

**SUBMITTAL TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
FOR THE COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

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**FROM:** Economic Development Agency      **SUBMITTAL DATE:** February 6, 2003

**SUBJECT:** Blythe Airport Runway Rehabilitation Project: Award of Construction Contract to F.N.F. Construction, Inc. (Fourth District)

**RECOMMENDED MOTION:** That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Accept the low bid of and award the contract to F.N.F. Construction, Inc. of Phoenix in the amount of \$1,367,415.60;
2. Authorize the Chairman to sign the contract documents on behalf of the Board; and
3. Delegate change order authority to the Assistant County Executive Officer/Economic Development Agency (Assistant CEO/EDA) in amounts that are in accordance with Board Policy B.11.

*Bradley J. Hudson*

Bradley J. Hudson, Assistant CEO/EDA

**FINANCIAL DATA:**

**CURRENT YEAR COST**      \$1,367,415

**ANNUAL COST** \$ 0

**NET COUNTY COST**      \$ 0

**IN CURRENT YEAR BUDGET:** Yes /X    No /

**BUDGET ADJUSTMENT:** Yes/    No/X

**FOR FY:** 02/03

**SOURCE OF FUNDS:** Federal Aviation Administration Airport Improvement Program (AIP) Grant Funds; California Department of Transportation Matching Grant Funds; City of Blythe Funds

**C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION:**

**APPROVE**

**County Executive Officer Signature**

*Brona King*

FORM APPROVED  
COUNTY COUNSEL

FEB 19 2003

Department Recommendation:  Consent     Policy  
Per Executive Office:  Consent     Policy

**Prev. Agn. ref.**  
8/15/00: 3.42  
10/29/02: 3.13

**Dist.**  
4th

**AGENDA NO.**

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**BACKGROUND:**

On October 29, 2002, the Board approved the plans and specifications and authorized the Clerk of the Board to advertise the Notice Inviting Bids for the Blythe Runway Rehabilitation Project. The project consists of the rehabilitation of Runway 8-26. The purpose of the project is to ensure that aircraft using the airport are able to do so more safely and to maintain the airport's infrastructure and pavement.

On January 15, 2003, three bids were submitted for the project; following is a bid summary, which summarizes results of the bids that were submitted on January 15, 2003 for the project:

<u>Contractor</u>	<u>Total Base Bid</u>
F.N.F. Construction, Inc.	\$1,367,415
Vance Corporation	\$1,574,406
Granite Construction	\$1,610,284

**RECOMMENDATION:**

Because the low bid on the base contract is within the County's budget for the project, staff recommends that the Board accept the bid of F.N.F. Construction, Inc. of Phoenix and award the contract to F.N.F. Construction in the amount of \$1,367,415. The Federal Aviation Administration and County Counsel have reviewed the foregoing and concur with Staff's recommendations.

**FINANCIAL DATA:**

The Blythe Airport Runway Rehabilitation Project is being financed using Federal Aviation Administration Airport Improvement Program (AIP) Grant Funds, California Department of Transportation Aeronautics Match Grant Funds, and City of Blythe funds; the County's General Fund will not be affected.

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