RESOLUTION TO

AWARD DESIGN CONTRACT FOR S. CHURCH STREET SHARED-USE PATH TRANSPORTATION ALTERNATIVES PROGRAM (TAP) PROJECT TO R.H. BATTERMAN & COMPANY, INC.

SPONSOR: ALDERPERSON ARNETT FROM: PUBLIC WORKS COMMISSION

WHEREAS, it is determined to be in the best interests of the City of Watertown to proceed with the design of the S. Church Street Shared-Use Path TAP Project to advance the City's commitment to enhancing its multimodal transportation infrastructure and improving public safety; and,

WHEREAS, the Engineering Division prepared and advertised a Request for Proposals (RFP) for the design of a shared-use bicycle and pedestrian path along S. Church Street from Jefferson Road to Air Park Drive; and,

WHEREAS, the City received five (5) proposals and utilized a Qualifications-Based Selection (QBS) process to evaluate and rank the proposals; and,

WHEREAS, four (4) top-ranked firms were interviewed, and R.H. Batterman & Company, Inc. was selected based on qualifications, project understanding, and experience with Wisconsin Department of Transportation (WisDOT)-funded projects; and,

WHEREAS, the project scope includes design of an off-street shared-use path with necessary environmental & cultural documentation, signal modifications, stormwater infrastructure adjustments, retaining walls, utility coordination, airport coordination, and public involvement, in accordance with WisDOT and WDNR requirements; and,

WHEREAS, funding for the design phase of the project will be sourced from the Annual Street Reserve Account #05-58-11-69 and the Storm Water Utility Capital Outlay Account #16-58-16-60; and,

WHEREAS, the contract award to R.H. Batterman & Company, Inc. is for a not-to-exceed amount of \$228,039.00, and the cost is within the budgeted amount for the design phase.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WATERTOWN, WISCONSIN:

that the proper City Officials be and are hereby authorized to enter into an agreement for the design of the S. Church Street Shared-Use Path TAP Project with R.H. Batterman & Company, Inc., of Beloit, Wisconsin, for a not-to-exceed fee of \$228,039.00.

	YES	NO	
DAVIS			ADOPTED
LAMPE			
BERG			
BARTZ			
BLANKE			
SMITH			APPROVE
ARNETT			
WETZEL			
MOLDENHAUER			
MAYOR STOCKS			
TOTAL			

ADOPTED July 1, 2025
CITY CLERK
approved <u>July 1, 2025</u>
MAYOR