

RESOLUTION NO. _____

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHULA VISTA ACCEPTING BIDS AND AWARDING A CONTRACT FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE TRAFFIC SIGNAL MODIFICATIONS AT FOUR INTERSECTIONS: FOURTH AVENUE & J STREET, HILLTOP DRIVE & L STREET, THIRD AVENUE & H STREET, AND THIRD AVENUE & I STREET (CIP# TRF0388) PROJECT TO HMS CONSTRUCTION, INC. IN THE AMOUNT OF \$893,565.50; AND APPROPRIATING \$260,000 FROM THE AVAILABLE BALANCE OF THE TRAFFIC SIGNAL FUND TO TRF0388

WHEREAS, Chapter 2.56 of the Chula Vista Municipal Code authorizes the City to contract for public works;

WHEREAS, City staff prepared plans and specifications for the “Traffic Signal Modifications at Four Intersections: Fourth Avenue/”I” Street; Hilltop Drive/”L” Street; Third Avenue/”H” Street and Third Avenue/”I” Street – HSIP (CIP# TRF0388)” project (Project) and advertised the Project on September 22, 2017; and

WHEREAS, on October 18, 2017, the Director of Engineering and Capital Projects received five (5) sealed bids for the Project; and

WHEREAS, the apparent low bid was submitted by HMS Construction, Inc. in the amount of \$893,565.50 (adjusted to account for minor computational errors) which is \$80,100.50 (approximately 10%) above the Engineer's estimate of \$813,465.00; and

WHEREAS, staff has determined that the bid submitted by HMS Construction, Inc. is responsive in all material aspects to the bid specifications/requirements, and that HMS Construction, Inc. is the lowest responsive and responsible bidder; and

WHEREAS, staff recommends awarding the project contract in an amount of \$893,565.50 to HMS Construction, Inc.

WHEREAS, staff recommends an appropriation of \$260,000 from the available balance of the Traffic Signal Fund to HSIP Grant project “Traffic Signal Modifications at Four Intersections: Fourth Avenue/”I” Street; Hilltop Drive/”L” Street; Third Avenue/”H” Street and Third Avenue/”I” Street (CIP# TRF0388)” for purposes of completing the project; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Chula Vista that it accepts bids and awards a contract for the “Traffic Signal Modifications at Four Intersections: Fourth Avenue/”I” Street; Hilltop Drive/”L” Street; Third Avenue/”H” Street and Third Avenue/”I” Street (CIP# TRF0388)” project to HMS Construction, Inc. in the amount of \$893,565.50;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Chula Vista that it appropriates \$260,000 from the available balance of the Traffic Signal Fund to TRF0388;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Chula Vista that it hereby authorizes and directs the Mayor, or designee, to execute the Project contract on behalf of the City of Chula Vista, and directs that a copy of such contract be kept on file with the City Clerk.

Presented by

William S. Valle
Director of Engineering &
Capital Projects/City Engineer

Approved as to form by

Glen R. Googins
City Attorney