



# City of Grand Island

Tuesday, September 23, 2014

Council Session

## Item G-10

**#2014-300 - Approving Time Extension to the Contract with The Diamond Engineering Co. for Westgate Road Paving District No. 1261; North Road to Copper Road**

Staff Contact: John Collins, P.E. - Public Works Director

# **Council Agenda Memo**

**From:** Terry Brown PE, Assistant Public Works Director

**Meeting:** September 23, 2014

**Subject:** Approving Time Extension to the Contract with The Diamond Engineering Co. for Westgate Road Paving District No. 1261; North Road to Copper Road

**Item #'s:** G-10

**Presenter(s):** John Collins, Public Works Director

## **Background**

The City Council awarded the bid for construction of the Westgate Road Paving District No. 1261; North Road to Copper Road to The Diamond Engineering Company of Grand Island, Nebraska on March 11, 2014.

Any changes to the contract require council approval. The Diamond Engineering Co. is requesting that the final completion date be changed from September 12, 2014 to November 14, 2014.

## **Discussion**

Several factors have delayed completion of the project; including inclement weather and conflict with water main.

The water main conflict was identified and plans to adjust it were in place prior to bidding the project. After construction began the Utility Water Division notified the Public Works Engineering Division that the water main could not be lowered until after October 1<sup>st</sup>. The delay is due to peak water demands during the summer months and the close proximity of the reservoir, which is a critical part of the network for water supply to southern Grand Island.

## **Alternatives**

It appears that the Council has the following alternatives concerning the issue at hand. The Council may:

1. Move to approve
2. Refer the issue to a Committee
3. Postpone the issue to future date
4. Take no action on the issue

### **Recommendation**

City Administration recommends that the Council approve extending the completion date to November 14, 2014.

### **Sample Motion**

Move to approve extension of completion.



**CONTRACT TIME EXTENSION**

**PROJECT:** Westgate Road Paving District No. 1261; North Road to Copper Road

**CONTRACTOR:** The Diamond Engineering Co.

**AMOUNT OF ORIGINAL CONTRACT:** \$626,236.91

**CONTRACT DATE:** March 11, 2014

Notice to Proceed Date ----- March 14, 2014

Original Completion Date ----- September 12, 2014

Revised Completion Date ----- November 14, 2014

**Contractor** The Diamond Engineering Co.

**By** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**Title** \_\_\_\_\_

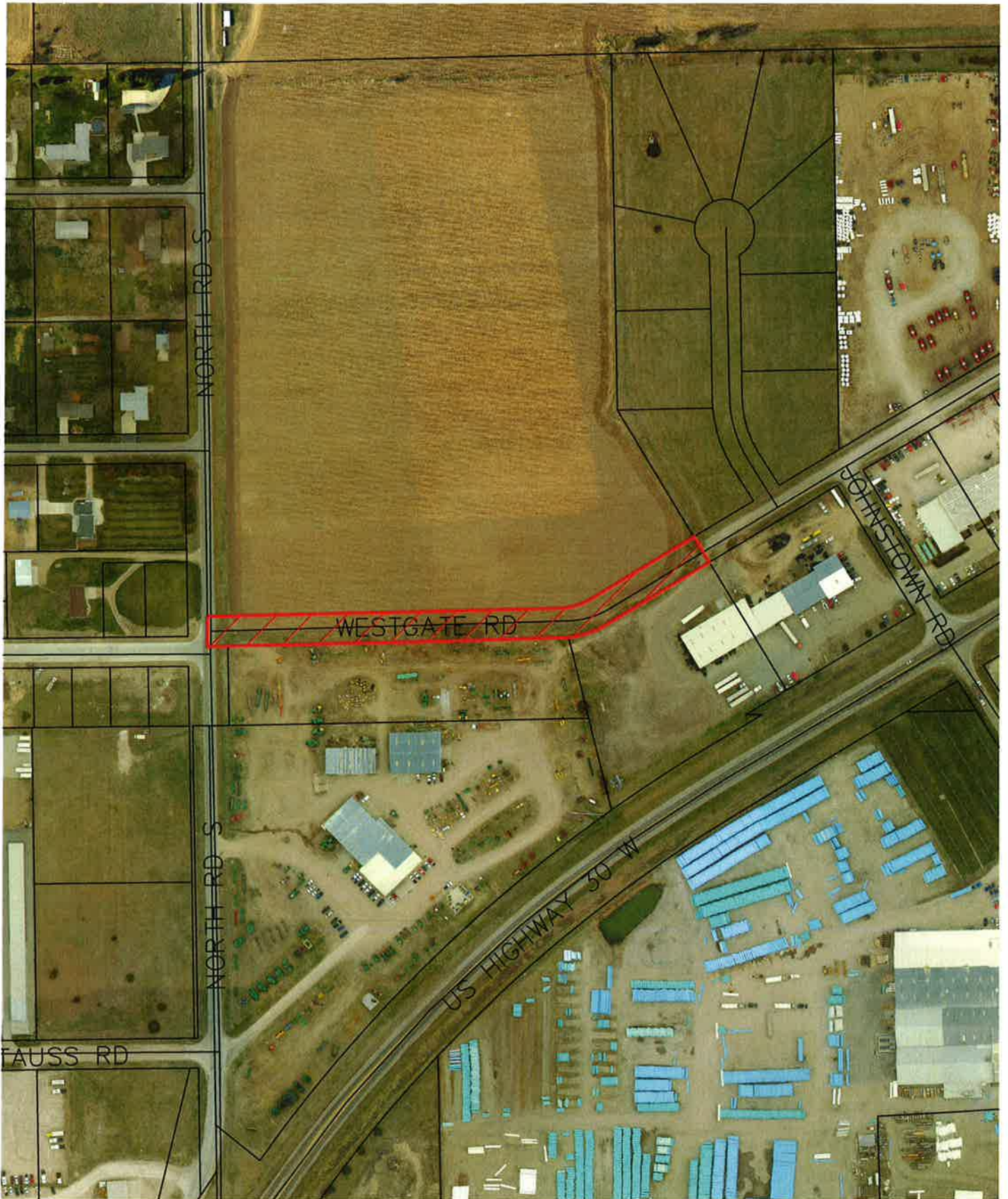
**CITY OF GRAND ISLAND, NEBRASKA**

**By** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

Mayor

**Attest** \_\_\_\_\_

City Clerk



**CITY OF GRAND ISLAND**  
**PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT**

DATE: 04/02/13

DRAWN BY: TJY

APPVD. BY:

SCALE: NONE

WESTGATE RD POTENTIAL

STREET IMPROVEMENT

PLAN



RESOLUTION 2014-300

WHEREAS, on March 11, 2014, by Resolution 2014-54, the City Council of the City of Grand Island approved the bid of The Diamond Engineering Co. of Grand Island, Nebraska for construction of Westgate Road Paving District No. 1261; North Road to Copper Road; and

WHEREAS, the completion of such project has been delayed due to several factors; and

WHEREAS, The Diamond Engineering Company has requested an extension from September 12, 2014 to November 14, 2014 in order to complete the project; and

WEREAS, the Public Works Department support such contract extension.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRAND ISLAND, NEBRASKA, that the completion date for the construction of the Westgate Road Paving District No. 1261; North Road to Copper Road is hereby extended until November 14, 2014.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Mayor is hereby authorized and directed to execute such contract modification on behalf of the City of Grand Island.

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Adopted by the City Council of the City of Grand Island, Nebraska, September 23, 2014.

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Jay Vavricek, Mayor

Attest:

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RaNae Edwards, City Clerk

Approved as to Form	☐ _____
September 19, 2014	☐ City Attorney