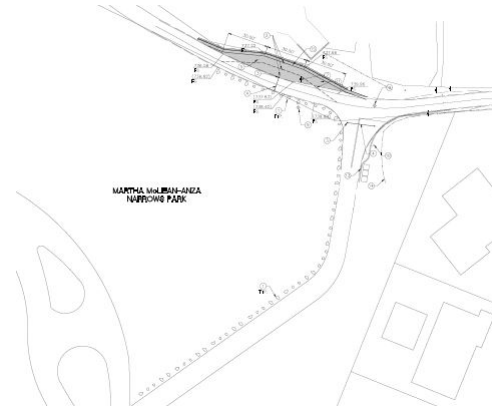
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North Improvements near Santa Ana River



Trail Entrance Improvements



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DISCUSSION

1. On January 18, 2024, the City released Bid No. 8038 for the Santa Ana River Trail Improvement through the City's PlanetBids bidding platform.
2. The City's Purchasing Division received seven bids and the lowest responsive bid was 0.75% over the Engineer's Estimate.



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STRATEGIC PLAN ALIGNMENT

Strategic Priority No. 1 Arts, Culture and Recreation

Goal No. 1.3 – Improve Parks, recreational amenities, open space, and trail development.

The item aligns with

Cross-Cutting Threads



Community Trust



Fiscal Responsibility



Sustainability & Resiliency



Equity



Innovation



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RECOMMENDATIONS

1. Award a construction contract for Bid No. 8038 for the Santa Ana River Trail Improvements to Voltaire Engineering Inc. of Redlands, California, in the amount of \$232,037.00.
2. Authorize the City Manager, or his designee, to execute the construction contract with Voltaire Engineering Inc., including making minor and non-substantive changes, subject to the availability of budgeted funds.



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