

Public Hearing: April 24, 2006

## **FACT SHEET**

**TITLE:** South 14<sup>th</sup> & Hwy 2 Intersection Safety Improvement, State Project No. STPP-5221(2), CN 12742; City Project No. 701908

**SPONSOR:** Public Works and Utilities

**OPPONENTS:** Unknown

**STAFF RECOMMENDATION:** Approval

**OTHER DEPARTMENTS AFFECTED:** N/A

**APPLICANT:** Public Works & Utilities

**REASON FOR LEGISLATION:** To provide authority for the Mayor to execute a supplemental agreement to Resolution No. 82759 between the City of Lincoln and the Nebraska Department of Roads in order for the State to undertake the construction inspection for the project and so that additional Federal Funds can be obligated and used for this Intersection Safety Improvement project. South 14<sup>th</sup> & Highway 2 Intersection Safety Improvement, State Project No. STPP-5221(2), CN 12742; City Project No. 701908.

## **DISCUSSION**

The State and City entered into an agreement executed by the City May 19, 2004 and by the State June 8, 2004 that provided for Non-Betterment Utility rehab, Construction and Construction Engineering on the S. 14<sup>th</sup> & Highway 2 Intersection Safety Improvement project, City resolution No. 82759. The project will now be constructed in coordination with the Nebraska Department of Roads Highway 2 rehabilitation project from approximately Van Dorn to east of 56<sup>th</sup> Street.

The construction estimate has increased since the original agreement date. As a result, the Nebraska Department of Roads agreed to increase the original \$376,800 Federal Safety Funds reimbursement to the City by \$123,200. The Federal Safety funds are available to fund up to 80% of eligible project expenses, up to the revised \$500,000 maximum.

The project is scheduled to let April 21, 2006 with construction anticipated to begin mid-June 2006.

**POLICY OR PROGRAM CHANGE:** No

**COST OF ROADWAY CONSTRUCTION:** \$790,000

**SOURCE OF FUNDS:** \$500,000 Federal Safety Funds; \$290,000 City local Funds

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