



CITY OF LODI

COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

0AGENDA TITLE: Adopt Resolution Awarding Contract for Roget Park Site Improvements, Phase I, to Berndt Tree Service, of Lodi (\$10,400)

MEETING DATE: October 3, 2001

PREPARED BY: Public Works Director

RECOMMENDED ACTION: That the City Council adopt a resolution awarding the contract for the above project to Berndt Tree Service, of Lodi, in the amount of \$10,400, and appropriate \$12,000 for the project.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION: This site improvement project will consist of removing 86 dead, diseased and/or hazardous trees, seven clumps of shrubs, and some minor pruning and site clearing. This first phase is designed to clean up the park area and prepare it for future development. Removing the dead and diseased trees will reduce the spread of disease and the risk of fire. The minor pruning is primarily intended to make the park area more visible from the roadway and reduce illegal activities, such as dumping or loitering. This first phase of cleanup should be accomplished as soon as possible, regardless of the schedule for future construction. The requested appropriation allows for contingencies.

Revised specifications for this project were approved on July 18, 2001. The City received the following three bids for this project:

Bidder	Location	Bid
Engineer's Estimate		\$ 18,000
Berndt Tree Service	Lodi	\$ 10,400
Grover Landscape, Inc.	Modesto	\$ 17,960
Town & Country Tree Service	Stockton	\$ 21,500

FUNDING: Budgeted Fund: Park Impact Mitigation Fees
Project Estimate: \$12,000
Bid Opening Date: September 14, 2001

Funding Available: Vicky McAthie
Vicky McAthie, Finance Director

Richard C. Prima, Jr.
Public Works Director

Roger Baltz
Parks and Recreation Director

Prepared by George M. Bradley, Street Superintendent

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- cc: Randy Hays, City Attorney
- Joel E. Harris, Purchasing Officer
- Roger Baltz, Parks and Recreation Director
- Steve Dutra, Parks Superintendent
- George M. Bradley, Street Superintendent
- Curt Juran, Street Contracts Administrator

APPROVED: _____

H. Dixon Flynn -- City Manager

RESOLUTION NO. 2001-228

A RESOLUTION OF THE LODI CITY COUNCIL
AWARDING THE CONTRACT FOR ROGET PARK
SITE IMPROVEMENTS, PHASE 1

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WHEREAS, in answer to notice duly published in accordance with law and the order of this City Council, sealed bids were received and publicly opened on September 14, 2001, at 11:00 a.m. for the Roget Park Site Improvements, Phase I, described in the specifications therefore approved by the City Council on July 18, 2001; and

WHEREAS, said bids have been compared, checked, and tabulated and a report thereof filed with the City Manager as follows:

<u>Bidder</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Bids</u>
<u>Engineer's Estimate</u>		<u>\$18,000.00</u>
Berndt Tree Service	Lodi	\$10,400.00
Grover Landscape, Inc.	Modesto	\$17,960.00
Town & Country Tree Service	Stockton	\$21,500.00

WHEREAS, the City Manager recommends award of the contract for the Roget Park Site Improvements, Phase I, be made to the low bidder, Berndt Tree Service, of Lodi, CA.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Lodi City Council that the award of the contract for the Roget Park Site Improvements, Phase I, be and the same is hereby awarded to Berndt Tree Service, of Lodi, CA, the low bidder, in the amount of \$10,400.00.

Dated: October 3, 2001

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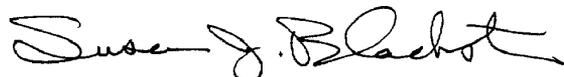
I hereby certify that Resolution No. 2001-228 was passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Lodi in a regular meeting held October 3, 2001, by the following vote:

AYES: COUNCIL MEMBERS – Hitchcock, Howard, Pennino and Mayor Nakanishi

NOES: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None

ABSENT: COUNCIL MEMBERS – Land

ABSTAIN: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None


SUSAN J. BLACKSTON
City Clerk