



Engineering Services Committee Meeting

Meeting Date: 14 January 2025

James Brown Blvd Ph III Improvements Supplemental Agreement #1 – 24ENG047

PI #0013707

File Reference: 24-014 (A)

Department:	Engineering & Environmental Services
Presenter:	Dr. Hameed Malik, Director
Caption:	Motion to approve Supplemental Construction Agreement No.1 with the Georgia Department of Transportation (GDOT) for James Brown Blvd. (Twiggs to Laney Walker Blvd.) Improvements Project (PI #0013707). Also authorize Augusta Mayor and Clerk of Commission to execute Supplemental Construction Agreement No.1 and its associated documents (electronic and hard copy). /AE – 24ENG047
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 cost sharing project. The purpose of Phase III is to repair delinquent sidewalk 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. Project is ready for construction and in letting now.
Analysis:	Project being let by Augusta and in construction. Under current GDOT construction agreement Augusta is receiving federal funds up to \$339,648.00. This Supplemental Construction Agreement allows GDOT federal funding additional assistance up to amount of \$777,183.76. It brings the project construction total Federal funds assistance \$1,116,831.76.
Financial Impact:	Upon execution of Supplemental Construction Agreement No.1, additional Federal funds in amount of \$777,183.76 will become available during construction phase for the project improvements.
Alternatives:	Do not approve and lose available additional federal funds.
Recommendation:	Motion to approve Supplemental Construction Agreement No.1 with the Georgia Department of Transportation (GDOT) for James Brown Blvd. (Twiggs to Laney Walker Blvd.) Improvements Project (PI #0013707). Also authorize Augusta Mayor and Clerk of Commission to execute Supplemental

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Funds are available in the following accounts: James Brown Blvd Phase 3 Project federal funds in the amount of \$777,183.76; \$279,207.94 local match has been previously allocated using SPLOST 8 funds 330-041110-54.14110/224830114-54.14110 (commission approved 02/06/2024)

REVIEWED AND APPROVED BY:

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