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**SUBJECT:** Notice of Completion for B and D Excavation and Construction for the Sound Wall, and request that the City Clerk file the Notice of Completion with the County Recorder.

**DEPARTMENT:** Engineering

**STAFF:** Allen Baquilar, Director of Engineering/City Engineer  
Brant Wilson, Senior Associate Engineer  
Renee Payette, Project Services Specialist

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**TITLE/RECOMMENDATION**

Staff recommends that the City Council adopt a Resolution accepting the work performed by B and D Excavation and Construction (“Contractor”) for the Sound Wall, CIP Project No. 337-37263 (“Project”); and requesting the City Clerk file a Notice of Completion with the County Recorder.

**FISCAL IMPACT**

The total contract amount for the work performed by the Contractor is as follows:

<u>Contractor</u>	<u>Final Contract Amount</u>	<u>Council Approved Amount (Including Contingency)</u>
B and D Excavation and Construction	\$435,064.20	\$435,390

The Project was included in the adopted 2023/24 – 2027/28 Capital Improvement Program and the final contract cost came in just under the City Council approved amount. The General Fund provided the funding for this Project, and unspent Project funds will be returned to the General Fund upon Project closure.

**BACKGROUND**

This Project replaced an existing section of developer-installed sound wall between State Route 4 and Livorno Street. The scope of work performed included removing 202 linear feet of the existing sound wall and footings and constructing a new sound wall with cast-in-drilled-hole concrete pile foundation.



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The new sound wall provides a variable increase in height ranging from 1'4" to 3'4" as compared to the height of the previous sound wall on either side of the section that was raised.

The Contractor completed all improvements on January 18, 2024, per the contract documents. Staff is recommending acceptance of the work performed by the Contractor and the Notice of Completion be filed with the County Recorder.

**CITY COUNCIL STRATEGIC INITIATIVE**

Focus Area 1: Public Works, Goal 1.d.: Explore State Route 4 sound study mitigation measures, including raising the lower portion of the existing sound wall adjacent to Livorno Street, south of Carrara Street.

**PREVIOUS ACTION**

Previous Action by the City Council is included on Attachment 1.

**ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION**

A Notice of Exemption was filed with the Contra Costa County Clerk-Recorder on May 25, 2023.

**ALTERNATIVE OPTION(S)**

Not applicable.

**ATTACHMENT(S)**

1. Previous Action
2. Resolution
3. Acceptance Photograph
4. Notice of Completion