



CITY OF MARTINEZ

**CITY COUNCIL AGENDA
July 15, 2009**

TO: Mayor and City Council
FROM: Tim Tucker, City Engineer
SUBJECT: 2009 Sidewalk Replacement Project
DATE: July 1, 2009

RECOMMENDATION:

Approve a resolution authorizing the City Manager to execute a funding agreement with Contra Costa County, Community Development Block Grant Program Under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (CDBG-R) for the 2009 Sidewalk Replacement Project; and to allocate \$30,000 of Gas Tax funds for the 2009 Sidewalk Replacement Project (Account Number C1010).

BACKGROUND:

The 2009 Sidewalk Replacement Project is designed to remove and replace approximately 6,500 square feet of damaged sidewalk in low income areas in the downtown area. Priority locations identified in the grant application were along the Estudillo Street and Castro Street corridors; and the Court Street corridor in the vicinity of Martinez Junior High School (see attached map). The project will improve safety and accessibility for residents and handicap individuals consistent with ADA requirements.

On May 15, 2009 staff applied for supplemental CDBG-R program funds for this project. Contra Costa County approved \$40,000 in CDBG-R funds to the City. The estimated total cost of the project is \$70,000. Staff is requesting the City Council to allocate an additional \$30,000 in Gas Tax Funds (budgeted in the CIP under the sidewalk and the curb ramps projects) to complete this project. The quantity and locations of the sidewalk to be replaced will depend on the actual construction cost.

A funding agreement with the Contra Costa County, Community Development Block Grant Program for the CDBG-R funds is required. The County is currently in the process of preparing the agreement. This agreement will be similar to the agreement recently executed by the City for the 2008/09 Curb Ramp Project, except that it will include a "Buy American" paragraph.

FISCAL IMPACT:

The estimated total cost of the project is \$70,000. The City is eligible to receive \$40,000 from the CDBG-R program funds. An additional \$30,000 from Gas Tax funds is needed to complete this project.

The funding for the project is presented below:

<u>Funding</u>	<u>Amount</u>
CDBG-R Funds	\$40,000
Gas Tax Funds Allocation	<u>\$30,000</u>
Total Funding	\$70,000

<u>Budget</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Design & Misc. expenses	\$7,100
Construction	\$57,200
Const. Mgmt.	<u>\$5,700</u>
Total Budget	\$70,000

ACTION:

Motion approving a resolution authorizing the City Manager to execute a funding agreement with the Contra Costa County Community Development Block Grant Under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (CDBG-R) program in the amount of \$40,000; and to authorize the allocation of \$30,000 of the Gas Tax funds to Account Number C1010 for the 2009 Sidewalk Replacement Project.

Attachments: Resolution
Location Map

APPROVED BY: 
Assistant City Manager

RESOLUTION NO. -09

AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE AN AGREEMENT WITH CONTRA COSTA COUNTY COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT UNDER THE AMERICAN RECOVERY AND REINVESTMENT ACT OF 2009 (CDBG-R) PROGRAM FOR THE 2009 SIDEWALK REPLACEMENT PROJECT, AND TO ALLOCATE \$30,000 OF GAS TAX FUNDS TO ACCOUNT NUMBER C1010 FOR THE 2009 SIDEWALK REPLACEMENT PROJECT

WHEREAS, the City is eligible to receive \$40,000 from the Contra Costa County Community Development Block Grant Under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (CDBG-R) for the 2009 Sidewalk Replacement Project; and

WHEREAS, in order to receive the CDBG-R funds, the City is required to execute a funding agreement with Contra Costa County, Community Development Block Grant Program; and

WHEREAS, Staff has identified locations of damaged sidewalk in low-income areas along the Estudillo Street & Castro Street corridors; and along Court Street corridor in the vicinity of the Martinez Junior High School; and

WHEREAS, this project is design to replace approximately 6,500 square feet of damaged sidewalk to improve safety and enhance accessibility for residents, especially for physically impaired residents and will comply with ADA requirements; and

WHEREAS, the estimated total cost of the project is \$70,000; and

WHEREAS, an additional \$30,000 from the Gas Tax funds is needed to complete this project.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Martinez that the Council authorizes the City Manager to execute an agreement with the Contra Costa County, Community Development Block Grant Under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (CDBG-R) Program for the 2009 Sidewalk Replacement Project in the amount of \$40,000.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Council allocates \$30,000 of Gas Tax funds to Account Number C1010 for the 2009 Sidewalk Replacement Project.

