



City of Grand Island

Tuesday, January 10, 2006

Council Session

Item G13

#2006-9 - Approving a Time Extension to the Contract with The Diamond Engineering Company for Construction of the Concrete Ditch Lining Between Arizona and Nevada from Independence to East of Idaho; 2005-D-2

Staff Contact: Steven P. Riehle, Public Works Director

Council Agenda Memo

From: Steven P. Riehle, Public Works Director

Meeting: January 10, 2006

Subject: Approving a Time Extension to the Contract with The Diamond Engineering Company for Construction of the Concrete Ditch Lining Between Arizona and Nevada from Independence to East of Idaho; 2005-D-2

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Presenter(s): Steven P. Riehle, Public Works Director

Background

The City Council awarded the bid for construction of the Concrete Ditch Lining, 2005-D-2, to The Diamond Engineering Company on September 13, 2005. Diamond Engineering is requesting a time extension to complete the work.

Discussion

The contractor completed the concrete ditch lining east of Idaho Avenue. The ditch lining west of Idaho was delayed by the city so the contractor could concentrate their efforts on the concrete pavement repair on US HWY 281 and the City Library Sanitary Sewer. Both of these projects were more critical.

Any changes to the contract require council approval. Diamond Engineering is requesting that the final completion date be changed from December 1, 2005 to May 5, 2006.

Alternatives

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

1. Make a motion to approve the time extension.
2. Refer the issue to a Committee.
3. Postpone the issue to a future date.
4. Take no action on the issue.

Recommendation

City Administration recommends that the Council extend the completion date to May 5, 2006.

Sample Motion

Move to approve the time extension.

**City of Grand Island
100 East First Street
Grand Island NE 68801**

CONTRACT TIME EXTENSION

PROJECT: Concrete Ditch Lining for Capital Heights Ditch; 2005-D-2

CONTRACTOR: The Diamond Engineering Company

AMOUNT OF ORIGINAL CONTRACT: \$48,234.75

CONTRACT DATE: September 16, 2005

Notice to Proceed Date.....**September 19, 2005**

Original Completion Date**December 1, 2005**

Revised Completion Date **May 5, 2006**

Contractor The Diamond Engineering Company

By _____

Date _____

Title _____

CITY OF GRAND ISLAND, NEBRASKA,

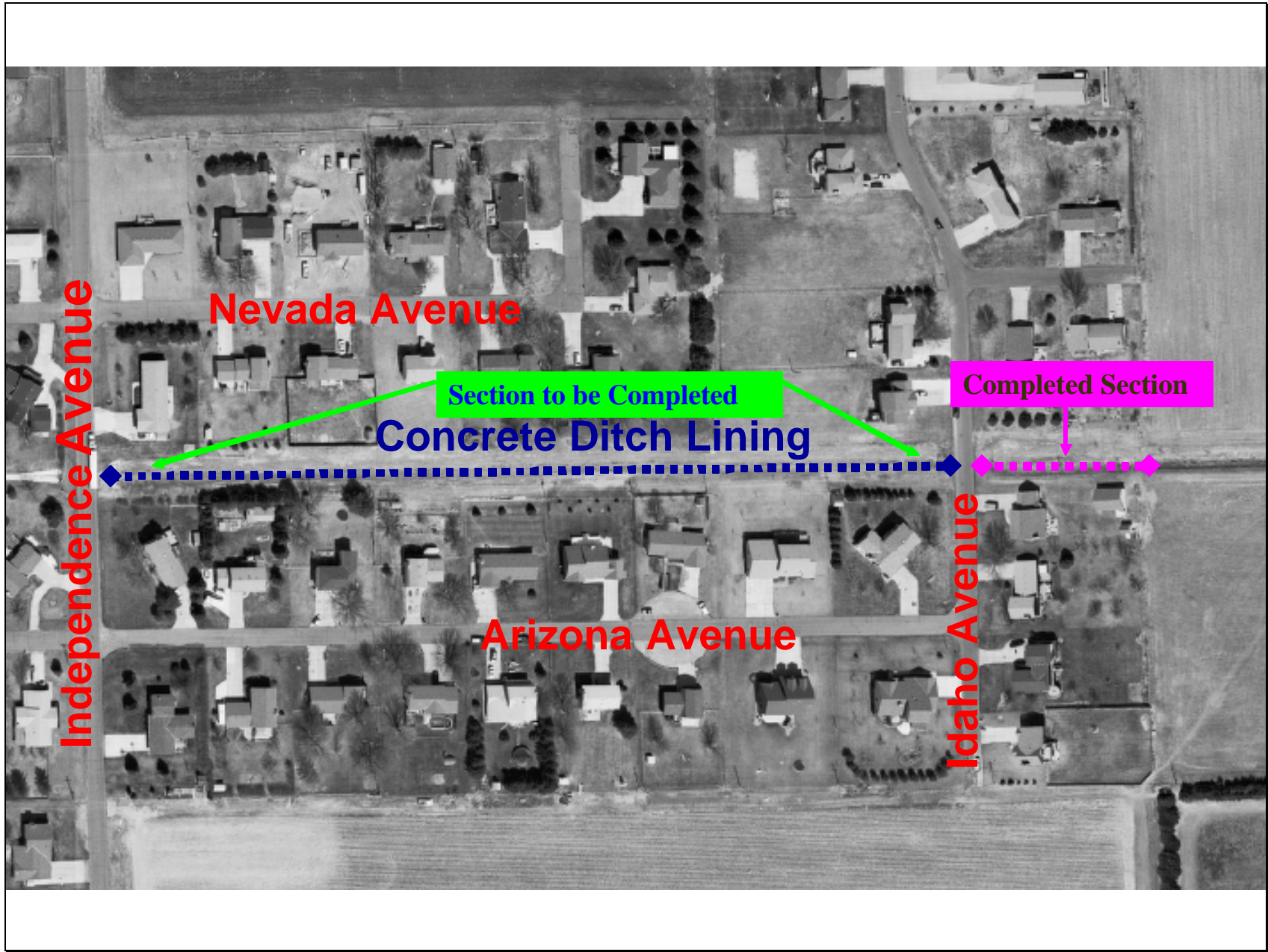
By _____

Date _____

Mayor

Attest: _____

City Clerk



Independence Avenue

Nevada Avenue

Section to be Completed
Concrete Ditch Lining

Completed Section

Arizona Avenue

Idaho Avenue

RESOLUTION 2006-9

WHEREAS, on September 13, 2005, by Resolution 2005-257, the City Council of the City of Grand Island approved the bid of The Diamond Engineering Company of Grand Island, Nebraska for Concrete Lining of the Capital Heights Ditch between Arizona Avenue and Nevada Avenue from Independence Avenue to east of Idaho Avenue; and

WHEREAS, the completion of such project has been delayed due to the City requesting the contractor to complete other higher priority City projects; and

WHEREAS, The Diamond Engineering Company has requested an extension from December 1, 2005 to May 6, 2006 in order to complete the concrete ditch lining project; and

WHEREAS, the Public Works Department is agreeable to 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 Concrete Lining of the Capital Heights Ditch between Arizona Avenue and Nevada Avenue from Independence Avenue to east of Idaho Avenue is hereby extended until May 5, 2006.

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, January 10, 2006.

Jay Vavricek, Mayor

Attest:

RaNae Edwards, City Clerk

Approved as to Form	☐ _____
January 4, 2006	☐ City Attorney