

**MEMORANDUM**  
**COUNTY OF PLACER**  
**DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES**  
**PROCUREMENT SERVICES DIVISION**

TO: Honorable Board of Supervisors

FROM: Brett Wood, Purchasing Manager  
Ken Grehm, Director of Public Works

DATE: July 7, 2015

SUBJECT: Lower Chipmunk and Outfall Water Quality Improvement Project No. 000917 – Burdick Excavation Company Inc.

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**ACTION REQUESTED**

1. Approve the award and contract execution of competitive Bid No. 10447 to Burdick Excavation Company Inc., of Carson City, NV for project improvements for the next-phase component of Placer County's overall watershed drainage improvement master plan for the Kings Beach area in the amount of \$1,539,670. Funding is provided by the United States Forest Service and the California Tahoe Conservancy;
2. Authorize the Director of Public Works, or designee, to execute contract change orders up to \$107,777.

**BACKGROUND**

The Kings Beach Water Quality Improvement Project (Lower Chipmunk and Outfall Water Quality Project) is located in the unincorporated community of Kings Beach along the north shore of Lake Tahoe. The proposed project improvements will provide separation of clean storm water and urban storm water, thereby increasing the efficiency and effectiveness of treating the urban storm water. Specifically, the project will include a clean storm water bypass pipe and outfall that, in the future, will connect with storm water infrastructure built upstream as part of the next phase of the Kings Beach Commercial Core Improvement Project- Gateway to the Core.

The project is identified in the Tahoe Regional Planning Agency Environmental Improvement Program (EIP) as Project EIP No. 10600.

The Department of Public Works enlisted the assistance of the Procurement Services Division to develop Invitation for Bids No. 10447 for lower Chipmunk and Outfall water quality improvement, project No. 00917. The bid was advertised and solicited in accordance with the Public Contract Code. Three hundred and nine firms were notified of the bid, eight-one firms accessed the bid documents, and formal responses were received from one firm.

Due to the low number of responses, the Procurement Services Division contacted firms which had accessed the bid documents. Most of the firms indicated they did not choose to respond due to other job commitments and timing constraints. Based on the bid received and the engineer's estimate, staff determined that the bid response represents an accurate reflection of the current market.

The sole response was evaluated in accordance with the criteria stated in the bid solicitation and the Public Contract Code. Based on the evaluation, Burdick Excavating Co, Inc. is a responsive and

responsible bidder. Procurement Services received no bid protests. The recommended contractor possesses a valid California Contractors License as required. The contractor and the listed subcontractors are registered with Department of Industrial Relations. DPW concurs with Procurement's recommendation.

Therefore, your Board's approval is required to proceed with the award of Contract No. 000917 in the amount of \$1,539,670, and to authorize the Director of Public Works to approve and sign contract change orders not to exceed \$107,777.00.

## **ENVIRONMENTAL**

The County has prepared a Mitigated Negative Declaration (MND) pursuant to the requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) and the Placer County Environmental Review Ordinance. The MND (EIAQ-3350) was approved by the Board of Supervisors on December 9, 2008.

