

Recommendation for Council Action (CMD)

Austin City Council Item ID: 11704 Agenda Number 13.

Meeting Date: January 12, 2012

Department: Contract Management

Subject

Authorize execution of change order #5 to the construction contract with CAPITAL EXCAVATION COMPANY, Austin, TX for the Rio Grande Street from West Martin Luther King, Jr. Boulevard to 24th Street Reconstruction and Utility Adjustments Project, an ACCELERATE AUSTIN PROJECT, in the amount of \$143,805.32, for a total contract amount not to exceed \$4,761,909.74.

Amount and Source of Funding

Funding is available in the Fiscal Year 2011-2012 Capital Budget of the Public Works Department.

Fiscal Note

A fiscal note is attached.

Purchasing	
Language:	
Prior Council	August 5, 2010 – Council approved construction contract with Capital Excavation Company.
Action:	
For More	Jessica Salinas 974-7646; Susan Garnett 974-7064; April Shaw 974-7141
Information:	
Boards and	
Commission	Recommended by the Water and Wastewater Commission.
Action:	
MBE / WBE:	This contract will be awarded in compliance with Chapter 2-9A of the City Code (Minority Owned and Women Owned Business Enterprise Procurement Program) with 8.38% MBE and 7.61% WBE subcontractor participation to date.
Related Items:	
Additional Backup Information	

This project is part of the Accelerate Austin 2006 Bond Street Reconstruction Program. The project limits are Rio Grande Street from West Martin Luther King, Jr. Boulevard to 24th Street. The work includes full depth street reconstruction, new sidewalks, trees, Great Streets amenities, water, wastewater and storm sewer improvements.

The additional authorization is requested to fund additional work associated with changed field conditions, unforeseen utility conflicts, quantity increases and redesign of utility improvements in and along Rio Grande Street within zip code 78705.

This project is scheduled to be substantially complete in March 2012 and is managed by the Public Works Department.