

RESOLUTION NO. 16-152

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COMMERCE, CALIFORNIA APPROVING THE EXECUTION OF A CONSTRUCTION CONTRACT WITH POLYCHROME CONSTRUCTION, INC FOR THE CITYWIDE BUS SHELTER BEAUTIFICATION PROJECT (PUBLIC WORKS PROJECT NO. 2016-29) AND REJECTING ALL OTHER BIDS

WHEREAS, on September 6, 2016, the City Council approved and authorized the expenditure of \$110,000 in Measure AA funds from Category “E” – City Beautification Activities/Projects (as recommended by the Measure AA Committee on August 10, 2016) for the required design and construction of the Citywide Bus Shelter Beautification Project (Public Works Project No. 2016-29) (hereafter, the “Project”), and amended the City’s Fiscal Year 2016-17 Capital Improvement Program to include the Citywide Bus Shelter Beautification Project; and

WHEREAS, on October 18, 2016, the City Council approved the bid package for the Project. The scope of work for the Project includes 58 City owned bus shelters, 81 benches and 72 trash cans located at the bus stops throughout the City; and

WHEREAS, on October 18, 2016, the City Council also approved the Notice of Exemption per the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), 14 California Code of Regulations § 15301, as a Class 1 categorical exemption (Existing Facilities) for the Project; and

WHEREAS, the Project was advertised in the Commerce Comet and in various contractor trade publications; and

WHEREAS, on November 22, 2016, the Public Works and Development Services Department received nine (9) sealed bids; and

WHEREAS, after careful examination and evaluation of all bids received and reference checks, Polychrome Construction, Inc., was determined to be the lowest responsive and responsible bidder at a cost of \$68,270; and

WHEREAS, staff recommends a 10% construction contingency for unforeseen items and/or issues with the Project, in the amount of \$6,827; and

WHEREAS, on December 1, 2015, per Resolution No. 15-126, the City Council approved an on-call agreement with Transtech Engineers, Inc. (Transtech), which authorizes Transtech to provide inspection, construction management, and project management services for City projects. Staff recommends that the City Council authorize Transtech to perform such services for the Project, at a cost of \$7,500;

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NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COMMERCE DOES HEREBY RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The Construction Contract with Polychrome Construction, Inc. for Citywide Bus Shelter Beautification Project (Public Works Project No: 2016-29), in the amount of \$68,270.00, is hereby approved. The Mayor is authorized to execute the Contract for and on behalf of the City.

Section 2. A ten percent construction contingency in the amount of \$6,827.00 for unforeseen conditions, is hereby approved for the Project; and

Section 3. Transtech Engineers, Inc. (Transtech) is authorized to provide construction management, construction inspection and project management services in the amount of \$7,500. Such services will be provided pursuant to its existing on-call professional services agreement dated November 10, 2015.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 6th day of December, 2016.

Ivan Altamirano, Mayor

ATTEST:

Lena Shumway, City Clerk