OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

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	Introduced by Councilmember			

RESOLUTION AWARDING A CONTRACT TO THE LOWEST BIDDER, AJW CONSTRUCTION, FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE CITYWIDE TRAFFIC ISLAND AND BULB-OUT IN ACCORDANCE WITH SPECIFICATIONS FOR PROJECT NO. C159720, FY 2005 – 2007, AT SANTA CLARA AVENUE AT LAKEPARK AVENUE, VERNON STREET AT LEE STREET, JOAQUIN MILLER ROAD AT ROBINSON DRIVE, PIERSON STREET BETWEEN MACARTHUR BOULEVARD AND REDDING STREET, PARK BOULEVARD AT EL CENTRO AVENUE, AND THREE OR MORE OTHER PENDING LOCATIONS, IN THE AMOUNT OF FIVE HUNDRED THREE THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED EIGHTY-FIVE DOLLARS (\$503,185.00)

WHEREAS, on July 23, 2007, five (5) bids were received by the Office of the City Clerk of the City of Oakland for the Citywide Traffic Island and Bulb-Out Project FY 2005-2007 (City Project No. C159720); and

WHEREAS, AJW Construction submitted the lowest responsible and responsive bid; and

WHEREAS, there are sufficient funds for the construction contract in Measure B Funds (2211); and

WHEREAS, the City lacks the equipment and personnel to perform the necessary work; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds and determines that this contract is in the public interest because of economy and/or best performance; and

WHEREAS, AJW Construction complies with all Local/Small Local Business Enterprise Program requirements; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds and determines that services under this contract will be temporary and shall not result in the loss of employment or salary by any person having permanent status in the competitive services; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**: That the construction contract for the Citywide Traffic Island and Bulb-Out Project 2005-2007 (City Project No. C159720) is hereby awarded to AJW Construction in accordance with

the specifications for said project and terms of its bid, dated July 23, 2007, in the amount of five hundred three thousand one hundred eighty-five dollars (\$503,185.00); and be it

**FURTHER RESOLVED**: That the plans and specifications prepared by the Director of the Public Works Agency for the Citywide Traffic Island and Bulb-Out Project 2005-2007 (City Project No. C159720) are hereby approved; and be it

**FURTHER RESOLVED**: That the amount of the bond for faithful performance, \$503,185.00, and the amount for a bond to guarantee payment of all claims for labor and materials furnished, and for amount due under the Unemployment Insurance Act, \$503,185.00, with respect to such work are hereby approved; and be it

**FURTHER RESOLVED:** That the City Administrator, or her designee, is hereby authorized to enter into a contract with AJW Construction on behalf of the City of Oakland and execute any amendments or modifications of said contract within the limitations of the project specifications; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That all other bids are hereby rejected; and be it

**FURTHER RESOLVED:** That the contract shall be reviewed and approved for form and legality by the City Attorney, and a copy of the contract shall be kept on file in the Office of the City Clerk; and be it

**FURTHER RESOLVED:** That the City Clerk is hereby directed to post conspicuously forthwith notice of the above award on the official bulletin board in the Office of the City Clerk.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, SEP 1 8 2007, 20\_\_\_\_

## **PASSED THE FOLLOWING VOTE:**

AYES - BROOKS, BRUNNER, CHANG, PERMANNIA, NADEL, QUAN, REID, AND PRESIDENT DE LA FUENTE - 7

NOES - C

ABSENT - Kernighan - 1

ABSTENTION -

LaTonda Simmons

City Clerk and Clerk of the Council of the City of Oakland, California