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STATE OF GEORGIA**

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FILE P.I. #0010116

OFFICE Design Policy & Support

GDOT District 4 - Tifton
Lowndes County
Valdosta Traffic Signal & Pedestrian
Upgrades @ 12 Locations

DATE August 15, 2013

FROM  for Brent Story, State Design Policy Engineer

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SUBJECT APPROVED LOCATION & DESIGN REPORT

Attached is the approved Location and Design Report with Notice of Location & Design Approval for the above subject project.

Attachment

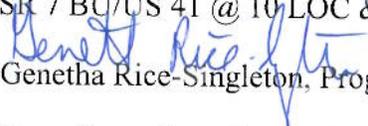
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INTERDEPARTMENT CORRESPONDENCE

FILE: P.I. 0010116 Lowndes County
P.I. No.: 0010116
SR 7 BU/US 41 @ 10 LOC & SR 7 ALT @ 2 LOC
OFFICE: Program Delivery
DATE: July 30, 2013

FROM: 
Genetha Rice-Singleton, Program Delivery Engineer

TO: Brent Story, State Design Policy Engineer
Attn. Dave Peters, State Design Conceptual Group Manager

SUBJECT: Request for Location and Design Approval

Description and Project Proposal: The proposed project is located in Lowndes County (100%) in the City of Valdosta. The project will consist of traffic signalization upgrades, including LED vehicular signals, countdown pedestrian signals, ADA wheelchair ramps, and crosswalk striping at all 12 locations.

The project locations are:

1. SR 7 Bus/US 41 (North Ashley Street) @ East Gordon Street
2. SR 7 Bus/US 41 (North Ashley Street) @ East Ann Street
3. SR 7 Bus/US 41 (North Ashley Street) @ East College Street
4. SR 7 Bus/US 41 (North Ashley Street) @ East Moore Street
5. SR 7 Bus/US 41 (North Ashley Street) @ East Park Avenue
6. SR 7 Bus/US 41 (North Ashley Street) @ Rosedale Road
7. SR 7 Bus/US 41 (North Ashley Street) @ Cowart Avenue
8. SR 7 Bus/US 41 (North Ashley Street) @ East Northside Drive
9. SR 7 Alternate (North Patterson Street) @ Smithbriar Drive
10. SR 7 Bus/US 41 (North Ashley Street) @ Smithbriar Drive
11. SR 7 Bus/US 41 (North Ashley Street) @ Oak Street Extension, and
12. SR 7 Alternate (North Patterson Street) @ Northside Drive

Concept Approval Date: March 14, 2012

Concept Update: No changes have been made to the Project Concept Report since it was approved.

Environmental Assessment Approval Date: A Categorical Exclusion was approved on March 14, 2013. No reassessment of the environmental document has been completed since the original approval date.

Public Involvement: A Public Hearing Open House is not required. A Public Information Open House is not required.

Consistency with Approved Planning: The design description as presented herein and submitted for approval is consistent with the approved Concept Report.

Recommendations: Recommend that the location and design for the project be approved and that the attached Notice be approved for advertising.

CONCUR: Kyle Carpenter 8/8/13
Director of Engineering

Approval: Alle M. M.
Chief Engineer

8/12/13
Date of Approval

DATE OF LOCATION AND DESIGN APPROVAL: August 15, 2013
(To be entered by the State Conceptual Design Group Manager)

GRS:AVS:pb

Attachments:

- Sketch Map
- Cost Estimate
- Notice of Location and Design Approval

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INTERDEPARTMENT CORRESPONDENCE

FILE PROJECT No. , OFFICE

DATE

P.I. No.

FROM *Albert Shelby for*

TO Lisa L. Myers, Project Review Engineer

SUBJECT REVISIONS TO PROGRAMMED COSTS

PROJECT MANAGER

MNGT LET DATE

MNGT R/W DATE

PROGRAMMED COST (TPro W/OUT INFLATION)

LAST ESTIMATE UPDATE

CONSTRUCTION \$

DATE

RIGHT OF WAY \$

DATE

UTILITIES \$

DATE

REVISED COST ESTIMATES

CONSTRUCTION* \$

RIGHT OF WAY \$

UTILITIES \$

* Costs contain % Engineering and Inspection

REASON FOR COST INCREASE

CONTINGENCY SUMMARY

Construction Cost Estimate: \$ 1,505,204.17 (Base Estimate)

Engineering and Inspection: \$ 75,260.21 (Base Estimate x 5 %)

Total Liquid AC Adjustment \$ N/A (From attached worksheet)

Construction Total: \$ 1,580,464.38

REIMBURSABLE UTILITY COST

Utility Owner

Reimbursable Cost

Attachments

NOTICE OF LOCATION AND DESIGN APPROVAL

P.I. Number: 0010116 Lowndes County

Notice is hereby given in compliance with Georgia Code 22-2-109 and 32-3-5 that the Georgia Department of Transportation has approved the Location and Design of this project.

Date of Location and Design Approval: *August 15, 2013*

The proposed signal upgrade project is located in Lowndes County (100%) in the City of Valdosta. The project lies within Land Lots 7, 34, 35, 58, 59, 60, 61 and 79.

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Drawings or maps or plats of the proposed project, as approved, are on file and are available for public inspection at the Georgia Department of Transportation:

Jerry Hughes, Area 1 Engineer – District 4
Georgia Department of Transportation
1411 Madison Highway
Valdosta, Georgia 31601
Phone (229) 333-5287

Any interested party may obtain a copy of the drawings or maps or plats or portions thereof by paying a nominal fee and requesting in writing to:

Genetha Rice-Singleton, Program Delivery Engineer
Office of Program Delivery
grice-singleton@dot.ga.gov
600 West Peachtree St.
Atlanta, Georgia 30308
Phone: 404-631-1522

Any written request or communication in reference to this project or notice SHOULD include the Project and P.I. Numbers as noted at the top of this notice.