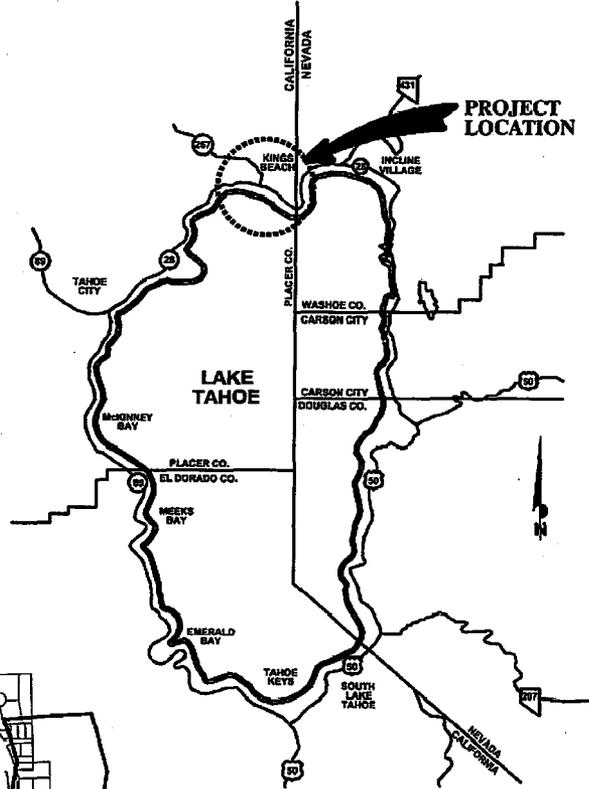
## **FISCAL IMPACT**

This project will utilize \$40,000 in County Road Funds and the remaining construction dollars are from State of California (Proposition 84) and from Regional Surface Transportation Program Exchange funds. This funding is available in the FY 2015-16 Proposed Budget.

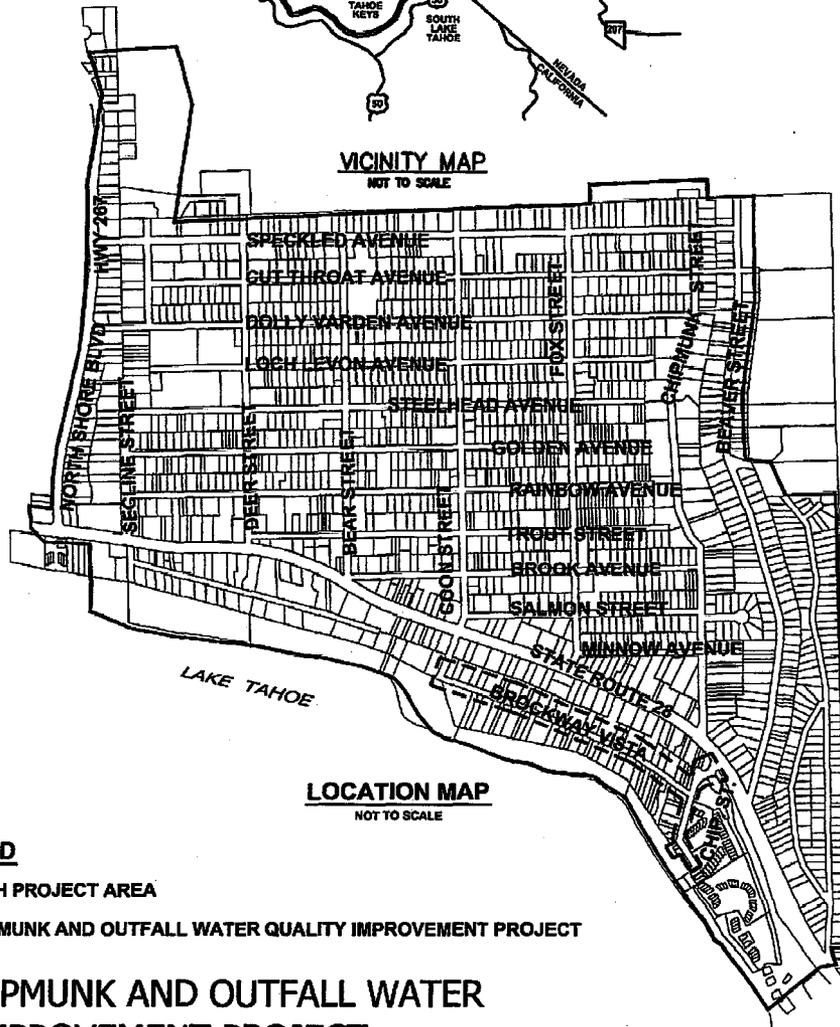
Attachments: Location Map

cc: Dan LaPlante, Associate Civil Engineer, Public Works Department

# LOWER CHIPMUNK AND OUTFALL WATER QUALITY IMPROVEMENT PROJECT



**VICINITY MAP**  
NOT TO SCALE



**LOCATION MAP**  
NOT TO SCALE

**LEGEND**

- KINGS BEACH PROJECT AREA
- LOWER CHIPMUNK AND OUTFALL WATER QUALITY IMPROVEMENT PROJECT

**LOWER CHIPMUNK AND OUTFALL WATER  
QUALITY IMPROVEMENT PROJECT  
VICINITY AND LOCATION MAP**

