

RESOLUTION NO. 59-19

**A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RICHMOND, CALIFORNIA,
AUTHORIZING THE AWARD OF A CONSTRUCTION AGREEMENT TO
ERA CONSTRUCTION, INC. FOR THE CUTTING CROSSING SAFETY
IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT**

WHEREAS, on May 1, 2015, the City received funding approval from the Department of Transportation's Section 130 Fund to make rail crossing safety improvements project on South Cutting Boulevard (Project) in the City of Richmond; and

WHEREAS, on March 27, 2017, the City received approval for the Project from the California Public Utilities Commission under the order CPUC #1A-10.80/CC-1168; and

WHEREAS, on April 22, 2019, following the public bid process for construction, ERA Construction, Inc. (ERA) demonstrated itself to be the lowest responsive, responsible bidder for the Project; and

WHEREAS, staff desires to award a Construction Agreement to ERA for the Project in an amount of \$326,944 for the base bid along with a construction contingency of 15% for a total not-to-exceed amount of \$375,985; and

WHEREAS, by the agenda report (Agenda Report) accompanying this Resolution the City Council has been provided with additional information upon which the findings and actions set forth in this Resolution are based.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council finds the above recitals are true and correct and have served, together with the Agenda Report, as the basis for the findings and actions set forth in this Resolution.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Council hereby authorizes the award of a Construction Agreement to ERA Construction, Inc. for the construction of the Cutting Crossing Safety Improvements Project for a total not-to-exceed amount of \$375,985.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Council hereby authorizes the City Manager to execute and make amendments to the Construction Agreement as needed to facilitate the completion of the Project.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Council designates the City Clerk as the custodian of the documents and other materials which constitute the record of proceedings upon which the decision herein is based. These documents may be found at the office of the City Clerk at the Richmond City Hall, 450 Civic Center Plaza, Richmond, California 94804.

I certify that the foregoing resolution was passed and adopted by the Council of the City of Richmond at a regular meeting thereof held June 25, 2019, by the following vote:

AYES: Councilmembers Bates, Johnson, Martinez, Myrick, Willis,
Vice Mayor Choi, and Mayor Butt.
NOES: None.
ABSTENTIONS: None.
ABSENT: None.

PAMELA CHRISTIAN
CLERK OF THE CITY OF RICHMOND
(SEAL)

Approved:

TOM BUTT
Mayor

Approved as to form:

BRUCE GOODMILLER
City Attorney

State of California }
County of Contra Costa } : ss.
City of Richmond }

I certify that the foregoing is a true copy of **Resolution No. 59-19**, finally passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Richmond at a regular meeting held on June 25, 2019.


Pamela Christian, Clerk of the City of Richmond