



## PUBLIC HEARING AGENDA ITEM

<b>DATE OF PUBLIC HEARING:</b> August 13, 2019
<b>SUBJECT:</b> Steele Street Extension: E. 86th Avenue to E. 88th Avenue Professional Engineering Design Services
<b>FROM:</b> Raymond H. Gonzales, County Manager Alisha Reis, Deputy County Manager Benjamin Dahlman, Finance Director Jennifer Tierney-Hammer, Procurement and Contracts Manager
<b>AGENCY/DEPARTMENT:</b> Public Works Department
<b>HEARD AT STUDY SESSION ON:</b>
<b>AUTHORIZATION TO MOVE FORWARD:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO
<b>RECOMMENDED ACTION:</b> That the Board of County Commissioners approves an agreement with Stantec Consulting Services, Inc., for the Steele Street Extension: E. 86th Avenue to E. 88th Avenue Professional Engineering Design Services

### **BACKGROUND:**

The Adams County Public Works Department and the City of Thornton have determined the need for an extension of Steele Street from E. 86th Avenue to E. 88th Avenue. This design engineering work shall include road, pedestrian, stormwater improvements, and traffic signal modifications at the intersections of Steele Street and E.88th Avenue (Project). The overall resulting objective of the Project shall be the construction of Steele Street from E. 86th Avenue to E. 88th Avenue with the intersections aligned with the Welby Road Extension north of E. 88th Avenue and Steele Street south of E. 86th Avenue.

The Project will establish a new segment of Steele Street from E. 86th Avenue to E. 88th Avenue to accommodate area changes resulting from the Regional Transportation Districts (RTD) Park N' Ride station located at Welby Road and 88th Avenue.

The Project shall require the following: a new segment of Steele Street from E. 86th Avenue to E. 88th Avenue, the associated drainage improvements, removal or modification to both intersections, and traffic signals as needed at E. 88<sup>th</sup> Avenue and Steele Street. All project work shall adhere to providing safe clearance in the intersections for both vehicular and pedestrian mobility.

Professional engineering design services that are required for the Project reside in City of Thornton's jurisdiction. Due this crucial design location requisite, the Project will primarily be designed and constructed according to City of Thornton Standards and Specifications. Public Works shall ensure all compliance with the Americans with Disability Act (ADA).

A formal Request for Proposal (RFP) was solicited utilizing Bidnet Direct. The County received four (4) proposals on June 3, 2019. The four (4) proposals were evaluated by a selection team on the following criteria; responsiveness to the RFP, qualifications, work plan, past performance and pricing.

After a thorough evaluation process that included a representative from the City of Thornton, Stantec Consulting Services, Inc., is deemed the most responsive, responsible, best value to Adams County proposer. Stantec Consulting Services, Inc., is the firm that meets all the requirements set forth in the RFP, and the project is within the budget for the engineering design services work completion.

Staff recommends the project be awarded to Stantec Consulting Services, Inc., in the not to exceed amount of \$565, 257.00.

**AGENCIES, DEPARTMENTS OR OTHER OFFICES INVOLVED:**

Public Works Department

**ATTACHED DOCUMENTS:**

Resolution

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

Please check if there is no fiscal impact ☐. If there is fiscal impact, please fully complete the section below.

**Fund:13****Cost Center: 3056**

	Object Account	Subledger	Amount
Current Budgeted Revenue:			
Additional Revenue not included in Current Budget:			
<b>Total Revenues:</b>			

	Object Account	Subledger	Amount
Current Budgeted Operating Expenditure:			
Add'l Operating Expenditure not included in Current Budget:			
Current Budgeted Capital Expenditure:	9135	30561504	\$7,854,446
Add'l Capital Expenditure not included in Current Budget:			
<b>Total Expenditures:</b>			<u>\$7,854,446</u>

New FTEs requested: ☐ YES ☒ NOFuture Amendment Needed: ☐ YES ☒ NO**Additional Note:**