

Harris County, Texas

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Legislation Details (With Text)

File #: 21-4737 Version: 1 Name:

Type: Negotiation Status: Passed

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Title: Request for approval to negotiate with Geotest Engineering, Inc. for Professional Engineering

Services for construction materials testing lab and inspection services for Water Control Improvement

District (WCID) 50 Drainage Improvements - 2020, Precinct 2.

Sponsors:

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Department: County Engineer

Department Head/Elected Official: John R. Blount, P.E., County Engineer

Regular or Supplemental RCA:

□ Regular RCA

☐ Supplemental RCA

Type of Request: Authorization to Negotiate

Project ID (if applicable): Job No. 21/0195

Vendor/Entity Legal Name (if applicable): Geotest Engineering, Inc.

MWDBE Participation (if applicable): N/A

Request Summary (Agenda Caption):

Request for approval to negotiate with Geotest Engineering, Inc. for Professional Engineering Services for construction materials testing lab and inspection services for Water Control Improvement District (WCID) 50 Drainage Improvements - 2020, Precinct 2.

Background and Discussion:

Construction of storm sewer, structures and drainage easements from North Section of El Lago to South Section of El Lago in Harris County Precinct 2.

Expected Impact:

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Construction of storm sewer, structures and drainage easements will improve flooding conditions and enhance drainage capacity, thereby improving mobility and safety for all road users and flood resiliency for all adjacent properties. This purchase order will ensure that all construction materials used in the project are of acceptable quality as required by state law.
Alternative Options:
Construction materials testing is required by state law. Thus, alternatives include issuing a purchase order for similar services to a different vendor, or cancelling this construction project.
Alignment with Goal(s):
☐ Justice and Safety
☐ Economic Opportunity
⊠ Housing
□ Public Health
☐ Transportation
☑ Flooding☑ Environment
☐ Governance and Customer Service
Prior Court Action (if any): N/A
Location:
Address (if applicable list below): N/A
☐ Countywide
□ Precinct 1
☑ Precinct 2
Precinct 3
□ Precinct 4

Service Name	FY 21-22	Estimates	
		FY 22	Next 3 FYs
Incremental Expenditures	•	-	
Labor Expenditures	-	-	-
Non-Labor Expenditures	-	-	-
Total Incremental Expenditures	-	-	-

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Existing Budget	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-
Total Current Budget		-	-	-
Additional Budget Requested	-	-	-	-
	_	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-
Total Additional Budget Reques	-	-	-	
Total Funding Sources		-	-	-
Personnel (Fill out section only if	requesting new PCN	ls)		
Current Position Count for Servi	ce	-	-	-
Additional Positions Requested		-	-	-
Total Personnel		-	-	-

Anticipated Implementation Date: 9/14/2021

Emergency/Disaster Recovery Note: ☑ Not an emergency, disaster recovery, or COVID-19 related item
 □ Emergency Item □ COVID-19 related Item □ Disaster Recovery related Item
Contact(s) name, title, department:
Corey D. Ritter, CMT Manager, CPD

Attachments (if applicable): N/A