

**AGENDA**



**Recommendation for Council Action (CLMD)**

Austin City Council	Item ID:	51758	Agenda Number	7.
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Meeting Date:	November 19, 2015
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Department:	Capital Contracting Office
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**Subject**

Authorize execution of a construction contract with DENUCCI CONSTRUCTORS, LLC, for the Rio Grande 24th Street to 29th Street Reconstruction and Utility Adjustments project, in the amount of \$6,492,548 plus \$324,627.40 contingency, for a total contract amount not to exceed \$6,817,175.40.

**Amount and Source of Funding**

Funding in the amount of \$5,859,080.53 is available in the Fiscal Year 2015-2016 Capital Budget of the Public Works Department. Funding in the amount of \$958,094.87 is available in the Fiscal Year 2015-2016 Capital Budget of the Austin Water.

**Fiscal Note**

Fiscal notes are attached.

Purchasing Language:	Lowest responsive bid of four bids received through a competitive Invitation for Bid solicitation.
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Prior Council Action:	
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Boards and Commission Action:	Recommended by the Water and Wastewater Commission on November 10, 2015.
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Related Items:	
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MBE / WBE:	This contract will be awarded in compliance with Chapter 2-9A of the City Code (Minority Owned and Women Business Enterprise Procurement Program) through achievements of Good Faith Efforts with 5.29% MBE and 0.99% WBE participation.
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**Additional Backup Information**

The Rio Grande 24th Street to 29th Street Reconstruction and Utility Adjustments project will reconstruct Rio Grande Street from 24th to 29th street.

The work will include 3,170 linear feet of 12-inch diameter water line, 131 linear feet of 8-inch diameter wastewater line, full depth street reconstruction, bike lane additions, storm drainage improvements, and streetscape improvements including plantings and benches, and fire hydrants. The project is tentatively scheduled to begin in January 2016 and be substantially complete in July 2017.

Public communication to the affected areas has been continuous and is achieved through a combination of emails, mailings and a project website.

This project is not time sensitive.

Due to the potential for unknown subsurface conditions and utility conflicts when working in the right of way, a 5% contingency in funding has been included to allow for the expeditious processing of any change orders.

The contract allows 400 calendar days for substantial completion of this project. This project is located within zip code 78705 (District 9).

DeNucci Constructors, LLC is located in Austin, Texas.