Recommendation for Council Action

AUSTIN CITY COUNCIL

Regular Meeting : February 15, 2018 Item Number: 007

Capital Contracting Office

Authorize negotiation and execution of an amendment to the professional services agreement with AECOM Technical Services, Inc., Brown & Gay Engineers, Inc., CAS Consulting & Svcs, Inc. (MBE), Doucet & Associates, Inc., Espey Consultants, Inc. dba RPS, Freese and Nichols, Inc., Halff Associates, Inc., HDR Engineering, Inc., Jacobs Engineering Group, Inc., Parsons Water & Infrastructure, Inc., S & B Infrastructure, LTD. and Walker Partners, LLC, for engineering services for the 2016 Large Scale General Civil Engineering Services Rotation List, in an amount of \$6,000,000, for a total contract amount not to exceed \$15,600,000 divided among the firms. [Note: This amendment will be awarded in compliance with City Code 2-9B (Minority Owned and Women Owned Business Enterprise Procurement Program). Current participation to date is 17.52% MBE and 35.16% WBE.]

Lead Department	Capital Contracting Office Managing Department(s) Capital Contracting Office
Fiscal Note	Funding is available in the Capital and/or Operating and Maintenance Budgets of the various departments requiring services.
Purchasing Language	Original contract was awarded through a qualifications-based selection process.
Prior Council Action	November 19, 2015 - Council approved a professional services agreement with AECOM Technical Services, Inc., Brown & Gay Engineers, Inc., CAS Consulting & Svcs, Inc., Doucet & Associates, Inc., Espey Consultants, Inc. dba RPS, Freese and Nichols, Inc., Halff Associates, Inc., HDR Engineering, Inc., Jacobs Engineering Group, Inc., Parsons Water & Infrastructure, Inc., S & B Infrastructure, LTD., Walker Partners, LLC for the 2016 Large Scale General Civil Engineering Services Rotation List.

For More Information	Inquiries should be directed to the City Manager's Agenda Office, at 512-974-2991 or AgendaOffice@austintexas.gov.
	NOTE: Respondents to this solicitation, and their representatives, shall direct inquiries to Rolando Fernandez, 512-974-7749 or Aiden Cohen, 512-974-1929.

Additional Backup Information:

The 2016 Large Scale General Civil Engineering Services Rotation List provides professional services for civil engineering projects up to \$800,000 in design fees, have a critical schedule, or are of an emergency nature. Typical projects include water and wastewater planning studies and investigations, pipeline design and rehabilitation, utility relocation design, and evaluation of lift station improvements including electrical, mechanical and instrumentation work. Additional projects may include storm water and drainage improvements, miscellaneous park projects, street and intersection improvements, and American with Disabilities Act sidewalk ramps and crosswalks.

In 2017, three large Austin Water projects, as well as, two 2016 Mobility Bond projects required utilization of the 2016 Large Scale General Civil Engineering Services Rotation List which depleted the authority of the consultants faster than expected. In order to replenish authority staff is requesting additional authorization of \$500,000 per firm for a total of \$6,000,000. The new not-to-exceed total for this Rotation List will be \$15,600,000 which will be allocated as appropriate to each of the 12 firms. This will allow the Capital Contracting Office to continue supporting client departments who utilize this Rotation List.