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CLARK COUNTY
STAFF REPORT

DEPARTMENT: Public Works, Transportation

DATE: August 22, 2023

REQUESTED ACTION: Approve a resolution for the temporary road closure of the intersection of Northeast 152nd Avenue and Northeast 119th Street for the construction of a roundabout between July 1, 2024, and August 31, 2024.

_X_ Consent ____ Hearing ____ County Manager

BACKGROUND

A contractor will construct a new roundabout at the intersection of Northeast 152nd Avenue and Northeast 119th Street. This work is for County Road Project 300222 Northeast 152nd Avenue and Northeast 119th Street Intersection Improvements.

Approval of this resolution will allow for the contractor to close the intersection of Northeast 152nd Avenue and Northeast 119th Street to construct a new roundabout. The closure will allow the contractor to efficiently construct the roundabout in a cost effective and timely manner, while safely separating the travelling public and construction workers. The detour route will be via Northeast 144th Street, Northeast 99th Street, Northeast 172nd Avenue, Northeast 124th Avenue and Northeast 117th Avenue (State Route 503). Other phases of construction will allow alternating flagged traffic beside the construction zone.

Construction is set to start in April 2024 with the road closure anticipated to start on July 1, 2024, and end no later than August 31, 2024. This project will go out to bid in summer 2023/fall 2023 to allow the contractor sufficient time to meet grant requirements. During all phases of construction, the contractor will work with the property owners along the affected corridors.

COUNCIL POLICY IMPLICATIONS

None. This agreement supports the Clark County Council's practice of investing in the county road system by providing safe and efficient transportation systems for all county residents.

ADMINISTRATIVE POLICY IMPLICATIONS

None. Specific closure dates and alternate route information will be provided to the public in accordance with RCW 47.48.020.

COMMUNITY OUTREACH

The contractor will post variable message signs five days prior to the start of the closure. The contractor will notify nearby residents before the start of construction. The contractor will issue a new release and post project and closure information on its website, including a map of the detour route, prior to the start of the road closure. The contractor will also post this information on their social media profiles; if the contractor does not have social media profiles, they will notify Public Works staff. Public Works will share the contractor's social posts related to this proposed closure or, if the contractor does not have social media profiles, will post about the closure. The contractor will notify emergency response agencies and coordinate with other impacted parties as needed as required by the standard county traffic control permit.

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BUDGET IMPLICATIONS

YES	NO	
	X	Operating Budget Impacts.
	X	Capital Budget Impacts
X		Action falls within existing budget capacity.
	X	Action falls within existing budget capacity but requires a change of purpose within existing appropriation. If YES, please complete the budget impact statement. If YES, please route this staff report through the budget director and then to the county manager.
	X	Additional budget capacity is necessary and will be requested at the next supplemental or annual budget. If YES, please complete the budget impact statement. If YES, please route this staff report through the budget director and then to the county manager. This action will be referred to the county council with a recommendation from the county manager.

BUDGET DETAILS

Dollar Amount	N/A
Fund	N/A
Cost Center	N/A
BASUB	N/A
Program	N/A

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ATTACHMENTS: (1) Resolution

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APPROVED:
CLARK COUNTY, WASHINGTON
CLARK COUNTY COUNCIL

DATE: Aug. 22, 2023

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RESOLUTION NO. 2023-08-13

WHEREAS, the Clark County Council is the legislative body charged by state law under RCW 47.48.010 and WAC 308-330-270 with authority to close county roads; and,

WHEREAS, a contractor proposes to construct a new roundabout for the Northeast 152nd Avenue and Northeast 119th Street Intersection Improvements project, CRP 300222, at the intersection of Northeast 152nd Avenue and Northeast 119th Street; and,

WHEREAS, the proposed work will require excavation within all lanes of roadway to construct the roundabout; and,

WHEREAS, there is not room to safely accommodate the proposed work and two-way traffic simultaneously; and,

WHEREAS, the county engineer believes the safety of contractors and the traveling public will be best served by a temporary closure of the intersection of Northeast 152nd Avenue and Northeast 119th Street; and,

WHEREAS, the proposed road closure is expected to take place between July 1, 2024 to August 31, 2024; and,

WHEREAS, the contractor will provide timely notification to the public, by publication in The Columbian, of an established detour route, posting of notifications at the termini of the proposed closure; and,

WHEREAS, the contractor will provide local access to property owners adjacent to the closure, including notifications of specific closure dates and routes the property owners will need to take due to the construction work; and,

WHEREAS, the Clark County Council is considering this matter at a duly advertised public meeting and finds that adoption of this resolution will further the public health and welfare.

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NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CLARK COUNTY COUNCIL, as follows:

Section 1. Findings. The council hereby adopts as findings the statements contained in the recitals above.

Section 2. Safety. The council hereby finds good cause for a closure of the intersection of Northeast 152nd Avenue and Northeast 119th Street, to ensure the safety of workers and the traveling public during the proposed work.

Section 3. Notice. The council directs the contractor, to provide appropriate notice of the road closure to the public, pursuant to RCW 47.48.020.

Section 4. Road Closure. Upon proper notice, the council authorizes the closure of the intersection of Northeast 152nd Avenue and Northeast 119th Street, for a period not to exceed August 31, 2024.

Resolved this 22nd day of August, 2023.

COUNTY COUNCIL
CLARK COUNTY, WASHINGTON

Attest:

Clerk to the Council

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Approved as to form only:
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