



**CITY OF LODI  
COUNCIL COMMUNICATION**

**AGENDA TITLE:** Approve Plans and Specifications and Authorize Advertisement for Bids for the Phase 3 Grape Bowl Improvement Project

**MEETING DATE:** August 14, 2012

**PREPARED BY:** Public Works Director

**RECOMMENDED ACTION:** Approve plans and specifications and authorize advertisement for bids for the Phase 3 Grape Bowl improvement project.

**BACKGROUND INFORMATION:** On March 21, 2012, Council authorized the City Manager to execute a contract with Siegfried Engineering to prepare design documents for the Phase 3 improvements, purchase the Grape Bowl scoreboard and approve plans and specifications for installation of the scoreboard. The contract for the scoreboard installation was awarded by Council on June 6, 2012, and is scheduled to be complete before the fall football season.

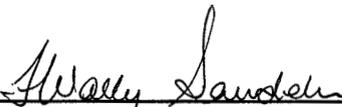
The Phase 3 Grape Bowl improvements consist of constructing an Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) accessible ramp to the south-side upper concourse, ADA seating at the south-side upper concourse, restrooms, concession, ticket booth, landscape, irrigation and related facilities.

The bid opening is scheduled for September 12, 2012. Following Council award of the project, construction is anticipated to begin immediately following the 2012 football season.

It is recommended Council approve plans and specifications and authorize advertisement for bids for the Phase 3 Grape Bowl improvement project.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** Construction of the Phase 3 improvements will provide additional naming opportunity and advertising revenues that could be used toward the construction of additional improvements at the Grape Bowl.

**FUNDING AVAILABLE:** Funding will be identified at the time of project award.

  
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**APPROVED:**   
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