



Wylie City Council

AGENDA REPORT

Department: Engineering
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Subject

Consider, and act upon, the approval of Amendment No. 1 in the estimated amount of \$81,200.00 authorizing the Interim City Manager to execute Amendment No. 1 to the professional services agreement with Kimley-Horn for the FM 544 Street Lighting and Signal Improvements project, including traffic signal design improvements along SH 78 from Alanis Drive to Wylie East Drive.

Recommendation

Motion to approve the Item as presented.

Discussion

The City of Wylie was previously selected for funding through the Texas Department of Transportation's (TxDOT) 2023 Highway Safety Improvement Program (HSIP) Call for Projects. Kimley-Horn prepared and submitted design plans on behalf of the City for the FM 544 Street Lighting and Signal Improvements project, which includes roadway illumination and traffic signal improvements along FM 544 from McCreary Road to SH 78.

Subsequently, the City was awarded HSIP funding in the amount of \$867,427.37 for traffic signal interconnection, detection, and communication improvements along SH 78 from Alanis Drive to Wylie East Drive. The construction project is funded through a combination of 90% federal funding and 10% state funding and is currently scheduled for letting on November 1, 2028. To maintain eligibility for this funding, the City must submit the required 60% design plans to TxDOT 18 months before the anticipated letting date, no later than May 1, 2027.

To advance this additional safety improvement project and meet TxDOT's design submittal requirements, the City of Wylie is requesting approval to amend the existing professional services agreement with Kimley-Horn for the FM 544 Street Lighting and Signal Improvements project in the amount of \$252,500.00 and authorize Amendment No. 1 in the estimated amount of \$81,200.00 for the additional design services associated with the traffic signal detection and communication improvements along SH 78 from Alanis Drive to Wylie East Drive.

Approval of the proposed amendment will allow Kimley-Horn to proceed with the additional design services necessary to meet TxDOT's required submittal deadline, maintain the City's eligibility for the awarded HSIP funding, and advance improvements intended to enhance traffic signal operations and safety along the SH 78 corridor. Failure to complete the required design milestone within the established timeframe could jeopardize the City's ability to utilize the awarded funding.

Staff recommends approval of the proposed professional services contract amendment with Kimley-Horn for the FM 544 Street Lighting and Signal Improvements project to add traffic signal detection and communication improvements along SH 78 from Alanis Drive to Wylie East Drive.

(Wylie Agreement No. W2025-92)