



# REPORT TO COUNCIL

## City of Sacramento

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Consent  
**March 4, 2008**

**Honorable Mayor and  
Members of the City Council**

**Title: DRAIN INLET REPLACEMENT 2008 (PN: XN42, X14010020)**

**Location/Council District:** The Drain Inlet Replacement 2008 project is located in various parts of the City.

**Recommendation:** Adopt a **Resolution** 1) approving the contract plans and specifications; and 2) awarding the contract to Florez Paving for an amount not to exceed \$298,603; and 2) transferring \$206,000 from the Drain Inlet Replacement FY2005 Project (PN: XN16, X14010004) to XN42.

**Contact:** David L. Brent, Engineering Services Division Manager, 808-1420; Rick Batha, Supervising Engineer, 808-1448

**Presenters:** Not Applicable

**Department:** Utilities

**Division:** Engineering Services

**Organization No:** 3332

### **Description/Analysis**

**Issue:** Department of Transportation and Department of Utilities have partnered to complete the work associated with replacing obsolete drain inlets and relocating these necessitated by the ongoing construction of curb ramps.

**Policy Considerations:** The requested action is in conformance with City Code Section 3.60, Articles I and III, which provides that the City Council may award competitively bid contracts to the lowest responsible bidder.

This report's recommendation is consistent with the City's Strategic Plan goals of improving and expanding public safety.

**Environmental Considerations:** The Department of Development Services, Environmental Planning Services Division has reviewed the project and determined that it is exempt from the provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) under Class 2 and Section number 15302(c) of the CEQA Guidelines, as the project consists of the replacement or reconstruction of

existing utility systems and/or facilities involving negligible or no expansion of capacity.

**Rationale for Recommendation:** Engineering Services developed plans and specifications, and advertised the project to solicit public bids. On February 6, 2008, the City Clerk opened sixteen (16) bids. The low bidder was Florez Paving. Staff recommends the contract be awarded to Florez Paving for an amount not to exceed \$298,603.

**Financial Considerations:** This project combines three fiscal year's budget intended for the replacement of drain inlets: Drain Inlet Replacement FY2005 (PN: XN16), Drain Inlet Replacement FY2006 (PN: XN32), and Drain Inlet Replacement FY 2007 (PN:XN42). The construction contract is for an amount not to exceed \$298,603, and the total costs to design, inspect and construct this project are estimated to be \$450,000. In order to award the contract and complete the project, the expenditure budget should be amended to reflect a transfer of \$206,000 from XN16 to XN42.

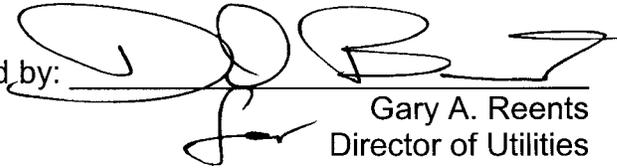
**Emerging Small Business Development (ESBD):** This project included participation goals of 20% for emerging and small business enterprises as required by Ordinance 99-007 and Resolution 99-055 relating to ESBD participation goals and policies, adopted by City Council on February 9, 1999. The lowest responsible bidder, Florez Paving, exceeded the ESBE goals with a participation level of 100%.

Respectfully Submitted by:



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Engineering Services Manager

Approved by:



Gary A. Reents  
Director of Utilities

Recommendation Approved:



Ray Kerridge  
City Manager

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**Attachment 1****Background**

Department of Transportation and Department of Utilities partnered to complete work associated with the construction of curb ramps which necessitates the relocation of drain inlets. There are 80 drain inlets identified for replacement, located in various parts of the City. Under a separate contract, Department of Transportation will facilitate the construction of curb ramps. When complete the combined projects will provide upgraded drain inlets and improved sidewalk accessibility.

After six weeks of advertisement, sixteen bids were received and opened on February 6, 2008. These bids are summarized below:

<b>Contractor</b>	<b>Bid Amount</b>
Florez Paving	\$298,603
Navajo Pipelines, Inc.	\$366,953
Hudson Excavation	\$413,915
D.A. Wood Construction	\$455,800
North Star Construction	\$517,960
Sierra National Construction	\$530,900
The Beebe Corporation	\$550,290
Newland Entities	\$605,615
AC General Engineering	\$620,426
Biondi Paving	\$658,205
L.R. Gomez Construction	\$669,275
W.R. Forde Associates	\$669,825
American Engineering and Asphalt	\$748,121
Terra Con Pipelines, Inc.	\$821,370
Sposeto Engineering, Inc.	\$893,085
Teichert Construction	\$946,530

The Engineer's estimate was \$503,000.

**Attachment 2**

**RESOLUTION NO.**

Adopted by the Sacramento City Council

**AWARD CONTRACT FOR DRAIN INLET REPLACEMENT 2008 PROJECT  
(PN: XN42, X14010020)**

**BACKGROUND**

- A. Department of Transportation and Department of Utilities have partnered to complete the work associated with replacing obsolete drain inlets and relocating these as part of the ongoing construction of curb ramps
- B. City staff prepared the plans and contract specifications to replace approximately 80 drain inlets with approximately 2700 linear feet of drain inlet pipe. The project was advertised for bidding and sixteen bids were received in February 6, 2008. Florez Paving was the lowest responsible bidder.

**BASED ON THE FACTS SET FORTH IN THE BACKGROUND, THE CITY COUNCIL  
RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:**

- Section 1. The contract plans and specifications for the Drain Inlet Replacement 2008 project (PN: XN42) are approved, and the construction contract is awarded to Florez Paving for an amount not to exceed \$298,603.
- Section 2. Transfer \$206,000 from the Drain Inlet Replacement FY2005 Project (PN: XN16, X14010004) to the Drain Inlet Replacement Project (PN: XN42, X14010020).