

Engineering Services Committee Meeting

Meeting Date: July 8, 2025

James Brown Blvd. (Twiggs St. to Laney Walker Blvd.) PHIII Improvements

GDOT PI # 0013707

Bid #23-173

File Reference: 25 - 014(A)

Department: Engineering & Environmental Services

Presenter: Dr. Hameed Malik, Director

Caption: Approve Construction Supplement (SA1) to JHC Corporation in the amount

of \$116,474.67 for James Brown Blvd. (Twiggs to Laney Walker Blvd.) Improvements Project (PI# 0013707) for additional road paving & associated

construction. AE/Bid #23-173

Background: The Project is phase 3 of James Brown Blvd. Streetscaping improvements

Project. The Project is listed in the Augusta Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) TIP. The Project cost is partially paid by FHAW federal funds as a cost sharing project. The purpose of Phase III is to repair delinquent sidewalks and streetscape features along James Brown Boulevard from Twiggs Street to Laney Walker Boulevard. Alternatively, this project will bring the deficient pedestrian facilities within the project boundary into compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), and also serve to beautify and create a consistent façade for the James Brown Boulevard corridor. The project is under construction. This is a supplement construction to the primary contracted improvements and its completion with road improvements is necessary for the project corridor & James Brown Blvd's overall roadway improvements and enhancement of newly constructed

streetscape improvements.

Analysis: On February 6, 2024 Augusta Commission awarded this project construction

contract to JHC Corporation. The project is under construction and sidewalks & associated streetscape improvements are in progress. Additional identified supplement work is critical for completing overall roadway improvements for traffic operations & safety. This cost was analyzed and determined to be

reasonable and cost effective for the type of work being performed.

Financial Impact: Funds are available in amount of \$116,474.67 in Engineering SPLOST IV-

Resurfacing various roads.

Alternatives: Do not approve and abandon the project.

Recommendation: Approve Construction Supplement (SA1) to JHC Corporation in the amount

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Funds are available in the following accounts:

(\$116,474.67) 324041110-54.14110 SPLOST IV- Resurfacing various roads

REVIEWED AND APPROVED BY:

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