




ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT

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MEMORANDUM

TO: Ms Geri Sams – Procurement Director

FROM:  Hameed Malik, P.E., Ph D., Engineering Director

DATE: May 15, 2024

SUBJECT: Street Light Pole Installation

In September 2023, the Augusta Commission approved the installation of street lighting along Windsor Springs Road between MeadowBrooke Dr. and Crosscreek Rd. After the street lighting poles are delivered, the Augusta Engineering Department will need a contractor to install them. It takes a specialized group of individuals and equipment to properly install tall poles safely. WM Ventures, Inc. is the only company in this area that has the ability to install these types of poles safely and correctly in the public roadway. Their services are utilized by Georgia DOT, the Augusta Engineering Department, Columbia County, Georgia Power, and other nearby agencies and utility companies.

WM Ventures, Inc. is located in Marrow, Georgia and headquartered at 7175 Jonesboro Road, 30260. WM Ventures provides services throughout Georgia and the Southwest. Funding is available through American Rescue Act funds.

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