



City of Grand Island

Tuesday, January 22, 2019

Council Session

Item G-12

#2019-35 - Approving Agreement with Iteris, Inc. for 2019 Signal Timing Project

Staff Contact: John Collins, P.E. - Public Works Director

Council Agenda Memo

From: Keith Kurz PE, Assistant Public Works Director

Meeting: January 22, 2019

Subject: Approving Agreement with Iteris, Inc. for 2019 Signal Timing Project

Presenter(s): John Collins PE, Public Works Director

Background

A Request for Qualifications (RFQ) for Traffic Engineering Services - Signal Timing was advertised in the Grand Island Independent on September 8, 2018. The RFQ was also sent to eighteen (18) potential firms by the Engineering Division of the Public Works Department.

To optimize traffic signal timings/operations along the US 281 Highway Corridor from Capital Avenue to Highway 30 interchange proposals were requested for traffic engineering services. It is assumed that four optimized timing plans will be required including AM, Midday, PM, and Off-Peak time periods. The consultant will work with City staff to implement the optimized timings into existing equipment.

Discussion

Four (4) submittals were received on September 25, 2018, with evaluation of each by Public Work staff based on established criteria in the RFP.

Iteris, Inc. of Lincoln, Nebraska was selected as the best qualified firm to perform the requested services. An agreement was negotiated for the services to be performed at actual costs with a maximum amount of \$77,346.91. It is anticipated that all work will be completed before the end of this fiscal year.

Alternatives

It appears that the Council has the following alternatives concerning the issue at hand. The Council may:

1. Move to approve
2. Refer the issue to a Committee

3. Postpone the issue to future date
4. Take no action on the issue

Recommendation

City Administration recommends that the Council approve the agreement with Iteris, Inc. of Lincoln, Nebraska for the 2019 Signal Timing project with services to be performed at actual costs at a maximum amount of \$77,346.91.

Sample Motion

Move to approve the agreement.

RESOLUTION 2019-35

WHEREAS, on September 8, 2018 the Engineering Division of the Public Works Department for the City of Grand Island, advertised for Request for Qualifications for the 2019 Signal Timing project; and

WHEREAS, on September 25, 2018 submittals for such services were opened and evaluated by Public Works staff based on established criteria; and

WHEREAS, the proposal submitted by Iteris, Inc. of Lincoln, Nebraska received the highest ranking based on the established criteria; and

WHEREAS, such work will optimize traffic signal timing/operations along the US 281 Highway Corridor from Capital Avenue to Highway 30 interchange; and

WHEREAS, the agreement was negotiated for the work to be performed at actual costs with a maximum amount of \$77,346.91.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRAND ISLAND, NEBRASKA, that the agreement with Iteris, Inc. of Lincoln, Nebraska for actuals costs with a maximum amount of \$77,346.91 for the 2019 Signal Timing project is hereby approved.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Mayor is hereby authorized and directed to enter into such agreement on behalf of the City of Grand Island.

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Adopted by the City Council of the City of Grand Island, Nebraska, January 22, 2019.

Roger G. Steele, Mayor

Attest:

RaNae Edwards, City Clerk

Approved as to Form	☐ _____
December 12, 2019	☐ City Attorney