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**NEWS RELEASE – FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

**CITY OF SELMA ANNOUNCES MAJOR RECONSTRUCTION PROJECT ON FLORAL AVENUE.**

**Date:** April 17, 2018  
**Time:** 10:00 a.m.  
**Location:** 3200 E. Floral Avenue, Selma, California, South Side of Floral Avenue at the Three-Way Stop Sign between Wal-Mart & Burger King.

On Tuesday, April 17, 2018, the City of Selma will break ground on the \$1.6 million Floral Avenue Reconstruction project in Selma. These road improvements will enhance traffic flow into businesses as well as provide residents with an easier east/west access across the City. Dawson-Mauldin Construction Inc. of Selma, a local contractor will work on the project over three major phases. The entire project includes the complete reconstruction of Floral Avenue from the West side of Walmart to West Front Street and is expected to be completed within 140 days. Phase 1 will begin at Walmart to the Highway 99 southbound off-ramp and Whitson to West Front Street.

“Floral Avenue is a vital arterial corridor for east/west travel for Selma residents. This project will also improve traffic flow into one of Selma’s busiest commercial areas. We expect some minor inconvenience, but the permanent benefit to the businesses and the community of Selma will be worth the wait,” said Mayor Jim Avalos.

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