



CITY OF COMMERCE AGENDA REPORT

TO: HONORABLE CITY COUNCIL **Item No.** _____

FROM: CITY ADMINISTRATOR

SUBJECT: APPROVE AN AMENDMENT TO AN EXISTING FUNDING AGREEMENT WITH METRO, TO EXTEND THE FUNDING FOR WASHINGTON BLVD

MEETING DATE: October 18, 2016

RECOMMENDATION:

Per recommendation of Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority (METRO), it is recommended that council approve an amendment to an existing funding agreement, to extend the funding for Washington Blvd to February 28, 2018.

ANALYSIS:

As part of its August 25, 2016 meeting, the Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority (METRO) Board of Directors approved staff's recommendation for the 2016 Call for Projects (Call) Recertification and De-obligation process. Accordingly, the City of Commerce project, Washington Blvd widening and reconstruction is being extended by 20 months to February 28, 2018. This action enables the City of Commerce to expend Call funds subject to executing an amendment to the existing agreement. The amendment must be executed by December 31, 2016.

FISCAL IMPACTS:

There are no fiscal impacts.

ALTERNATIVES:

1. Approves staff's recommendation
2. Reject staff's recommendation
3. Provide staff with further direction

RELATIONSHIP TO STRATEGIC GOALS:

The issue is applicable to the following Council's strategic goal: *"Improve and maintain infrastructure and beautify our community"* as identified in the 2012 Strategic Plan.

ATTACHMENTS:

1. Draft Bridge Painting Scheme
2. Env Amendment by Blodgett Associates
3. Maintenance Agreement with Caltrans

Respectfully submitted:
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Reviewed by:
Vilko Domic, Finance Director

Approved as to form:
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