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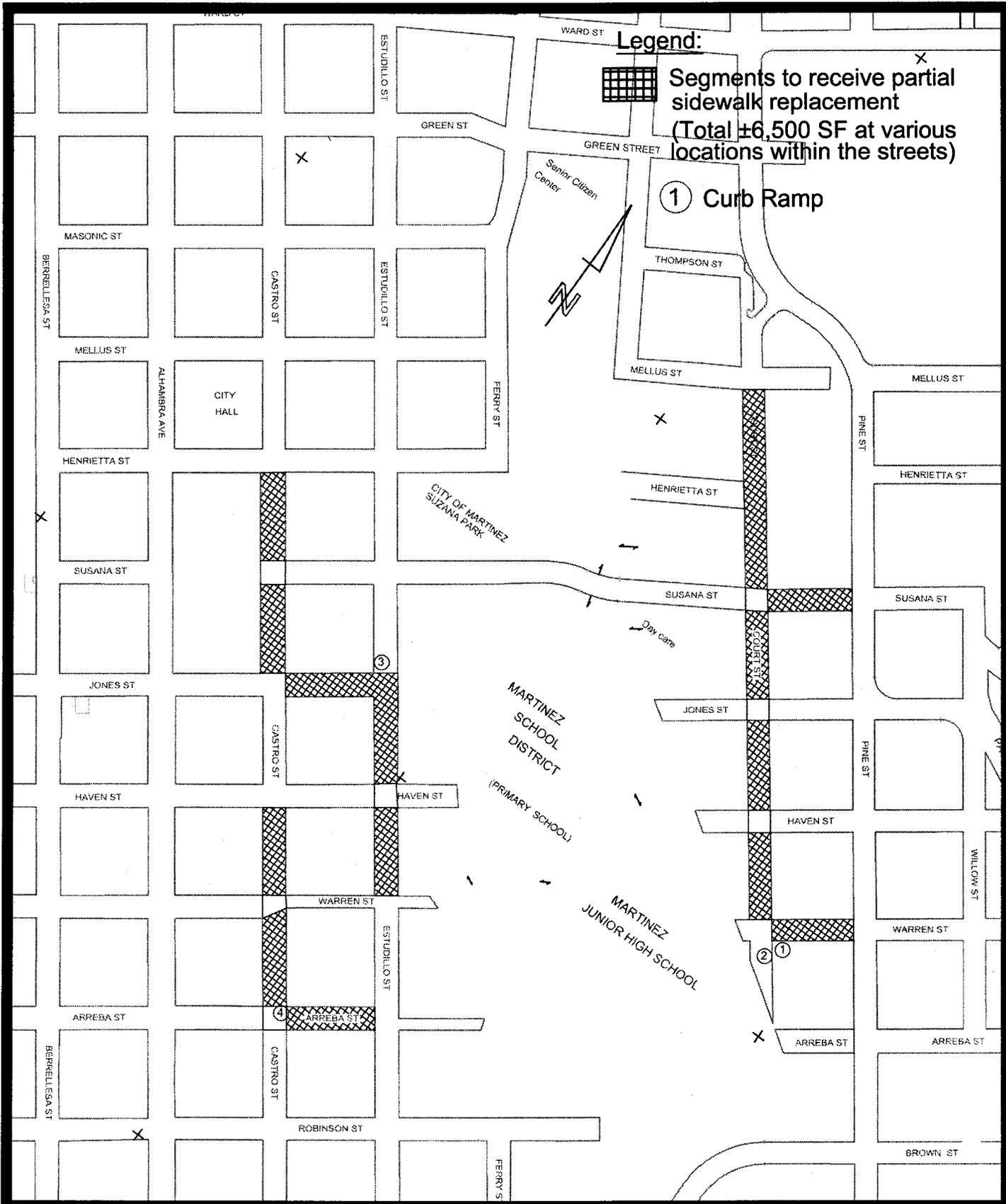
I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of a resolution duly adopted by the City Council of the City of Martinez at a Regular Meeting of said Council held on the 15th day of July, 2009, by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

RICHARD G. HERNANDEZ, CITY CLERK
CITY OF MARTINEZ



SIDEWALK VICINITY MAP

2009 SIDEWALK REPLACEMENT PROJECT
City of Martinez

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