

State of California
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Department of Transportation

PROJECT BUSINESS MATTERS
Extension Request – Contract Award
Action Item

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WAIVER REQUEST – CTC RESOLUTION G-01-21
CTC STIP GUIDELINES
SECTION 65 – TIMELY USE OF FUNDS

LOCAL STREETS AND ROADS PROJECTS
Waiver 01-54

ISSUE

Resolution G-01-21, *STIP Guidelines*, adopted by the California Transportation Commission (Commission) on July 12, 2001, stipulates that funds allocated for the construction phase of local grant projects are available for contract award for a period of 12 months from the date of allocation.

On November 2, 2000, the Commission allocated \$204,657 in Proposition 116 Competitive Bicycle Program funds to the City of Folsom (City) for the Folsom Parkway Regional Rail Trail. The project includes construction of a new bridge over Humbug-Willow Creek and 3,400 feet of Class I bikeway. The City is requesting a six-month extension for contract award, from November 2, 2001 to May 2, 2002.

The City put the project out to bid on September 12, 2001. The bids received were significantly higher than the project budget. The City will revise the design to reduce the cost, while retaining the original project scope.

To date, there have been no reimbursements to the City for the project.

RECOMMENDATION

The Department of Transportation recommends approval of the requested extension.