

## AGENDA



Thursday, August 21, 2008

**Contract and Land Management  
RECOMMENDATION FOR COUNCIL ACTION****Item No. 10**

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**Subject:** Authorize execution of a construction contract with AARON CONCRETE CONTRACTORS L.P. (MBE/MH 62.64%), Austin, Texas for Traffic Systems Management (TSM) – Stassney at IH 35 Intersection Improvement in an amount of \$268,957 plus a \$13,448 contingency, for a total contract amount not to exceed \$282,405.

**Amount and Source of Funding:** Funding is available in the Fiscal Year 2007-2008 Capital Budget of the Public Works Department.

**Fiscal Note:** A fiscal note is attached.

**For More Information:** Luciano Tamayo 974-7212, Robert Hengst 974-3490, April Thedford 974-7141

**Purchasing Language:** One bid received.

**MBE/WBE:** This contract will be awarded in compliance with Chapter 2-9A of the City Code (Minority Owned and Women Owned Business Enterprise Procurement Program) by meeting the goals with 8.12 % MBE and 4.16 % WBE subcontractor participation.

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This project consists of adding a right turn lane at the intersection of East Stassney Lane and IH 35 Frontage Road North Bound, 6-foot wide sidewalk, curb and gutter, metal beam guardrail, traffic signal replacement, embankment and re-striping.

The proposed intersection improvement project will alleviate traffic problems in the area particularly during peak hours.

Due to the potential for unknown subsurface conditions and utility presence within the right-of-way, a 5 % contingency in funding has been added to allow for future change orders.

The contract allows 130 calendar days for completion of this project.