Agenda Item No.: 6 Date: March 23, 2011

TO:

Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council

FROM:

Lori Vereker, Director of Utilities

SUBJECT:

Notice of Completion; Alexander Waterline Phase Two

RECOMMENDATION:

It is requested that Council adopt Resolution No. 2011-37, authorizing the Director of Utilities to file a notice of completion for the work.

FISCAL ANALYSIS:

The California Safe Drinking Water State Revolving Fund with the American Recovery and Re-Investment Act provided a low interest (2.5017%) loan of \$3,250,000 and an additional \$3,250,000 of principle forgiveness. The Project was competitively bid September 17, 2009, with the following results:

1)	Southland Paving, Inc., Escondido	\$5,244,000.00
2)	Burtech Pipeline Inc., Encinitas	\$5,400,000.00
3)	BRH Garver West, San Diego	\$5,744,337.00
4)	Basile Construction Inc., San Diego	\$5,806,528.71
5)	Mike Bubalo Const. Co., Baldwin Park	\$5,894,037.00
6)	Sukut Construction, Oceanside	\$5,931,680.00
7)	Orion Construction, Vista	\$5,986,399.00
8)	V. Lopez & Sons, Santa Maria	\$6,098,710.00
9)	Southern California Pipeline, Tustin	\$6,142,130.00
10)	SC Valley Engineering, El Cajon	\$6,160,558.00
11)	Miramontes Const. Co., Industry	\$6,742,780.00
12)	Erreca's Inc., Lakeside	\$6,765,054.05
13)	Cass Const., El Cajon	\$6,791,339.00
14)	Trautwein Const., Riverside	\$6,796,580.00
15)	Vido Artukovich & Sons, El Monte	\$7,313,313.00

The work was awarded to the lowest responsive and responsible bidder, Southland Paving Inc. Construction was completed within the allowable time at a final construction cost of \$5,548,329.29.

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PREVIOUS ACTION:

Resolution 2009-100 authorized the Mayor and City Clerk to execute a low interest loan under the California Safe Drinking Water State Revolving Fund (SRF) with a portion of principle forgiveness under the American Recovery and Re-investment Act (ARRA). The same resolution authorized the Director of Utilities and staff to execute the necessary documents to bid and complete the Project. The additional authorization was requested to expedite the contract execution to make the Project "Shovel Ready" to meet the short amount of time that was allowed by the ARRA to participate in the funding agreement.

BACKGROUND:

The Alexander Waterline Phase 2 Project was a 2009/10 capital improvement project that was scheduled to be bid and constructed in early 2010. An opportunity arose to apply for ARRA funds under the SRF.

Respectfully submitted,

ori Vereker

Director of Utilities

Neil Greenwood

Utilities Construction Manager

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RESOLUTION NO. 2011-37

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ESCONDIDO, CALIFORNIA, APPROVING FILING A NOTICE OF COMPLETION FOR THE ALEXANDER AREA WATERLINE REPLACEMENT PHASE TWO PROJECT

WHEREAS, the improvements made to the Alexander Area Phase Two Project provide six miles of water pipeline replacement for the City of Escondido; and

WHEREAS, authorized representatives from the City of Escondido declared work performed under this contract to be completed as of February 24, 2011; and

WHEREAS, the City of Escondido Staff and the Director of Utilities deems the filing of the Notice of Completion to be valid and recommends approval; and

WHEREAS, the City Council desires at this time and deems it to be in the best public interest to approve the filing of the Notice of Completion; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Escondido, California, as follows:

- 1. That the above recitations are true.
- 2. That the City Council accepts the recommendation of the Director of Utilities.
- 3. That the City Council of the City of Escondido hereby approves the request to file Notice of Completion for the Alexander Area Waterline Replacement Phase Two Project.