

Thomas Roads Improvement Program

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City Council awards TRIP project contract

The Bakersfield City Council awarded a contract last night, launching another road improvement project under the Thomas Roads Improvement Program (TRIP).

The \$9.25 million contract was awarded to HNTB, Corp. for preliminary engineering services on the Centennial Corridor South Project. Contracted services include numerous environmental studies, conceptual layouts of project alternatives, and the supporting documentation necessary to complete the draft and final environmental documents.

The project is the eighth TRIP contract that City Council has awarded since mid-July. It is one of the projects that former Congressman Bill Thomas identified for funding in the 2005 transportation act (Safe, Accountable, Flexible, Efficient Transportation Equity Act: a Legacy for Users [SAFETEA: LU]).

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