

RESOLUTION NO. RES-2021-060

RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANTA ROSA TO APPROVE A PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT WITH BKF ENGINEERS OF SANTA ROSA, CA TO PROVIDE PROFESSIONAL DESIGN AND RIGHT OF WAY SERVICES FOR THE PRELIMINARY ENGINEERING PHASE OF THE HIGHWAY 101 BICYCLE AND PEDESTRIAN OVERCROSSING PROJECT

WHEREAS, the City would like to construct a pedestrian and bicycle overcrossing at US Highway 101 to include a 5-foot wide sidewalk and an 8-foot wide bike path, which will improve existing pedestrian & bicycle connectivity, reduce pedestrian/vehicle conflict, and increase opportunity for alternative transportation; and

WHEREAS, the City advertised a request for proposals from September 29, 2020 to October 20, 2020 for consultant professional design and right of way services for the PE phase of the Highway 101 Bicycle and Pedestrian Overcrossing project; and

WHEREAS, the City notified one thousand one hundred ninety-eight (1,198) professional firms of the request for proposals, one hundred two (102) firms reviewed the request for proposals as potential bidders and one (1) proposal was received; and

WHEREAS, Caltrans concurred with the City's finding that proceeding with the evaluation, selection and negotiation process with one (1) proposal was cost effective and in the public's best interest because, based on the high level of interested exhibited by prospective bidders, yet only one proposal being submitted, re-advertising the project was unlikely to result in additional proposals being received; and

WHEREAS, a review panel composed of personnel from the City of Santa Rosa, Sonoma County Transportation Authority, and Caltrans found BKF Engineers and their subconsultant team possessed the required technical expertise, relevant project experience and understanding of the work to be done to successfully deliver the project PS&E phase; and

WHEREAS, the final negotiated fee for BKF Engineers to provide the requested scope of services is three million, eight hundred forty-two thousand, nine hundred fifty-two dollars (\$3,842,952.00).

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NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Council of the City of Santa Rosa approves a Professional Services Agreement with BKF Engineers, in substantially the same form as Exhibit A to the resolution, subject to approval as to form by the City Attorney, to deliver professional engineering and right of way services for the PE phase of the Highway 101 Bicycle and Pedestrian Overcrossing project in an amount not-to-exceed \$3,842,952.00.

IN COUNCIL DULY PASSED this 27th day of April 2021.

AYES: (7) Mayor C. Rogers, Vice Mayor N. Rogers, Council Members Alvarez, Fleming, Sawyer, Schwedhelm, Tibbetts

NOES: (0)

ABSENT: (0)

ABSTAIN: (0)

ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_ APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_  
City Clerk Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM: \_\_\_\_\_  
City Attorney

Exhibit A – Professional Services Agreement with BKF Engineers