

Staff Report

Subject: Approval of the Preliminary Engineering Agreement with CSX Transportation, Inc. for the Goshen Road Widening Project

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Meeting Date: July 16, 2024

Item Description: Preliminary Engineering Agreement with CSX Transportation, Inc

Summary Recommendation: Staff recommends Approval of the Preliminary Engineering Agreement with CSX Transportation, Inc. for the Goshen Road Widening Project

Executive Summary/Background:

- The PE Agreement will cover the effort for distribution of plans to various internal departments for project scope approval, site inspections, review of project plans, correspondence/ meetings to progress the project schedule, preparation of agreement exhibits, and coordinating schedule for construction work.
- Note that the agreement amount is an estimate and that only actual charges will be billed. The estimated proposed amount is \$64,543.00. If the actual charges end up exceeding \$64,543.00 then the proposal will be reviewed and resubmitted to the Board for approval.
- The agreement has been reviewed and approved to form by the County Attorney, as well as Thomas & Hutton in a program management capacity.

Alternatives for Commission to Consider

1. Approval of the Preliminary Engineering Agreement with CSX Transportation, Inc. for the Goshen Road Widening Project for up to \$64,543.00.
2. Take no action.

Recommended Alternative: 1

Other Alternatives: 2

Department Review: County Manager, County Engineer, PCPM, County Attorney, T&H

Funding Source: TSPLOST

Attachments: Preliminary Engineering Agreement with CSX Transportation, Inc