PUBLIC WORKS MEMORANDUM



City of Jackson

ARKS	
TO:	Mayor and Board of Aldermen
CC:	Jim Roach, City Administrator
FROM:	Anna Bergmark, City Engineer
DATE:	September 14, 2022
RE:	Hubble Creek Recreation Trail, Phase 3 Task Order Request

Attached to this memo is a proposal from Smith and Company Engineers for professional services for the design of the Hubble Creek Recreational Trail, Phase 3.

Phase 3 is the next priority section of trail in the City's Recreational Trail Plan (also attached). With the recent award of the Transportation Alternative Program (TAP) Grant for the East Main Street Sidewalk, Staff is recommending that the ARPA funds originally earmarked for the East Main Street Sidewalk now be used for the final design of the Hubble Creek Recreation Trail, Phase 3.

Staff intends to apply for grants as opportunities become available. Having the final design will provide a more competitive application for this grant.

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September 14, 2022

City of Jackson, Missouri Anna Bergmark, P.E. City Engineer 101 Court St. Jackson, MO 63755

Re: Civil and Surveying Services Hubble Creek Trail – Phase III

Dear Ms. Bergmark,

Smith & Co. is pleased to provide the following proposal for Professional Services for the proposed Hubble Creek Trail – Phase III Final Design. The project will include, at a minimum, an approximately 1.4-mile ADA compliant 10-foot-wide concrete trail, a pedestrian bridge over Hubble Creek and trail lighting. The detailed scope of services to be provided is listed below.

SCOPE OF SERVICES

- A. **SURVEY** –the Engineer will:
 - 1. Conduct topographic, property and utility surveys sufficient to develop plans for the project; field data will sufficient to produce one-foot contours and spot elevations.
 - 2. Elevations tied to appropriate Vertical Datum and establish project control points.
 - 3. Topographic Survey to include location of visible utilities and markings provided from 1-800 DIG RITE (Missouri One Call) along with any available utility maps provided to the surveyor. Location of subsurface private utility lines on private property is not part of the 1-800 DIG RITE or Smith & Co's scope. If private lines are to be located, then these should be marked by others prior to commencement of survey.
- B. **EASEMENTS** the Engineer will:
 - 1. Determine temporary and permanent easement requirements, prepare easement plans, and assist the City of Jackson in acquiring the deeds needed for the project (if required); condemnation and mediation proceedings are excluded from this scope.
 - Prepare boundary surveys and prepare all plats and legal descriptions for the purpose of obtaining temporary and permanent easements for the project, right-of-way negotiation services are not included in the scope of this project.
- C. GEOTECHNICAL the Engineer will:

- 1. Drill a total of three (3) geotechnical borings for pedestrian bridge design. Two (2) borings are planned to extend to 20 feet and one (1) boring to 35 feet. All borings will extend to specific depths, or auger encounter with bedrock, whichever is shallower. Drilling and sampling methods will be as generally outlined below.
 - a. Subsurface borings will be drilled using 4.5 O.D. continuous flight augers;
 - b. Soil samples will be collected at 2.5-to-5-foot centers during drilling;
 - c. Soil sample types will include split spoon samples collected in advance of the augers;
 - d. No rock coring will be preformed;
 - e. Groundwater levels will be measured during drilling and upon completion of drilling;
 - f. Borings will be backfilled with a hole plug and available auger cuttings.
- 2. Seal and transport soil samples to Smith & Company's Laboratory for analysis and testing. The specific number and types of laboratory tests to be performed will be influenced by the subsurface conditions encountered in the field and the quality of samples. The exact scope of laboratory testing will not be determined until the filed investigation is complete. Laboratory testing will include:
 - a. Atterberg Limits (ASTM D4318);
 - b. Grain Size Analysis (ASTM D6913);
 - c. Moisture Content (ASTM D2216); and
 - d. Pocket Penetrometer Strength.
- 3. The collected field and laboratory data will be analyzed, and a formal Geotechnical Engineering Report will be prepared. An electronic (.pdf) copy of the Report will be submitted for review. The Report will include a Site Location Plan, Boring Locations, typed Boring Logs showing the results of the field and laboratory testing, and Geotechnical Engineering Recommendations for foundation design, construction planning and site development.

D. **PRELIMINARY DESIGN PHASE (30% Completion)** – the Engineer will:

- 1. Prepare a preliminary layout of the proposed Hubble Creek Trail Phase III; utilizing existing aerial photos, City of Jackson GIS Data, Public Lidar Data and conducting several site visits.
- 2. Prepare preliminary estimates for the utilization of applying for a Recreational Trail Program (RTP) Grant.

E. **FINAL DESIGN** - the Engineer will:

- 1. Preform Environmental review of the project based on the preliminary layout.
- 2. Perform environmental review of the project. This includes obtaining US ARMY Corps. of Engineers 404 Permit for the construction of the pedestrian bridge over Hubble Creek.
- 3. Ensure compliance with historic preservation requirements through coordination with the Missouri Department of Natural Resources.
- 4. Arrange to have the site examined by a qualified archaeologist on a subcontract basis. Price is included in final design fee.
- 5. Coordinate with the Missouri Department of Transportation and obtain any necessary construction permits to be able to complete the construction of the trail project within the Highway 72 corridor and MODOT Right-of-Way.

