

MEMORANDUM

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS
County of Placer

TO: BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

DATE: March 26, 2013

FROM:  KEN GREHM / PETER KRAATZ

SUBJECT: ROLLINS LAKE ROAD SAFETY IMPROVEMENT PROJECT

ACTION REQUESTED / RECOMMENDATION

1. Adopt a Resolution approving the project plans and specifications, authorizing the Chair of the Board to sign the cover sheet. There is no net County cost.
2. Authorize the Department of Public Works to advertise for bids for the Rollins Lake Road Safety Improvement Project which is estimated to cost \$680,000.

BACKGROUND / SUMMARY

The Department of Public Works is proposing to improve Rollins Lake Road from Norton Grade Road to You Bet Lane, 1.5 miles north of the City of Colfax, California.

In order to increase safety, the Department of Public Works is proposing to widen the shoulders at several locations, install new guardrail and upgraded existing guardrail, install curve warning signs, and apply micro-surfacing to the 1.5 miles section of Rollins Lake Road. The micro-surface will increase the skid resistance of the road surface. DPW also proposes to cut back a hill slope at the Rollins Lake Road and Norton Grade Road intersection to improve sight distance.

ENVIRONMENTAL

A Categorical Exemption was determined appropriate for this project by the Placer County Department of Public Works pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA). A Notice of Exemption was filed with the County Clerk on June 18, 2012. A Categorical Exclusion under the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) was approved by Caltrans on November 29, 2012.

FISCAL IMPACT

The total estimated construction cost of the Rollins Lake Road Improvement Project is approximately \$680,000. This project is primarily funded through the Highway Safety Improvement Program funding (\$578,500). Federal project grant funds are matched by Traffic Impact Fees and other local funds with no net County cost. Funding for the project is included in the 2012-2013 Fiscal Year Budget.

Attachments: Resolution
Location Map

A copy of the Plans, Specifications, and Estimate is on File with the Clerk of the Board.

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

In the matter of:

Resol. No: _____

**A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE PROJECT
PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS;
AUTHORIZING THE CHAIR 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 ROLLINS LAKE ROAD SAFETY
IMPROVEMENT PROJECT, CONTRACT NO.
1146.**

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

Ayes:

Noes:

Absent:

Signed and approved by me after its passage.

Chair, Board of Supervisors

**Attest:
Clerk of said Board**

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Placer, State of California, that this Board approves the project plans and specifications for the Rollins Lake Road Safety Improvement Project

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED AND ORDERED , by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Placer, State of California, that this Board approves and authorizes the chair to sign the cover sheet

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED AND ORDERED , by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Placer, State of California, that this Board authorizes the Public Works Department to advertise for bids to construct the Rollins Lake Road Safety Improvement Project, Contract No. 1146, at no net cost to the County.

Placer County Department of Public Works Rollins Lake Road Safety Improvement Project Colfax, CA



