

CITY OF CALIFORNIA CITY

MEMORANDUM

Consent Agenda Item:
June 19, 2007

TO: Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council

FROM: William Way, City Manager

SUBJECT: Airport Widening Project Advertising Approval - Municipal Airport Runway 6-24 Widening AIP Project No. 3-06-0341-09&10.

Background

The widening of runway 6-24 from the existing 60 feet to 75 feet wide, is to comply with the airport improvements recommendations outlined on the Municipal Airport Master Plan. The master plan was prepared by DMJM Aviation and approved by the City on December 13, 2005, and conditionally approved by the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) on January 24, 2006. The City was granted federal assistance through FAA Airports Improvements Program (AIP) and Caltrans Division of Aeronautics. The City instructed Helt Engineering, Inc. to prepare the plans and specifications.

The City received authorization from FAA to advertise this project on letter dated May 18, 2007. The FAA deadline to receive a tabulation of bids is July 27, 2007. Helt Engineering, Inc. prepared and finalized the project plans and specification following FAA and Caltrans Division of Aeronautics design guidelines. The FAA minimum advertising period is 30 calendar days.

Recommendation:

In order to improve airport safety and to comply with FAA regulations Staff recommends that the City approve the advertisement of the Notice to Contractors for the construction of the above referenced project. Staff further recommends the City accept the advertising date of June 20, 2007. The bid opening is schedule to be on July 24, 2007.

Staff also recommends the City authorize the Airport Manager and/or Helt Engineering, Inc to file the require paperwork with Federal Aviation Administration and Department of Transportation Division of Aeronautics to fund and manage this project.

Fiscal Impact:

The sources of funding are:

FAA Construction Grant AIP No. 3-06-0341-09&10	\$ 1,797,295.00
Caltrans Division of Aeronautics	\$ 99,850.00
City of California City – Local Match	\$ 99,850.00
TOTAL FUNDS:	\$ 1,996,995.00

Attachments: Plans and Specifications Approval Notice
 Reduced scale of project plans.

ENVIRONMENTAL ACTION: None