

**CITY OF TEMECULA  
AGENDA REPORT**

**TO:** City Manager/City Council

**FROM:** Patrick Thomas, Director of Public Works/City Engineer

**DATE:** May 24, 2022

**SUBJECT:** Approve the Plans and Specifications and Authorize Solicitation of Construction Bids for the Traffic Signal Installation – Citywide, Rancho California Road and Tee Drive, PW19-19

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**PREPARED BY:** Kendra Hannah-Meistrell, Senior Civil Engineer  
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**RECOMMENDATION:** That the City Council:

1. Approve the Plans and Specifications, and authorize the Department of Public Works to solicit construction bids for the Traffic Signal Installation – Citywide, Rancho California Road and Tee Drive, PW19-19; and
2. Make a finding that this project is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) per Article 19, Categorical Exemption, Section 15301, Existing Facilities, of the CEQA Guidelines.

**BACKGROUND:** As part of the Capital Improvement Program and Budget for Fiscal Year 2022-26, the City Council approved appropriations to support a Traffic Signal Installation – Citywide that would improve traffic safety and circulation throughout the City. A priority list of traffic signals has been developed. The traffic signals scheduled for installation will be designed and constructed in the scheduled fiscal year when funding becomes available. Rancho California Road and Tee Drive was selected from the list to be constructed and installed.

The project Plans and Specifications are complete and the project is ready to be advertised for construction bids. The contract documents are available for review in the office of the Director of Public Works.

The Engineer's Construction Cost Estimate is \$346,650 and the number of allowable working days is 40.

This project is exempt from the CEQA requirements pursuant to Article 19, Categorical Exemption, Section 15301, Existing Facilities, of the CEQA Guidelines. Section 15301 states that minor alteration involving no expansion of existing use of existing highways and streets are Class 1 activities, which are exempt from CEQA.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The Traffic Signal Installation – Citywide, Rancho California Road and Tee Drive is identified in the City’s Capital Improvement Program (CIP) budget for Fiscal Years 2022-26, and is funded with DIF-Traffic Signals and Measure S. Adequate funds are available in the project accounts to construct the project.

**ATTACHMENTS:**

1. Project Description
2. Project Location Map