



STAFF REPORT
10/25/2023

TO: Honorable Mayor and City Council Members

FROM: Andrew Simmons, P.E., City Engineer

SUBJECT: Amendment No. 3 to the Sub-Reimbursement Agreement by and between Coachella Valley Association of Governments (CVAG), City of Coachella and Riverside County (County) for the Avenue 48 Widening Project between Van Buren and Dillon Road, City Project ST-131.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

Authorize the City Manager to Execute Amendment #3 to the Sub-Reimbursement Agreement by and between Coachella Valley Association of Governments (CVAG), City of Coachella and Riverside County (County) for the Avenue 48 Widening Project between Van Buren and Dillon Road, City Project ST-131.

BACKGROUND:

On December 3, 2018, a sub-reimbursement agreement was made and entered by and between the City of Coachella, Riverside County and the Coachella Valley Association of Governments for the Avenue 48 Widening Project, between Van Buren & Dillon Road. The proposed roadway improvements will add one westbound lane and two eastbound lanes with a raised median from Van Buren to Dillon Road. Additionally, bike lanes and sidewalks will be constructed on each side of Avenue 48. The County of Riverside is the lead agency for this Project.

The reimbursement agreement has been amended twice to allocate additional funding to stages of the project. Amendment #1, authorized in December 2020, provided for final design and right-of-way acquisition. Amendment #2, approved in April 2023, authorized the construction phase and extended the time trigger to commence construction to August 31, 2023.

DISCUSSION/ANALYSIS:

On September 25, 2023, the CVAG Executive Committee approved Amendment #3 to the reimbursement agreement between CVAG, the County of Riverside, and the City of Coachella for the Avenue 48 Widening Project between Van Buren Street and Dillon Road. Amendment #3 extends the time trigger to commence construction to August 31, 2024.

FISCAL IMPACT:

No fiscal impact.

ATTACHMENTS:

1. Amendment No. 3 to the Reimbursement Agreement