



REQUEST FOR COUNCIL ACTION

AGENDA DATE: March 10th, 2025

AGENDA ITEM: Consider entering into agreements with Becher Hoppe for engineering

services related to the Taxiway A project at the Grand Rapids-Itasca

County Airport

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BACKGROUND:

Due to the size of the Taxiway A reconstruction project, the FAA requires that an Independent Fee Estimate (IFE) be completed on the engineering design contracts for the proposed work. Currently, the project is split into two phases which creates the need for two separate IFE's.

Quotes were requested from two companies, and the summary of the bids is below:

Becher Hoppe

Taxiway A - Phase 1 (construction services) = \$4,050.00

Taxiway A - Phase 2 (design services) = \$4,050.00

HDR Engineering

Taxiway A – Phase 1 (construction services) = \$4,200.00

Taxiway A - Phase 2 (design services) = \$4,200.00

Staff recommending awarding the low bid to Becher Hoppe.

REQUESTED COUNCIL ACTION:

Make a motion entering into two agreements with Becher Hoppe for engineering services related to the Taxiway A project at the Grand Rapids-Itasca County Airport