

MEETING DATE
July 06, 2021

CITY OF LAKE CITY

Report to Council

COUNCIL AGENDA	
SECTION	
ITEM NO.	

SUBJECT: Wastewater Improvements of I-75 & SR-47 Interchange Phase 1

DEPT / OFFICE: Utility Administration

Originator: Paul Dyal, Executive Director of Utilities		
City Manager Ami Mitchell Fields	Department Director Paul Dyal	Date 06-25-2021
Recommended Action: Approve amendment two to the City of Lake City and Jones Edmunds contract related to the I-75/SR47 Wastewater Project Phase 1.		
Summary Explanation & Background: The SR 47/I-75 Wastewater Improvements Project included the pre-design/preliminary engineering, surveying, permitting, and engineering design of two master lift stations, force main, gravity main, natural gas main, and three horizontal directional drills (HDDs) under I-75, as well as construction contract administration services. The project scope and fee included preparing one Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) permit package for each HDD location – north and south – and responding to one request for information (RFI) for each application. FDOT requested that the permit applications be divided and that the wastewater and natural gas portions of the project be submitted to FDOT separately. Two RFIs were returned for the wastewater permit application and three RFIs were returned for the natural gas permit. Additionally, FDOT requested adjustments to the layout of the north wastewater HDD and a substantial redesign of the south wastewater HDD resulting in additional meetings, engineering design, and permitting effort beyond the original scope of services. The City advertised a bid to hire a contractor to complete the project in March 2021. Unfortunately, the project did not receive any bids and was required to be rebid. Due to the rebidding, Jones Edmunds has conducted additional work beyond the original scope including leading an additional pre-bid meeting and answering additional bidding questions/assisting the City with preparing the Contract addenda.		
Alternatives: None		
Source of Funds: FDEP Reimbursable Grant NO. LP12030		
Financial Impact: None – Grant Funded		
Exhibits Attached: 1) Change Order		