

# COUNTY OF SAN MATEO

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## Inter-Departmental Correspondence

Date: May 25, 2001

Board Meeting Date: June 5, 2001

**TO:** Honorable Board of Supervisors

**FROM:** Neil R. Cullen, Director of Public Works

**SUBJECT:** Reconstruction of Manzanita Avenue and Portions of Oakley Avenue and Camino A Los Cerros – West Menlo Park Area (Project No. R33S03, R4Y03-F36[324A])

### RECOMMENDATION

Adopt a resolution awarding and authorizing execution of a contract for the Reconstruction of Manzanita Avenue and Portions of Oakley Avenue and Camino A Los Cerros in the West Menlo Park Area.

### Previous Board Action

Adopted Resolution No 64404 on April 24, 2001, adopting Plans and Specifications, determining prevailing wage scales and calling for sealed proposals for the above-mentioned project.

### Discussion

On Tuesday, May 22, 2001, bids were accepted for this project and subsequently referred to this office for checking and recommendation. The bids have been checked and the bid of:

*Interstate Grading & Paving, Inc.  
128 South Maple Avenue  
South San Francisco, CA 94080*

at \$547,240.00 was the lowest bid received

The Engineer's estimate was \$545,000. A summary of the bids received is as follows:

1.	<b>Interstate Grading &amp; Paving, Inc.</b>	<b>\$ 547,240.00</b>
2.	O'Grady Paving, Inc.	\$ 615,445.00
3.	J.J.R. Construction, Inc.	\$ 682,434.75
4.	C.F. Archibald Paving, Inc.	\$ 683,318.75
5.	Granite Construction Company	\$ 716,233.50

Honorable Board of Supervisors

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The low bid is \$2,240 over the Engineer's estimate. However, we believe the bid is reasonable and are therefore recommending that a contract be awarded to Interstate Grading & Paving, Inc.

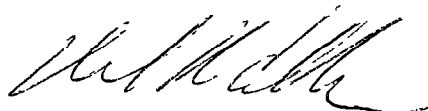
We have reviewed the contract documents and have determined that the Affirmative Action program submitted by Interstate Grading & Paving, Inc. is in accordance with the current Affirmative Action Guidelines.

### **Fiscal Impact**

The total estimated cost for construction and contingencies is \$602,000, which includes a ten percent (10%) contingency as the work is bid on a unit price basis (i.e., per ton for asphalt concrete placed, square yard of pavement fabric, etc.). The contingency is used to pay the Contractor for any additional material placed as the actual tonnage used depends on the unit weight of the asphalt and the tolerances for the actual thickness of the pavement placed.

The project is proposed to be financed with Road Funds and an appropriation for this project was approved in the 2000-01 Road Fund Budget. There is no impact to the General Fund.

A form of Resolution has been approved by County Counsel.



Neil R. Cullen  
Director of Public Works

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**File No.: F-36(324A)**

cc: Interstate Grading & Paving, Inc.  
128 South Maple Avenue  
South San Francisco, CA 94080  
Milt Mares, County Counsel

Resolution No. \_\_\_\_\_

Board of Supervisors, County of San Mateo, State of California

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**Resolution Awarding and Authorizing Execution  
of a Contract for the Reconstruction of Manzanita Avenue and Portions of Oakley Avenue  
and Camino A Los Cerros in the West Menlo Park Area  
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**RESOLVED**, by the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Mateo, State of California, that

**WHEREAS**, this Board of Supervisors did, on April 24, 2001, adopt Resolution No. 64404, which Resolution adopted the Plans and approved the Specifications, determined the prevailing wage scales and called for sealed proposals for the Reconstruction of Manzanita Avenue and Portions of Oakley Avenue and Camino A Los Cerros in the West Menlo Park Area; and

**WHEREAS**, the Clerk of this Board of Supervisors did, in public on May 22, 2001, open and examine all sealed proposals that were received in the specified time for the doing of the work referred to in said Resolution No. 64404, and

**WHEREAS**, this Board of Supervisors has caused an analysis of said sealed proposals to be made by the Director of Public Works of the County of San Mateo, and has, in open session, fully reviewed and considered said sealed proposals and the analysis thereof, and

**WHEREAS**, the lowest responsible bid was submitted by Interstate Grading & Paving, Inc , in the amount of **Five Hundred Forty-Seven Thousand, Two Hundred Forty and 00/100 Dollars (\$ 547,240.00)** based on an estimate of the amount of work to be done

**NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY DETERMINED AND ORDERED** as follows

1. That it is to the best interest of the County of San Mateo to award the contract for the Reconstruction of Manzanita Avenue and Portions of Oakley Avenue and Camino A Los Cerros in the West Menlo Park Area to:

**Interstate Grading & Paving, Inc.  
128 South Maple Avenue  
South San Francisco, CA 94080**

2. That the County of San Mateo shall enter into a written contract with **Interstate Grading & Paving, Inc.** for the doing of said work as required by the Plans and Specifications therefore adopted and approved by this Board of Supervisors, as hereinbefore mentioned, said Plans and Specifications being on file in the office of the Director of Public Works of the County of San Mateo.

3. That the President of this Board of Supervisors shall be, and is hereby, authorized and directed, for and on behalf of the County of San Mateo, to enter into said written contract with **Interstate Grading & Paving, Inc.** for doing of said work, as hereinbefore mentioned and to receive and approve the Faithful Performance Surety Bond and the Labor and Material Surety Bond required to be posted by the said Contractor with the County of San Mateo in connection therewith.

4. That all payments to the Contractor be in accordance with the Plans, Specifications, and other contract documents, based on the Director of Public Works written estimates of work actually done

5. That, Paragraph 4 above notwithstanding, aggregate payments to Contractor shall not exceed the sum of **Six Hundred Two Thousand and 00/100 Dollars (\$602,000.00)** without this Board's prior approval

6. That the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, County of San Mateo, is hereby authorized and directed to attest the signature of the President of this Board of Supervisors to said written contract

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