

CITY COUNCIL ITEM SUMMARY

MEETING DATE:	July 2, 2024
SUBCATEGORY:	Engineering Services
DEPARTMENT NAME:	Public Works
AGENDA ITEM TITLE:	Lee Street and Etowah Drive Stormwater Engineering Services
DEPARTMENT SUMMARY RECOMMENDATION:	Several years ago, the City of Cartersville purchased property near the intersection of Etowah Drive and Lee Street by utilizing FEMA flood grants due to repetitive flooding of structures in this area. Though demolition of structures located on these properties has reduced the impervious area, it has been reported that flooding has occurred downstream of this city property. The city feels that additional measures may be taken to reduce impacts of floodwater during larger storm events. This will include a small regional pond that will also be used as a pocket park. To proceed with this concept, Public Works has reached out to a local design firm, Consolidated Technologies, Inc (CTI) for a proposal to perform engineering services design for storm drainage improvements and park design on this property. The attached agreement from CTI includes the development of civil documents and includes field investigations, survey services, design services, bid services and some miscellaneous construction assistance. The agreement for these services is \$45,000.00. Public Works would utilize America Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Funds for this project. To qualify for these funds, we feel that this project would help our stormwater division "manage, reduce and recapture stormwater" drainage that would result in reduced flooding at this location. Therefore, this project would meet the requirements for eligibility of ARPA funds. This is a budgeted item. Public Works recommends approval of this agreement.
LEGAL:	N/A