

RESOLUTION NO. 2026-52

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF PAHOKEE, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO SOLICIT THROUGH A REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS (RFQ) CONSULTANTS' COMPETITIVE NEGOTIATIONS ACT (CCNA) SERVICES; TO ESTABLISH A RENEWED LIBRARY OF QUALIFIED CONSULTANTS FOR FUTURE PROJECTS ON AN AS NEEDED BASIS FOR AN INITIAL TERM OF THREE (3) YEARS, WITH A ONE-YEAR RENEWAL OPTION; PROVIDING FOR INCORPORATION OF RECITALS; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City of Pahokee ("City") has an ongoing need for Consultants' Competitive Negotiations Act ("CCNA") services related to citywide infrastructure and construction projects; and

WHEREAS, the City desires to issue a Request for Qualifications (RFQ) to obtain various CCNA services, such Civil Engineering, Architectural, Landscape Architectural, Structural Engineering, Mechanical, Electrical, Plumbing, Utilities Engineering, Traffic Engineering, Land Surveying, Construction Testing/Inspections Engineering and General Consulting Engineering Services; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Florida State Statute 287.055, the Consultants' Competitive Negotiations Act ("CCNA") these services as to be procured in a specified way; and

WHEREAS, the City Interim Manager has requested that the City advertise on DemandStar, and through other relevant means, a Request for Qualifications, attached in Exhibit "A" hereto; and

WHEREAS, the City is seeking to establish a renewed library of qualified consultants for future projects on an as needed basis and for an initial term of three (3) years, with one renewal option; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission desires to approve issuance of the Request for Qualifications (RFQ), substantially in the same form attached hereto as Exhibit "A". The RFQ shall be issued in a broad way to attract a wide range of potential bidders both electronically and through the utilization of local publications; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission finds it is in the best interest of the City to comply with the Consultants' Competitive Negotiations Act ("CCNA"), at this time and to further pursue Continuing Services Agreements with qualified vendors.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT DULY RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF PAHOKEE, FLORIDA:

SECTION 1. RECITALS

The recitals to the preamble herein are incorporated by reference.

SECTION 2. AUTHORIZATION

The City Commission of the City of Pahokee hereby authorizes the City Manager to solicit, through a Request For Qualifications (RFQ) substantially in the same form attached hereto as Exhibit "A", Consultants' Competitive Negotiations Act ("CCNA"), services and to establish a renewed Library of qualified consultants for future projects on an as needed basis for an initial term of three (3) years, with a one-year renewal option.

SECTION 3. SCRIVENER'S ERRORS

Sections of this Resolution may be renumbered or re-lettered and corrections of typographical errors, which do not affect the intent of this Resolution may be authorized by the Interim City Manager, following review by the City Attorney, without need of public hearing, by filing a corrected copy of same with the City Clerk.

SECTION 4. EFFECTIVE DATE

This Resolution shall take effect upon the adoption.

PASSED and ADOPTED this ____ day of _____, 2026.

Keith W. Babb, Jr., Mayor

ATTEST:

Nylene Clarke, CMC, City Clerk

**APPROVED AS TO FORM AND
LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:**

Burnadette Norris-Weeks, City Attorney

Moved by: _____

Seconded by: _____

VOTE:

Commissioner Cowan-Williams	_____ (Yes)	_____ (No)
Commissioner McPherson	_____ (Yes)	_____ (No)
Commissioner Scott	_____ (Yes)	_____ (No)
Vice-Mayor McDonald	_____ (Yes)	_____ (No)
Mayor Babb	_____ (Yes)	_____ (No)

EXHIBIT "A"

(attached)