AGENDA ITEM ABSTRACT MEETING DATE: June 26, 2012

SUBJECT: Request to Authorize the Town Manager to Award a Construction Contract for Pine Street - Phase 1B Sidewalk Project

DEPARTMENT: PUBLIC WORKS DEPT.	PUBLIC HEARING: NO
ATTACHMENTS: A. Resolution	FOR INFORMATION CONTACT:
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PURPOSE

The purpose of this agenda item is to request the Board of Aldermen authorize the Town Manager to award and execute a construction contract for the Pine Street sidewalk project.

INFORMATION

The Pine Street sidewalk project is part of the Phase IB Sidewalk Bond program. Design is almost complete and Town staff anticipates a late June early July 2012 bid opening. As the Board does not return from Summer break until August 28, it is recommended that the Town Manager be authorized to make an award, up to the budgeted amount for the project so staff can to proceed as soon as possible to get construction started. All necessary easements for the project have been obtained by Public Works.

The project extends from Hillsborough Rd. to N. Greensboro Street for a distance of about 1700 feet and consists of 5 foot wide integral curb sidewalk, storm sewer and some retaining walls.

FISCAL IMPACT

There are sufficient funds budgeted to cover this project. The budget amount is \$350,000.

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the Board adopt the attached resolution, authorizing the Town Manager to award and execute the contract as noted.