

Staff Report

February 9, 2021

TO:

Honorable Mayor and Members of the Town Council

FROM:

Sean Rabé, Town Manager

DATE:

April 13, 2021

RE:

Improvements to Laird Road and High Cliff Road Intersection

Recommendation

Staff recommends the Town of Loomis Council adopt the attached resolution increasing the approved amount for the installation of yellow flashing warning lights and additional signage at the intersection of Laird Road and High Cliff Road to \$22,000.

Background and Discussion

At the February Council meeting, Council adopted a resolution approving the expenditure of \$15,000 for the installation of yellow flashing warning lights and additional signage at the intersection of Laird Road and High Cliff Road.

Since then, however, we have received actual pricing for that work to occur (Attachment B). The Town's traffic lighting contractor has provided a bid of \$19,892.44. Since the bid amount is higher than previously approved by Council, Staff now seeks approval for the additional amount (plus a 10 percent contingency).

CEQA Requirements

There are no CEQA implications associated with the recommended action.

Financial and/or Policy Implications

Funding for these improvements will be from the Transportation Funds identified in the Public Works Budget.

Attachments

- A. Resolution
- B. Quote

TOWN OF LOOMIS

RESOLUTION NO. 21 - ___

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF LOOMIS APPROVING AN INCREASE IN COST FORTHE INSTALLATION OF TWO FLASHING YELLOW WARNING LIGHTS AND ADDITIONAL SIGNAGE AT THE INTERSECTION OF LAIRD ROAD AND HIGH CLIFF ROAD AND AUTHORIZE \$22,000 FROM THE TRANSPORTATION FUND

WHEREAS, over the last five years there have been four accidents at the intersection of Laird Road and High Cliff Road with two of those accidents occurring within the past year; and

WHEREAS, the current curve on Laird Road at this intersection is approximately a 45 feet radius curve and in order to navigate the curve the drivers need to slow down to 15 mph or less; and

WHEREAS, the primary reasons for the accidents are the vehicles are exceeding the posted speed at the sharp curve (15 mph); and

WHEREAS, staff recommends that the Town installs flashing yellow warning light prior to the curve on Laird in both directions along with additional signage to alert the drivers of the curve ahead and the need to slow down; and

WHEREAS, staff will monitor the intersection and if additional accidents occur at this intersection and additional measures are needed staff will research these options and bring additional recommendations back to Council in the future; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council approved Resolution 21-06 at the February 9 Council meeting approving \$15,000 for installation of the flashing yellow warning lights and additional signage; and

WHEREAS, actual pricing for that work to be done has come in at \$19,892.44, and Satff proposes a 10 percent contingency.

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Town Council of the Town of Loomis that the cost for the installation of two flashing yellow warning lights and additional signage at the intersection of Laird road and High Cliff Road is hereby authorized at a not to exceed amount of \$22,000 (19,892.44 plus a 10 percent contingency, if needed).

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that \$22,000 from the Transportation funds to fund these improvements is authorized.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 13th day of March 2021, by the following roll call vote:

AYES: NOES: ABSENT: ABSTAINED:		
ATTEST:	Mayor	
Town Clerk		



Contractors License No. 982079 A - General Engineering C-10 High Voltage Electrical C-31 - Work Zone Traffic Control D-31 Pole Installation and Maintenance DIR# 1000002158 SBE# 1752478

1341 Archer Street, PO Box 924, Alviso, CA 95002-0924 Tel: 408-449-5178 Fax: 408-449-5147

Quote

DATE: 3/4/2021

FROM: Derek Long

PHONE: (408) 449-5178

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BID/PROJECT: Loomis- Install Solar Flashing Beacon Warning

Signs Laird @ High Cliff PROPOSAL# WO-00166933

TO: David Strock

COMPANY: Town of Loomis **PHONE:** (916) 663-7502

EMAIL: dstrock@loomis.ca.gov

Our quote is valid for: 30 days, expiring on: 04/03/2021

We are pleased to offer our quotation for the above referenced project as follows:

Site: OTHER LOOMIS TS

Scope Summary: DIG AND POUR (2) 1B FOUNDATIONS. FURNISH AND INSTALL 2 COMPLETE SOLAR FLASHING BEACON WARNING SIGN SYSTEMS COMPLETE WITH: 16' 1 B POLES, SOLAR CONTOL CABINET W/ 40AH BATTERY, 50W SOLAR PANEL AND MOUNT, 1 X 12" FLASHING BEACON HOUSING, COMPLETE W/ LED, AND 36" X 36" W1-1A SIGN (15 MPH). MAKE ALL LANDINGS AND VERIFY OPERATION. CITY WILL BE PROVIDING ALL TRAFFIC CONTROL FOR THIS SITE INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO ALL SIGNAGE, CONES, AND ATLEAST 3 FLAGGERS UNTIL COMPLETION. Exclusions: Traffic Control Plans, Any and All Licenses/Permits/Fees, Engineering, CCIP/OCIP Costs, Bonds.

ESTIMATE

Item	Description	Estimated Quantity	Estimate Price Per Unit	Total Estimated Price
LABOR		1	\$5,559.50	\$5,559.50
EQUIPMENT		1	\$1,508.00	\$1,508.00
MATERIAL		1	\$12,824.94	\$12,824.94
		Subtotal:	\$19,892.44	

Customer			Potters	
Signature:			Date:	

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Terms and Conditions of this proposal are per the existing maintenance agreement.

BES would like to thank you for the opportunity to provide you with this proposal.