

MEMORANDUM

Council Agenda Item No. VII.AL.2. 5/31/2016

The City of **OKLAHOMA CITY**

TO: Mayor and City Council

FROM: James D. Couch, City Manager

Resolution ratifying and approving the actions of the City Manager in declaring an emergency and authorizing and directing the Construction Purchasing Agent and City Engineer to issue an Emergency Contract and Work Order to Cimarron Construction Company for BC-0221, demolition and removal of the damaged sections of the May Avenue Bridge, \$57,750; approving contract; issuing a Work Order under BC-0217, Bridge Maintenance Consultant Services for emergency engineering services to evaluate the condition of the bridge, prepare plans, and provide construction administration and inspection services for emergency repair; and to use established emergency competitive bidding procedures to bid and award contract for emergency repairs to the May Avenue Bridge. Ward 2.

(Six affirmative votes required to declare an emergency.)

Location

North May Avenue and Northwest Expressway

Background

On May 19, 2016, a truck carrying equipment ran into the May Avenue Bridge over Northwest Expressway causing major damage and creating multiple imminent public health, safety and welfare dangers. The damage to the May Avenue Bridge impedes vehicular and pedestrian traffic flow along Northwest Expressway and May Avenue, two of the busiest city streets.

In response to imminent public health, safety and welfare issues, the City Manager declared an emergency to exist and has directed the Construction Purchasing Agent and City Engineer to make repairs.

Cimarron Construction Company has an existing contract as the City's unit price bridge contractor and is immediately available to perform emergency demolition work. An emergency contract and emergency work order was issued to Cimarron Construction Company for the demolition and removal of the damaged bridge section(s).

Olsson Associates was authorized to proceed with engineering services, under BC-0217, Bridge Maintenance Consultant Services, to evaluate the condition of the May Avenue Bridge, report conditions, develop plans and specifications for the repair of the bridge and to address related traffic and safety issues for the protection and preservation of the public health, safety, and welfare of the public.

The City Manager directed the City Engineer to utilize established emergency competitive bidding processes to bid and award a contract for emergency repair of the May Avenue Bridge. The City Manager directed the City Engineer to determine the lowest and best bid and award the contract for emergency repair of the May Avenue Bridge subject to being ratified by the City Council.

Engineer Olsson Associates

Demolition Contractor Cimarron Construction Company

Contract Price \$57,750 *demolition portion

Source of Funds \$55,303.56 2000 General Obligation Bond Authorization, Proposition

No. 2 – Bridges, Project No. BC-0221, 2006 Sale, Public Works Department - Bridge Repair – Interest Transfer – May Ave & NW Expressway Bridge - Emergency – Non-Capital Construction (003-2060-

3305103-INTRS-B0000004622-52044007)

\$2,446.44 2000 General Obligation Bond Authorization, Proposition

No. 2 – Bridges, Project No. BC-0221, 2006 Sale, Public Works Department – Bridge Repair - GO Bond Listed Surplus Project – May Ave & NW Expressway Bridge - Emergency – Non-Capital Construction

(003-2060-3305103-LISTD-B0000004622-52044007)

Review Public Works Department

Recommendation: Resolution be adopted.