

CITY COUNCIL MEETING

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CONSULTANTS
RETAINED
FOR HUTCHINS
STREET
WIDENING
PROJECT

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On motion of Councilman Pinkerton, Murphy second, Council authorized retaining the firm of CH₂M Hill to prepare traffic analysis, preliminary designs, and a draft EIR for the Hutchins Street widening project at a cost not to exceed \$31,000.



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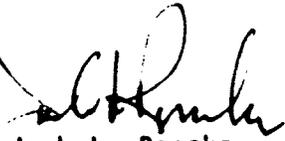
COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

TO: City Council
FROM: City Manager
DATE: May 15, 1981
SUBJECT: Consultant for Hutchins Street Widening Project

RECOMMENDED ACTION: That the consulting firm of CH₂M Hill be engaged to prepare traffic analyses, preliminary designs, and a draft EIR for the Hutchins Street widening project at a cost not to exceed \$31,000.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION: The 1980-81 CIP includes \$45,000 to cover the preliminary engineering and EIR for the Hutchins Street, Lodi Avenue to Kettleman Lane, project. The work covered in the proposal submitted by CH₂M Hill includes the draft EIR, as well as extensive traffic analyses which will determine levels of service, hazardous conditions, existing and future traffic generators and conditions, and unusual operating characteristics. This will also include the preparation of four design alternatives together with the preliminary plans for each. The study will also include Lodi Avenue to Pine Street in order to evaluate the traffic impacts of the new Community Center.

CH₂M Hill has done a number of EIR's for the City, the latest being the EIR for the Stockton Street project. The firm is familiar with the City and the type of information needed in order to make the final design decisions. In working with CH₂M Hill on previous projects, we have always found them to be cooperative, and we have confidence in their work.


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Public Works Director

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APPROVED:

HENRY A. GLAVES, City Manager

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