RESOLUTION NO. 19-222

RESOLUTION OF THE MENDOCINO COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AUTHORIZING INCREASING THE DIRECTOR OF TRANSPORTATION'S CHANGE ORDER AUTHORITY TO A TOTAL OF \$425,025 FOR DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION CONTRACT NUMBER 170079 FOR CONSTRUCTION OF THE DAVIS CREEK BRIDGE REPLACEMENT ON EAST HILL ROAD, COUNTY ROAD 301, MILEPOST 2.01 (WILLITS AREA)

WHEREAS, the Mendocino County Department of Transportation (DOT) desires to replace the structurally deficient bridge over Davis Creek on East Hill Road, County Road (CR) 301, milepost (MP) 2.01, with a new bridge on a new alignment; and

WHEREAS, the costs of construction for the Davis Creek Bridge Replacement Project, CR 301, MP 2.01, are to be funded through the Federal Highway Association (FHWA) Highway Bridge Program (HBP), with the local match of the construction phase funded through the Toll Credit Program; and

WHEREAS, funding to accommodate construction costs has been budgeted through Budget Unit 3041 (Fiscal Year [FY] 2018/19 and FY 2019/20); and

WHEREAS, by Resolution Number (No.) 17-186, the Board of Supervisors authorized the Director of Transportation to sign the Notice to Bidders inviting bids for DOT Contract No. 170079 and to award the contract to the lowest responsive bidder; and

WHEREAS, DOT Contract No. 170079 was awarded to Viking Construction Company, Inc., with a bid of \$4,250,255; and

WHEREAS, under Section 20395 of the California Public Contract Code, the Board of Supervisors may authorize the Director of Transportation to execute contract change orders subject to certain cost limitations; and

WHEREAS, by Resolution 07-008, the Board of Supervisors authorized the Director of Transportation to execute changes to any DOT contract that exceeds \$250,000 by up to \$25,000, plus 5% of the amount of the original contract costs in excess of \$250,000, and in no event shall any change or alteration exceed \$150,000; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Resolution 07-008, the Director's original contract change order authority amount for DOT Contract No. 170079 was \$225,012; and

WHEREAS, addition of a pedestrian railing, omitted in the plans, will cost an estimated \$85,900 in excess of the change order authority; and

WHEREAS, initial project funding included a 10% contingency budget of \$425,025 with 100% of that amount reimbursed through the FHWA HBP; and

WHEREAS, the Director of Transportation recommends the Board increase change order authority and budget to a total of \$425,025 to allow for the continuation and timely completion of the replacement of the Davis Creek Bridge, CR 301, MP 2.01, in order to cover the costs of the pedestrian railing as well as any other unforeseen changes that may arise during construction, with anticipated reimbursement of all costs.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Mendocino County Board of Supervisors hereby:

1. Authorizes the Director of Transportation to award Contract Change Orders for DOT Contract No. 170079 with Viking Construction Company, Inc., up to a total of \$425,025.

The foregoing Resolution introduced by Supervisor Haschak, seconded by Supervisor Williams, and carried this 6th day of August, 2019, by the following vote:

AYES:

Supervisors Brown, McCowen, Haschak, Gjerde, and Williams

NOES:

None None

ABSENT: Non

WHEREUPON, the Chair declared said Resolution adopted and SO ORDERED.

ATTEST:

CARMEL J. ANGELO

Clerk of the Board

Deputy

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

KATHARINE L. ELLIOTT

County Counsel

CARRÉ BROWN, Chair

Mendocino County Board of Supervisors

I hereby certify that according to the provisions of Government Code Section 25103, delivery of this document has been made.

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BY:

CARMEL J. ANGELO

Clerk of the Board

Deputy