

APPROVE CONTRACT INCREASE FOR GRW & SON, INC.

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The Sanitary District is also interested in training their inspection staff using another District project, West Chapman sewer. Specialty inspection services provided by GRW & Son for jacking the sewer under a flood control channel will provide training to District staff for similar future projects resulting in a cost savings. The cost for four weeks of specialty inspection training is estimated at \$13,600.

Additionally, one of our Public Works inspectors is on medical leave for an undetermined length of time. To provide good customer service to the various developments under construction around the City, it is prudent to hire a consultant inspector for the short term to provide adequate coverage. GRW & Son has the resources and estimates the cost at \$20,400.00.

GRW & Son is requesting an increase of \$237,193.00 to their existing contract to accomplish the work described above.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

The budget has been reviewed and funds are available in Fund 631 for the sewer project work and Fund 079 for development inspection.

COMMUNITY VISION IMPLEMENTATION

This project is consistent with the community vision for maintaining and upgrading the sewer system to ensure maximum protection of public health and the environment.

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that Garden Grove Sanitary District Board:

- Approve a contract increase of \$237,193.00 for a contract total of \$363,103.00 for construction management services provided by GRW & Son, Inc. for the Garden Grove Boulevard-Palm Street sewer project

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