

MEMORANDUM

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS
County of Placer

TO: BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

DATE: September 9, 2008

FROM: ^{JOS} KEN GREHM / KEVIN ORDWAY

SUBJECT: FORESTHILL ROAD REALIGNMENT PROJECT

ACTION REQUESTED / RECOMMENDATION

Adopt a Resolution approving the project plans and specifications, authorizing the Chairman of the Board of Supervisors to sign the cover sheet, and authorize the Department of Public Works to advertise for bids to construct the Foresthill Road Realignment Project.

BACKGROUND/SUMMARY

The Foresthill Road Realignment project proposes to realign Foresthill Road near the intersection with Upper Lake Clementine with funding from the federal Hazard Elimination Safety (HES) Program. The realignment will enhance safety by improving curve radii and super elevation of the roadway. DPW is ready to proceed with construction of this project and is seeking authorization from the Board to advertise for construction bids.

ENVIRONMENTAL

A Categorical Exemption under Section 15302-class 2(c) of the California Environmental Quality Act was approved and a Notice of Exemption was filed with the State Clearing House on October 4, 2007. A Categorical Exclusion under the National Environmental Policy Act was approved by Caltrans on January 31, 2008.

FISCAL IMPACT

The total construction costs are estimated at approximately \$400,000 for the Foresthill Road Realignment Project and will be funded with \$297,000 from the Hazard Elimination Safety grant and the remainder will be funded with Traffic Mitigation Fees. The construction date is contingent upon Caltrans' construction authorization date. There is sufficient funding in the 2008/2009 Fiscal Year Budget for this work.

Attachment:

Resolution
Location Map

A copy of the plans and specifications is on file with the Clerk of the Board.

**Before the Board of Supervisors
County of Placer, State of California**

In the matter of: A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE PROJECT PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS FOR USE IN BIDDING AND CONSTRUCTION OF THE PROJECT; AUTHORIZING THE CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD TO SIGN THE COVER SHEET OF THE PLANS; AND AUTHORIZING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS TO ADVERTISE FOR BIDS TO CONSTRUCT THE FORESTHILL ROAD REALIGNMENT PROJECT.

Resol. No:.....

Ord. No:.....

First Reading:.....

The following RESOLUTION was duly passed by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Placer at a regular meeting held _____, by the following vote on roll call:

Ayes:

Noes:

Absent:

Signed and approved by me after its passage.

Attest:
Clerk of said Board

Chairman, Board of Supervisors

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Placer, State of California, that this Board approves the project plans and specifications for use in bidding and construction of this project; authorizes the Chairman of the Board to sign the cover sheet of plans; and authorizes the Department of Public Works to advertise for bids to construct the Foresthill Road Realignment Project.

**FORESTHILL ROAD REALIGNMENT PROJECT
LOCATION MAP**



