

FORM APPROVED COUNTY COUNSEL  
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**SUBMITTAL TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
 COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

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**FROM:** TLMA - Transportation Department

**SUBMITTAL DATE:**  
 January 23, 2015

**SUBJECT:** Emergency Storm Damage Repair Work, Varner Road and Rio Del Sol Road Retention Basin, Thousand Palms. 4<sup>th</sup> District; [\$322,000]; 100% Local Funds

**RECOMMENDED MOTION:** That the Board of Supervisors receive and file an emergency contract with Granite Construction Company that the Transportation Department has entered into on behalf of the County of Riverside.

**BACKGROUND:**

**Summary**

The Director of Transportation and Land Management Agency entered into an emergency contract with the firm Granite Construction Company of Indio, California to provide emergency storm repair work on Varner Road and Rio Del Sol Road Retention Basin east of the City of Cathedral City.

Departmental Concurrence

Patricia Romo

Juan C. Perez

Assistant Director of Transportation

Director of Transportation and Land Management

JCP: jrj

FINANCIAL DATA	Current Fiscal Year:	Next Fiscal Year:	Total Cost:	Ongoing Cost:	POLICY/CONSENT (Per Exec. Office)
<b>COST</b>	\$ 322,000	\$ 0	\$ 322,000	\$ 0	Consent <input type="checkbox"/> Policy <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>NET COUNTY COST</b>	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	

**SOURCE OF FUNDS:** Gas Tax (100%). There are no General Funds used in this project. **Budget Adjustment:** No  
**For Fiscal Year:** 2014/2015

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

APPROVE

BY:   
 Tina Grande

County Executive Office Signature

**MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**

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- Positions Added
- 4/5 Vote
- Change Order

Prev. Agn. Ref.: 1/11/11, Item 3-80

District: 4

Agenda Number:

3-29

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**BACKGROUND:**

**Summary (continued)**

Rain storms flooded and damaged a retention basin located at the intersection of Varner Road and Rio Del Sol Road in the Thousand Palms area on September 8, 2014. The high intensity storm caused the basin to be filled with sediment, damaged the slopes of the basin, and clogged the existing drainage pipe.

Emergency work included the following tasks of work, as directed by the Engineer:

1. Earthwork, excavation, and grading work for drainage basin
2. Disposal of debris, all surplus soil and unusable material
3. Drainage pipe clean out work
4. Traffic control
5. Dust control and soil stabilization

The Specifications and Contract Documents for this repair work were approved as to legal form by County Counsel.

The contract was executed in accordance with the authority that the Board of Supervisors delegated to the Director of Transportation by Resolution No. 2011-015 on January 11, 2011 (Agenda Item 3-80), and has been approved as to legal form by County Counsel.

The contractor was qualified, and the Riverside County contract was executed. The contractor provided performance bond, payment bond, and insurance documents.

The emergency repair work started early November 2014, and repairs were completed by the end of November 2014.

Project No. 15-00003

**Impact on Residents and Businesses**

Intense storms caused damage to the retention basin. Immediate repair of the retention basin was determined to be necessary for public safety, to protect the roadway and downstream properties, and to safeguard the motoring public.

**SUPPLEMENTAL:**

**Additional Fiscal Information**

The amount of this contract is for \$325,000. The actual cost is \$322,000.

This work was performed in accordance with the Force Account provisions of the Standard Specifications. The work will be funded from Gas Tax until such time as disaster relief funds may become available for reimbursement.

There are no General Funds used in this project.

**Contract History and Price Reasonableness**

N/A

**County of Riverside  
Transportation Department**

**Emergency Storm Damage Repair Work  
Varner Road and Rio Del Sol Road Retention Basin  
East of the Cathedral City  
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**Vicinity Map**  
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