



Recommendation for Action

File #: 20-3551, **Agenda Item #:** 50.

12/10/2020

Posting Language

Authorize negotiation and execution of an amendment to the professional services agreements with Jacobs Engineering Group, Inc.; Parsons Transportation Group, Inc.; CAS Consulting & Services, Inc. (MBE); AECOM Technical Services, Inc.; HDR Engineering, Inc.; Atkins North America, Inc.; Freese & Nichols, Inc.; Dannenbaum Engineering Company-Austin LLC; MWM DesignGroup, Inc. (WBE); Walker Partners, LLC; BGE, Inc.; and Klotz Associates, Inc. dba RPS Klotz Associates; for engineering services for the 2020 Large Scale General Civil Engineering Services Rotation List in the amount of \$10,800,000 for a total contract amount not to exceed \$21,200,000, 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) with 15.80% MBE and 15.80% WBE goals attached to the contract.]

Lead Department

Capital Contracting Office

Managing Department

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:

Twelve contracts were awarded through a qualifications-based selection process.

Prior Council Action:

October 3, 2019 - Council approved professional services agreements for the 2020 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 <<mailto:AgendaOffice@austintexas.gov>>.

NOTE: Respondents to this solicitation, and their representatives, shall direct inquiries to Rolando Fernandez, 512-974-7749 or Beverly Mendez, 512-974-3596.

Additional Backup Information:

As a standard business practice, the City routinely engages the services of professional engineering firms to perform analysis, design and support services associated with construction or improvement of City capital assets. Rotation List contracting allows the City to always have a group of qualified consultants available to perform a specific type of recurring work in a timely manner to meet the project and operational needs of the

City.

The 2020 Large Scale General Civil Engineering Services Rotation List is available for projects of various scopes and sizes, generally anticipated to include, but not limited to, the following:

- Water and Wastewater Utility Projects: Planning Studies, investigations, pipeline design and rehabilitation, utility relocation design, and design and evaluation of lift station improvements, including electrical, mechanical and instrumentation work.
- Public Works Department/Various City Department Projects: The design of street and/or intersection improvements; storm drainage systems which may include piping, inlets, culverts, channels detention ponds, and water quality controls; utility relocation; parking lot improvements; sidewalks and associated Americans with Disabilities Act ramps and crosswalks; and miscellaneous Parks and Recreation Department improvements.

The Capital Contracting Office is requesting additional authorization to meet department demand for utilization of firms off this rotation list. Staff incorrectly calculated the authority amount and will soon meet the original spending estimated during the development of this rotation list. The additional authority will support projects for approximately three years and to allow adequate time for the development of a replacement rotation list.

Strategic Outcome(s):

Mobility; Government that Works for All; Safety; Health and Environment