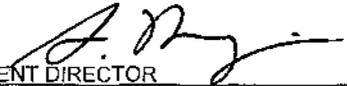


AGENDA ITEM NO. 1C  
COUNCIL MEETING 04/24/14  
APPROVED BY \_\_\_\_\_

April 24, 2014

  
DEPARTMENT DIRECTOR \_\_\_\_\_

*for* CITY MANAGER 

**FROM:** SCOTT L. MOZIER, PE, Director  
Public Works Department

SCOTT KRAUTER, PE, Assistant Director   
Public Works Department, Street Maintenance Division

**BY:** RANDY BELL, PE, Professional Engineer   
Public Works Department, Capital Management Division

**SUBJECT:** A Resolution of the Council of the City of Fresno adopting the 40th Amendment to the Annual Appropriation Resolution No. 2013-98 to appropriate \$200,000 for design and construction costs on the Golden State Bridge Repair (Council District 3)

## RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends the Council adopt the 40th Amendment to the Annual Appropriation Resolution No. 2013-98 to appropriate \$200,000 for design and construction costs on the Golden State Bridge Repair.

## EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

On October 21, 2013, a construction crane operated by T&T Crane fell over while performing work on the Burlington, Northern, Santa Fe Railroad (BNSF). The crane boom fell across the adjacent Golden State Bridge near North Avenue damaging the barrier rail and sidewalk on both sides of the bridge. Staff recommends the Council adopt a resolution approving the \$200,000 appropriation of funding for the Golden State Bridge Repair so that appropriations in the FY 2014 are sufficient to cover anticipated expenditures needed for repair.

## BACKGROUND

While performing routine maintenance, a crane operated by T&T Crane performing work for BNSF fell and hit the Golden State Bridge near North Avenue on October 21, 2013. The crane boom crossed the entire width of the bridge and damaged the barrier rails and sidewalk on both sides of it. As a result of the damage, the City hired a structural engineer to evaluate the condition of the bridge and recommend a method to repair the damage.

The structural engineer, Cornerstone Structural Engineering Group, determined the impact of the crane did not significantly affect the load carrying capacity of the bridge. Cornerstone recommends that

portions of the barrier rail and sidewalk be replaced where the damage occurred. The estimated repair costs are approximately \$200,000, which includes hiring a contractor to perform the work and construction management services to manage the contract and inspect their work.

A claim for indemnification on behalf of the City has been filed against the responsible party, T&T Crane, through their insurance carrier. The City's Risk Division will continue to pursue recovery of the total amount for which T&T is legally responsible.

Detailed adjustments are in the Amendment to the Annual Appropriation Resolution attached. Therefore, staff recommends that Council approve the 40th Amendment to the Annual Appropriation Resolution No. 2013-98 appropriating \$200,000 in Public Works Special Project Revolving funds.

### **ENVIRONMENTAL FINDINGS**

By the definition provided in the California Environmental Quality Act Guidelines Section 15378 this item does not qualify as a "project" and is therefore exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act requirements.

### **LOCAL PREFERENCE**

Local preference was not considered because this Resolution does not include a bid or award of a construction or services contract.

### **FISCAL IMPACT**

There will be no new impact to the General Fund. All proposed costs will be reimbursed from the insurance company of the crane operator. See attached Resolution.

**RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_**

A Resolution of the Council of the City of Fresno adopting the 40<sup>th</sup> Amendment to the Annual Appropriation Resolution No. 2013-98 to appropriate \$200,000 for the Golden State Bridge Repair project in FY 2014

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FRESNO:

THAT PART III of the Annual Appropriation Resolution No. 2013-98 be and is hereby amended as follows:

|                                | <u>Increase/(Decrease)</u> |
|--------------------------------|----------------------------|
| TO: PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT    |                            |
| PW Special Proj Revolving Fund | \$ 200,000                 |

THAT account titles and numbers requiring adjustment by this Resolution are as follows:

PW Special Proj Revolving Fund

Revenues:

|                                       |            |
|---------------------------------------|------------|
| Account: <b>39021</b> Property Losses | \$ 200,000 |
| Fund: <b>46501</b>                    |            |
| Org Unit: <b>189901</b>               |            |

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|----------------|-------------------|
| Total Revenues | <u>\$ 200,000</u> |
|----------------|-------------------|

Appropriations:

|   |               |
|---|---------------|
| Account: <b>51101</b> Permanent Salaries    | \$ 16,200     |
| <b>51104</b> Perm Fringe-Health&Welfare     | 4,600         |
| <b>53302</b> Prof Svcs/Consulting - Outside | 11,100        |
| <b>53402</b> Specialized Services /Tech     | 3,400         |
| <b>57507</b> Contract Construction          | 150,000       |
| <b>59105</b> Purchasing - Variable Charge   | 2,300         |
| <b>59117</b> Overhead                       | <u>12,400</u> |

    Fund: **46501**  
    Org Unit: **189901**  
    Project: **PW00704**

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|----------------------|-------------------|
| Total Appropriations | <u>\$ 200,000</u> |
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Date Adopted:  
Date Approved:  
Effective Date:

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Resolution No.  
GS Bridge Repair. AAR

THAT the purpose is to appropriate \$200,000 for the Golden State Bridge Repair project in FY 2014.

**CLERK'S CERTIFICATION**

STATE OF CALIFORNIA }  
COUNTY OF FRESNO } ss.  
CITY OF FRESNO }

I, YVONNE SPENCE, City Clerk of the City of Fresno, certify that the foregoing Resolution was adopted by the Council of the City of Fresno, California, at a regular meeting thereof, held on the \_\_\_\_\_ Day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2014

AYES: \_\_\_\_\_  
NOES: \_\_\_\_\_  
ABSENT: \_\_\_\_\_  
ABSTAIN: \_\_\_\_\_

Mayor Approval: \_\_\_\_\_, 2014  
Mayor Approval/No Return: \_\_\_\_\_, 2014  
Mayor Veto: \_\_\_\_\_, 2014  
Council Override Veto: \_\_\_\_\_, 2014

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YVONNE SPENCE, CMC  
City Clerk

Date Adopted:  
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