



**MEMORANDUM**  
**PROCUREMENT SERVICES DIVISION**  
County of Placer

**TO:** Honorable Board of Supervisors **DATE:** October 25, 2022  
**FROM:** Jane Christenson, Acting County Executive Officer  
**BY:** Brett Wood, Purchasing Manager  
**SUBJECT:** Lower Secline Water Quality Improvement Project – Reject All Bids

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**ACTION REQUESTED**

1. Authorize rejection of all bids received for the Lower Secline Water Quality Improvement Project Bid No. 20271.

**BACKGROUND**

The Lower Secline Water Quality Improvement Project (WQP) is located within Placer County on the north shore of Lake Tahoe in the unincorporated town of Kings Beach. The project site is on Secline Avenue south of State Route 28 and Brockway Vista Avenue.

Placer County Department of Public Works (DPW) has designed and implemented numerous phases of the Kings Beach Water Quality Improvement project over the last two decades. The watershed improvement project consists of drainage conveyance, stabilization, revegetation, road runoff treatment and paving in the Kings Beach area. Currently, the Brockway Vista/Lower Secline area has not been addressed due to various conflicting projects in the area. Both roads are either unpaved or in poor pavement condition and are near the lake (less than 200 feet).

On March 8, 2022, your Board approved the plans and specifications for the Lower Secline Water Quality Improvement Project, Project No. PJ00494 and authorized the Director of Public Works, or designee, to advertise for construction bids. The intent of the project is to pave the existing dirt roads, formalize parking areas, stabilize road shoulders, and install water quality improvements to reduce the quantity of sediment transport. To identify a qualified construction firm, DPW enlisted the assistance of the Procurement Services Division to develop Bid No. 20271. Over eight hundred firms were notified of the solicitation, and bids were received from two firms, Baldoni Construction Services Inc. of Newcastle, CA and Burdick Excavating Co. Inc. of Carson City, NV.

Both bids were found to be responsive and responsible; however due to an administration matter, the required permits, licensing, and approvals to proceed were not complete in order to proceed with an award recommendation. Due to the inability to proceed with the project, DPW and Procurement recommends rejecting all bids. Procurement Services will re-solicit bids for this project later when all the necessary permits, approvals, and licensing to proceed with

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construction are secured. Therefore, it is in the best interest in the County to reject all bid responses at this time.

**FISCAL IMPACT**

There is no immediate fiscal impact resulting from this action.

**ATTACHMENTS**

None