

**SUBMITTAL TO THE FLOOD CONTROL AND  
WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT BOARD  
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

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FORM APPROVED COUNTY COUNSEL  
BY: NEAL R. KIPNIS 11/27/07  
DATE

Departmental Concurrence

**FROM:** General Manager-Chief Engineer

**SUBMITTAL DATE:**  
November 20, 2007

**SUBJECT:** Request for Authorization to Pay Storm/Flood Emergency Costs  
Highland Springs Channel, Project No. 5-0-00180

**RECOMMENDED MOTION:**

Pursuant to Public Contract Code Section 22050 and Resolution F93-28, authorize the District to pay Riverside Construction Company for all work done to restore the flood conveyance capacity of the Highland Springs Channel following damage related to the Santa Ana wind storms of October 14 through October 17, 2007.

**BACKGROUND:**

The severe Santa Ana wind storm activity of October 14 through October 17, 2007 resulted in an extensive accumulation of sand over both Highland Springs Avenue and the District's Highland Springs Channel in the city of Beaumont. Highland Springs Avenue was closed to all vehicular traffic, after 8,000 to 10,000 cubic yards of sand were deposited within the channel. The sand blockage drastically reduced the flood flow capacity of the channel, thereby jeopardizing downstream homes, businesses and public infrastructure. Riverside Construction Company was brought in on an emergency basis to excavate the sand from the channel. Costs associated with the emergency work effort total \$143,604.

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**WARREN D. WILLIAMS**  
General Manager-Chief Engineer

<b>FINANCIAL DATA</b>	Current F.Y. District Cost:	\$143,604	In Current Year Budget:	Yes
	Current F.Y. County Cost:	\$0	Budget Adjustment:	No
	Annual Net District Cost:	\$0	For Fiscal Year:	07/08

<b>SOURCE OF FUNDS:</b>		<b>Positions To Be Deleted Per A-30</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>
25150 947480 527920-Zone 5 Const/Maint/Misc, Emergency Services- \$143,604		<b>Requires 4/5 Vote</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

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

APPROVE

BY: Alex Gann  
Alex Gann

County Executive Office Signature

Dept Recomm.:  Consent  Policy   
Per Exec. Ofc.:  Consent  Policy

Prev. Agn. Ref.: | District: 5 | Agenda Number:

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**FINANCIAL:**

The District budgets for flood emergencies and/or unexpected contingencies to ensure life and property risks are minimized. Riverside Construction Company responded to our emergency call for assistance without hesitation. An invoice for services rendered is now being submitted for payment. The District would like to respond with the same in-kind quick response. Our FY07/08 Zone 5 Budget has sufficient funds available to meet the costs incurred.