

CITY OF COMMERCE AGENDA REPORT

TO:	Honorable City Council	Item No.

FROM: City Administrator

SUBJECT: RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING GIBSON TRANSPORTATION

CONSULTING, INC., PURSUANT TO AN EXISTING ON CALL SERVICES AGREEMENT, TO CONDUCT A TRAFFIC IMPACT STUDY FOR A PROPOSED PROJECT AT 7316 GAGE AVENUE

MEETING DATE: April 18, 2017

RECOMMENDATION:

Adopt a resolution authorizing Gibson Transportation Consulting, Inc., to conduct a traffic impact study for a proposed project at 7316 Gage Avenue, in the amount of \$31,146.50 (which includes a 10 percent contingency) pursuant to their existing on call services agreement.

BACKGROUND:

Gibson Transportation Consulting, Inc. was formed in 2009 and specializes in traffic engineering, transportation planning, and parking consulting services to both public and private sector clients. The firm has over 180 years of collective transportation analysis experience, most of which has been gained on projects located in Southern California and across the western United States. They specialize in the preparation of transportation and parking sections of environmental documents for large and small development projects, general and specific plans, and regional and local transportation projects.

ANALYSIS:

Public Works and Development Services staff is currently reviewing an application for development of a proposed 172,119 square foot industrial building at 7316 Gage Avenue. The proposal is subject to review pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), which requires the potential traffic impacts of a project to be analyzed. Staff recommends that the City Council authorize Gibson Transportation Consulting, Inc. to conduct said work. The cost for completing the subject work will be \$28,315, plus a ten percent contingency, for a total of \$31,146.50.

ALTERNATIVES:

- 1. Approve staff recommendation
- 2. Disapprove staff recommendation
- 3. Provide further direction to staff

FISCAL IMPACT:

The total authorization amount being requested is as follows:

Item						Amount
General		Engineering	Services	with	Gibson	\$28,315.00
Transportation Consulting						. ,
Continger	ncy (10%	(o)				\$2,831.50
Total Authorization =						\$31,146.50

The cost for the subject services will be covered by the project proponent.

RELATIONSHIP TO STRATEGIC GOALS:

The issue before the Council is consistent with the Environmental Compliance, Monitoring, and Reporting Action Item under the Infrastructure and Facilities section of the City's Strategic Plan. This Action Item calls for City oversight and management of environmental compliance for development projects, regulations, public engagement, and coordination with other agencies.

Recommended by: Maryam Babaki, Director of Public Works & Development Services

Reviewed by: Vilko Domic, Finance Director

Approved as to form: Eduardo Olivo, City Attorney

Respectfully submitted: Matthew Rodriguez, Interim City Administrator

ATTACHMENT:

1) Resolution and Scope of Services