



## REQUEST FOR ACTION CITY COUNCIL

Agenda Date: 7/5/2022  
Agenda Section: Consent Agenda

**Department Origination:** Public Works

**Agenda Item:**

Adopt Resolution 2022-057 Amending Resolution 2022-046 Approving Plans and Specifications and Ordering Advertisement for Bids for the 2022 TH 210/Inglewood Drive Improvement Project

**Approval Required:** Simple Majority Vote

### **BACKGROUND**

Due to not obtaining authorization by the State or Federal Aid Departments for this TH 210/Inglewood Drive project, despite completing the Public Interest Finding (PIF) Letter per MnDOT's request and completing all processes and procedures required, the bid opening will need to be further delayed. The project will start advertising for the project on July 6, 2022, per Resolution No. 2022-057.

It is unlawful to advertise a project that is receiving state and federal funds prior to authorization and consent. MnDOT District 3 and Central Office staff have stated they have all been working diligently to meet the proposed deadlines on this project, but due to the complexity of the project and the processes that needs to be followed to get authorization and approvals, they weren't able to meet the deadline to allow the City to advertise the project on June 16, 2022, which was stated in Resolution #2022-046.

Despite having multiple delays on advertisement for this project, the City has now received authorization to bid from both the Federal Aid Department and the MnDOT State D3 office. The project is approved to start advertising for bids on July 6, 2022. Therefore, the dates specified below will be the final advertisement dates with no pending clause tied, unlike past resolutions.

With this delayed start and the federal aid requirement of advertising for a minimum of 25 days with 3 advertisement periods, the bid opening will be delayed until August 1<sup>st</sup>, 2022. The bid opening is pending BNSF executing the easement documents to satisfy MnDOT so they can sign off on the right of way certification, if the easement documents are not received in time for the August 1<sup>st</sup> 2022 bid opening then the bid opening will be delayed. The easement documents are not expected to cause any further delays.

### **FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS**

No financial implications resulting from the attached resolution with the exception of the unanticipated engineering costs associated with the additional work.

### **STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS**

Staff recommends adopting Resolution 2022-057

### **COUNCIL ACTION REQUESTED**

**Motion** to adopt Resolution 2022-057 Amending Resolution 2022-046 Approving Plans and Specifications and Ordering Advertisement for Bids for the 2022 TH 210/Inglewood Drive Improvement Project.