



**City Council  
Agenda Item Summary Report**

Meeting Date: 05/05/2020			
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Consent	Discussion Only	Public Hearing	Action/Discussion X
Item Title: Discuss and Consider a Resolution awarding the proposal for RFP 2020-003 for Outside Plant Optical Fiber Backbone Infrastructure to GTI authorizing the execution of all necessary documents.			
How this item ties-in with the City's Mission, Vision and Values:  Maintain and provide necessary systems for city staff to execute job functions.			
Attachments:  GTI Response to RFP 2020-003 Bid Tabulations			

**Item Summary:**

This item is to award GTI with the contract for the Outside Fiber plant installation. The project was budgeted for in the FY2020 CIP fund and the response from GTI is within the budgeted amount.

This will connect City Hall, Public Works, Community Development, Fire Station 1, Animal Shelter, Community Park Office, Community Parks Maintenance, Spellman Amphitheater, and the Police Department with buried fiber.

Our current network infrastructure is an aging consumer grade wireless system and it lacks the bandwidth and stability for the growing needs of the technology of the City. This is an investment that will last the city decades.

Construction can begin quickly after the final agreement is signed by the City Manager, staff expects the project to be complete by the end of August 2020.