

CITY OF NORMAN, OK STAFF REPORT

MEETING DATE: 07/13/2021

- **REQUESTER:** Jack Burdett, Subdivision Development Coordinator
- **PRESENTER:** Shawn O'Leary, Director of Public Works

ITEM TITLE: CONSIDERATION OF APPROVAL, REJECTION, AMENDMENT, AND/OR POSTPONEMENT OF CHANGE ORDER NO. FOUR TO CONTRACT K-1920-13: BY AND BETWEEN THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA, AND EMC SERVICES, L.L.C., INCREASING THE CONTRACT AMOUNT BY \$3,337.74 FOR A REVISED CONTRACT AMOUNT OF \$382,202.74 FOR THE FYE 2020 SIDEWALK CONCRETE PROJECTS AND FINAL ACCEPTANCE OF THE PROJECT.

BACKGROUND:

On August 27, 2019, City Council awarded EMC Services, L.L.C., the bid for the FYE 2020 Concrete Projects, which included five sidewalk improvement projects. Change Order No. 1 was included in the bid awarded to Central Contracting Services in the amount of \$13,221.50 to increase to the budgeted funding. The total approved contract amount was \$325,520. On June 23, 2020 approval of Change Order No. 2 for "Sidewalks and Trails" project, increasing Contract K-1920-13 by \$31,740 making the final contract amount \$357,260. On November 13, 2020 Change Order No. 3 was approved increasing Contract K-1920-13 by \$21,605 for additional work at intersections with storm drains, making the total contract amount \$378,865 (enclosed please find a map of these project locations).

EMC Services, LLC employee work was suspended for Covid-19 pandemic issues affecting contract work beginning in October and went through December of 2020.

These projects began work in August of 2019 and all projects were completed by January 21st, 2021.

DISCUSSION:

EMC Services, L.L.C., successfully completed the work on the five (5) projects: Citywide Sidewalk Reconstruction Program; Sidewalk Accessibility Program; Sidewalk Program for Schools and Arterials Program; Downtown Area Sidewalks and Curbs Program; Downtown Area Sidewalks and Trails Project at a total cost of \$382,202.74, with the 5% retainage payable in the amount of \$19,110.14. Work on the FYE 2020 Sidewalk and Trails project required additional work at a driveway and ramp east of Merkle Creek to accommodate access to bridge sidewalk at the total final cost by \$3,337.74.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 1:

Staff recommends approval of Change Order No. 4, increasing Contract K-1920-13 with EMC Services, L.L.C., by \$3,337.74 with a final total contract price of \$382,202.74.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 2:

Staff further recommends acceptance of the project and approval of the final payment in the amount of \$19,110.14 to EMC Services, L.L.C.