

RESOLUTION NO. {{item.custom\_tracking\_number}}

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TEMPLE, TEXAS, AUTHORIZING A PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT WITH KASBERG, PATRICK & ASSOCIATES, LP, OF TEMPLE, TEXAS, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$239,400, FOR DESIGN WORK TO REHABILITATE THE PEDESTRIAN BRIDGE NEAR KEGLEY ROAD AND FM 2305 AS WELL AS DESIGN THE FUTURE EXPANSION OF THE PEPPER CREEK TRAIL UNDER THE BRIDGE HEADED SOUTH ALONG PEPPER CREEK AND ALONG FM 2305 TO CONNECT TO EXISTING SIDEWALKS; AND PROVIDING AN OPEN MEETINGS CLAUSE.

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**Whereas,** approval of this item will allow for the execution of a professional services agreement with Kasberg, Patrick & Associates, LP (KPA) for design work to rehabilitate the pedestrian bridge near Kegley Road and FM 2305 as well as design the future expansion of the Pepper Creek Trail to Kegley Road and the connection along FM 2305 to existing sidewalk infrastructure - this is accomplished by tying into the existing trail on the north side of the pedestrian bridge, going under FM 2305 and exiting out on the south side;

**Whereas,** Pepper Creek Trail has been a very popular trail since the first day it opened and with the continued growth of the City, in addition to the opening of Crossroad Regional Park, this trail will continue to grow in use and be a major trail to connect multiple neighborhoods together - the updated 2020 Parks and Trails Master Plan also lists this trail under the priority listing section;

**Whereas,** as identified in the attached engineer's proposal, KPA will be providing the following professional services:

Field Data/Survey	\$	17,600
Environmental/Archaeological		13,800
Schematic Design		62,100
Drainage Design		28,600
Final Design		74,800
Bridge Rehabilitation Design		14,200
Final Electrical Design		18,700
Final Structural Design		9,600
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>239,400</b>

**Whereas,** in accordance with Texas Government Code Chapter 2254, Request for Qualifications (RFQ) No. 13-14-20 was issued to procure professional engineering services and KPA was selected from the City's pre-qualified list of engineering firms based on their demonstrated competence and qualifications to perform similar projects - the engineer's preliminary opinion of probable construction cost for this project is \$2,750,000;

**Whereas,** Staff recommends Council authorize a professional services agreement with Kasberg, Patrick & Associates (KPA), LP, of Temple, Texas, in the amount of \$239,400, for design work to rehabilitate the pedestrian bridge near Kegley Road and FM 2305 as well as design the future expansion of the Pepper Creek Trail under the bridge headed south along Pepper Creek and along FM 2305 to connect to existing sidewalks;

**Whereas,** a budget adjustment is being presented to Council for approval to appropriate funding for the professional services agreement - after approval of the budget adjustment, funding will be available in Account No. 365-3500-552-6556 and Account No. 353-2900-534-6556, Project No. 102410; and

**Whereas,** the City Council has considered the matter and deems it in the public interest to authorize this action.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TEMPLE, TEXAS, THAT:**

**Part 1: Findings.** All of the above premises are hereby found to be true and correct legislative and factual findings of the City Council of the City of Temple, Texas, and they are hereby approved and incorporated into the body of this Resolution as if copied in their entirety.

**Part 2:** The City Council authorizes a professional services agreement with Kasberg, Patrick & Associates (KPA), LP, of Temple, Texas, in the amount of \$239,400, for design work to rehabilitate the pedestrian bridge near Kegley Road and FM 2305 as well as design the future expansion of the Pepper Creek Trail under the bridge headed south along Pepper Creek and along FM 2305 to connect to existing sidewalks and authorizes the City Manager, or her designee, after approval as to form by the City Attorney's office, to execute any documents that may be necessary.

**Part 3:** It is hereby officially found and determined that the meeting at which this Resolution was passed was open to the public as required and that public notice of the time, place, and purpose of said meeting was given as required by the Open Meetings Act.

PASSED AND APPROVED this the 6<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2021.

THE CITY OF TEMPLE, TEXAS

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TIMOTHY A. DAVIS, Mayor

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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Jana Lewellen

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Kathryn H. Davis

City Secretary

City Attorney