

Meeting Name: Juno Beach Town Council Meeting

Meeting Date: September 27, 2023

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Item Title: Surveying and Engineering Fees for Celestial Way Drainage Project

DISCUSSION:

The Town of Juno Beach was awarded the Resilient Florida grant in July 2023. This grant is a 50/50 match with local funds of \$162,000 matching the state's contribution. The Town's engineering firm, Simmons & White, Inc., and surveyor, Lidberg Land Surveying, Inc., have provided estimates for their services. This drainage project will enhance the swales on the east and west side of Celestial Way from Mercury Road to the south end of Pelican Lake and propose permeable pavers to further enhance drainage at Mercury Road. The survey will provide the information needed to create the engineering drawings for this project. Construction for this project must start <u>before</u> July 1, 2024, otherwise a Sea Level Impact Projection (SLIP) study will be required by the Department of Environmental Protection. After Council approves the engineering and surveying fees for this project, signed and sealed drawings should be completed 1024 and the project will be bid out and awarded to a qualified contractor 2024.

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends the Town Council consider a motion to have the Town's engineering firm, Simmons & White, Inc., provide engineering services not to exceed \$24,500 as appropriated by the FY23-24 budget and to determine that solicitation for surveying quotes is not practicable or advantageous and to authorize staff to work with Lidberg Land Surveying, Inc., listed as Simmons & White's preferred subcontractor for surveying, not to exceed \$15,500 as appropriated by the FY23-24 budget for this project.

ATTACHMENTS:

Simmons & White Inc. estimate

Lidberg Land Surveying, Inc. estimate