

Agenda Item: 6.

Memo to: Programs, Projects, and Operations Subcommittee

Subject: Mopac Trail (Platte River Trail Project - Hwy 50 to Lied Bridge) Construction Engineering Agreement with Ehrhart Griffin & Associates

Date: February 4, 2013

By: Gerry Bowen

The attached Resolution and Project Agreement is for Construction Engineering (CE) Services for the Mopac Trail (Platte River Trail Project - Hwy. 50 to the Lied Bridge). The agreement is between the District and Ehrhart Griffin & Associates (EGA). The resolution needs to be adopted by the Board, which authorizes the General Manager to execute the agreement.

NDOR prepared the agreement after a scope of services and proposed fee schedule (included in the agreement) were negotiated with EGA. Cost estimates were prepared by EGA and the District with differences negotiated to the final form. NDOR staff assisted with this process and approval from FHWA was received into the final form as attached. The not to exceed amount of the CE agreement is \$364,358.00, with the District's share 20% of this amount, or \$72,871.60.

As you may recall, in November, 2012, the District approved a construction contract with M. E Collins Contracting Company in the amount of \$2,592,463.43. The start date for construction is April 1, 2013. It is anticipated that construction will continue throughout the spring and summer with completion sometime in late fall.

- **It is recommended that the Subcommittee recommend to the Board that the Board adopt the resolution authorizing the General Manager to execute the attached Task Order between the District and Ehrhart Griffin & Associates for Construction Engineering Services for the Mopac Trail (Platte River Trail Project - Highway 50 to Lied Bridge) for actual work performed with a not-to-exceed amount of \$364,358.**



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