

# City of Fayetteville, Arkansas

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### Legislation Text

File #: 2024-1877

Approval of Contract Amendment #2 in the amount of \$20,475.00 with McClelland Consulting Engineers for the North Street Corridor Project and approval of a budget adjustment.

A RESOLUTION TO APPROVE AMENDMENT NO. 2 TO THE CONTRACT WITH MCCLELLAND CONSULTING ENGINEERS, INC. IN THE AMOUNT OF \$20,475.00 TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL SERVICES ASSOCIATED WITH THE NORTH STREET CORRIDOR PROJECT, AND TO APPROVE A BUDGET ADJUSTMENT – 2019 STREET IMPROVEMENTS BOND PROJECT

WHEREAS, on March 16, 2021, the City Council approved Resolution # 88-21 and authorized Mayor Jordan to sign a professional engineering services agreement with McClelland Consulting Engineers, Inc. for the design of the North Street Corridor Project; and

WHEREAS, Amendment No. 2 to the agreement provides for additional services associated with improvements to the intersection of North Street and North College Avenue.

# NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FAYETTEVILLE, ARKANSAS:

<u>Section 1</u>: That the City Council of the City of Fayetteville, Arkansas hereby approves Amendment No. 2 to the contract with McClelland Consulting Engineers, Inc. in the amount of \$20,475.00 to provide additional services associated with the North Street Corridor Project.

<u>Section 2</u>: That the City Council of the City of Fayetteville, Arkansas hereby approves a budget adjustment, a copy of which is attached to this Resolution.



## CITY COUNCIL MEMO

2024-1877

### **MEETING OF APRIL 16, 2024**

TO: Mayor Jordan and City Council

**THRU:** Chris Brown, Public Works Director

Susan Norton, Chief of Staff

**FROM:** Matt Casey, Engineering Design Manager

SUBJECT: Approval of Contract Amendment #2 in the amount of \$20,475.00 with McClelland

Consulting Engineers for the North Street Corridor Project and approval of a budget

adjustment.

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

Staff recommends approval of Contract Amendment #2 in the amount of \$20,475.00 with McClelland Consulting Engineers for the North Street Corridor Project and approval of a budget adjustment.

#### **BACKGROUND:**

This 2019 Transportation Bond Project extends along North Street from Garland Avenue to Mission Boulevard. This corridor is an important east-west route for commuter traffic, that runs through existing neighborhoods. The project includes a mix of congestion relief, capacity improvements, pedestrian and bicycle facilities that will address issues for all users. The City Council approved a design contract with McClelland Consulting Engineers in March of 2021.

Phase 1 of the corridor includes improvements to the intersection with North Street and N. College Avenue. The improvements include the addition of a dedicated left turn lane on the east leg of the intersection, crosswalks, pavement overlay, striping and signal updates. On March 5, 2024, the City council approved a construction contract with Benchmark Construction Company of NWA, INC. for the construction of this phase.

#### **DISCUSSION:**

The approved contract with MCE does not include bidding services, construction phase services and materials testing. Staff has worked with MCE to develop a scope that will include support for the contractor and city staff as needed throughout the construction of this project. MCE has provided a fee in the amount of \$20.475.00 for this additional work. The contract will be paid based on hourly rates for work completed, up to the total contract amount.

#### **BUDGET/STAFF IMPACT:**

This work will be paid for with funds from the 2019 Transportation Bond Fund. With this contract amendment, the new design contract will be \$300,875.00.

**ATTACHMENTS:** SRF (#3), BA (#4), North St. Phase I - Construction Related Services Agreement (#5)