- 6. Prepare design and loading information for the new pedestrian bridge to cross Hubble Creek. Style and cosmetic appearance of pedestrian bridge to be determined by the City of Jackson.
- 7. Prepare detailed hydraulic analysis of the areas within the existing floodplain will be completed to ensure that there is no-rise to the 100-year floodplain as it pertains to the construction of the new pedestrian bridge and the 10-foot-wide trail. A no-rise certificate will be issued to the City of Jackson once the detailed analysis has been completed.
- 8. Prepare electrical design for the lighting layout along the prosed trail. Design will include meeting with City staff to determine transformer pad locations, conduit sizing, type of typical light pole and fixtures and any other necessary design items the city may require.
- 9. Prepare detailed engineering plans of the typical 10-foot trail section along a 1.4-mile section of Hubble Creek from West Jackson Blvd. to the City of Jackson Soccer Park (2275 S. Farmington).
- 10. Prepare detailed construction plans, cost estimate, specifications, and related documents as necessary for the purpose of soliciting bids for constructing the project.
- 11. Provide the City of Jackson with two sets of 60%, 90% and 100% completed plans, specifications, and cost estimate for the purpose of obtaining construction authorization and review.
- 12. Upon receipt of construction authorization from the City of Jackson, provide an adequate number of plans, specifications, and bid documents to the City.
- 13. Provide the City of Jackson with a list of qualified area bidders and assist the City in advertising for bids.
- 14. Assist the City in evaluating bids and making a recommendation of award to the City of Jackson.

Total Fee	
Final Design Fee	\$73,800.00
Preliminary Design Fee	\$4,700.00
Geotechnical Fee	\$5,500.00
Easement Preparation Fee	\$3,500.00
Survey Fee	\$13,500.00

TIME OF PERFORMANCE

We currently have the staff available to begin field work on this project within 7 to 12 business days of having the Notice to Proceed. The Engineering will begin upon delivery of the approved topographic survey and anticipate the following timelines for design completion. Timeline does not include time needed to obtain owner or agency approvals. We can look to accelerate some of these if required to meet certain milestones with the owner.

Preliminary Plans and Estimate	4 weeks (Concurrent with Survey)
Survey	4 weeks
Final Design and Specifications (60%)	

Construction Admin	
Final Design and Specifications (100%)	
Final Design and Specifications (90%)	

ITEMS NOT PROVIDED UNDER THIS PROPOSAL

- 1. Any off-site utility extensions or improvements.
- 2. ALTA Survey
- 3. Construction As-Builts or Record Drawings
- 4. Civil Punch List. These services can be provided upon request as Construction Administration.
- 5. Landscape Plans
- 6. Material Testing
- 7. Permit and/or submittal fees, if required

We appreciate the opportunity to assist you with this project and future projects. If you have any questions, please contact me at 573-785-9621. Your signature below will become our Notice to Proceed.

Sincerely,

SMITHYCO. ENGINEERS

Dominic Thompson, PE Project Manager

William J Cobb, PE Engineering Manager



SCHEDULE OF FEES AND CHARGES – CALENDAR YEAR 2022

This schedule describes the basis for compensation for services performed during the calendar year 2022. This Schedule of Fees and Charges will be adjusted annually on January 1 to reflect merit and economic salary increases and the expected general and overhead costs for the new year.

PERSONNEL CHARGES

The charge for all time required in the performance of the Scope of Services, including office, field and travel time, will be at the following Unit Priced Hourly Rates for the labor classifications indicated. Appearance as expert witnesses at court trials, arbitration hearings, mediation and depositions will be charged at rates per separate proposal.

Labor Classification	Hourly Rates (\$)	Labor Classification	Hourly Rates (\$)
President/CEO	\$225	Professional Land Surveyor	\$110
Chief Operating Officer	\$175	Party Chief*	\$80
Marketing Director	\$165	Administrative Assistant 4*	\$75
Department Manager	\$150	Administrative Assistant 3*	\$65
Sr. Design Review Engineer	\$150	Administrative Assistant 2*	\$55
Sr. Project Manager	\$125	Administrative Assistant 1*	\$45
Project Manager	\$100		
Design Engineer 2	\$100		
Design Engineer 1	\$85		
Sr. Designer*	\$85		
Designer*	\$70		
Sr. Technician*	\$85		
Technician 2*	\$70		
Technician 1*	\$55		

Overtime (hours worked in excess of 40 hours per week) by professional personnel will be charged at the rates listed above. Overtime by other personnel identified with an asterisk "*" will be charged at 1.5 times the rates listed above and 2.0 times the rates listed above for holidays.

EQUIPMENT CHARGES

Item	Charge	
Geoprobe 7822DT Track-Mounted Drill Rig	\$500.00 per day (plus Drill Crew rates)	
CME 750 Buggy-Mounted Drill Rig	\$500.00 per day (plus Drill Crew rates)	
Drill Support Truck	\$1.00/mile	
12-Yard Dump Truck	\$3.00/mile	
Backhoe	\$350.00 per day	
GPS/Robotic Survey Equipment	\$200.00 per day	
Nuclear Density Meter	\$50.00 per day	

Equipment and trucking charges do not include operator rates. If Prevailing Wage laws apply, additional charges will be incurred.

LABORATORY TESTING SERVICES

The charges for material testing performed at the Smith & Company laboratory will be set forth in a separate schedule, available upon request.

OTHER CHARGES

The cost of subcontracted services and reimbursable will be charged at cost plus 15%. Mileage for field vehicles (pick-ups, vans, trucks, etc.) used on project assignments will be charged at the IRS rate which is currently \$0.585 per mile. The use of equipment or supplies not listed on the schedule above will be established on a case by case basis.

This fee schedule contains confidential business information and is not to be copied or distributed for any purpose other than the use intended in this contract or proposal.