City of Fort Worth, Texas

Mayor and Council Communication

DATE: 08/12/25 **M&C FILE NUMBER:** M&C 25-0714

LOG NAME: 6025PROJECTMANAGE-SHIELD

SUBJECT

(ALL) Authorize Execution of a Professional Services Agreement in the Amount of \$307,320.00 with Shield Engineering Group, PLLC, for 2025 Water/Sanitary Sewer Capital Project Management Services in Multiple Projects

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that the City Council authorize execution of a Professional Services Agreement in the amount of \$307,320.00 with Shield Engineering Group, PLLC, for the 2025 Water/Sanitary Sewer Capital Project Management Services in multiple projects and provide for up to three renewals of the contract for the same amount of \$307,320.00 with the same terms and conditions.

DISCUSSION:

This Mayor and Council Communication (M&C) is to authorize execution of a Professional Services Agreement with Shield Engineering Group, PLLC, in the amount of \$307,320.00, for Water/Sanitary Sewer Capital Project Management Services for staff extension services managing Water Department Capital projects.

On October 6, 2023, Statements of Qualifications were received by the Water Department from 36 consulting firms in response to a Request for Qualifications issued on August 17, 2023 seeking to establish qualified firms to create a pool for future projects. Shield Engineering Group was selected from the pool to provide the necessary service. The Professional Services Agreement recommended by this M&C will provide staff extension services to augment and expedite the delivery of Water Department Capital Delivery projects consisting of design and construction for cast iron pipe replacements, major transmission mains, major wastewater collectors, water treatment plant projects and wastewater treatment plant project. The City reserves the option to renew (subject to appropriated funding) this agreement up to three times for the same amount of \$307,320.00 with the same terms and conditions.

Appropriations for 2025 Water/Sanitary Sewer Capital Project Management Services are as depicted below:

105811 Water & Sanitary Sewer Replacement Contract 2023 WSM-Z

Fund	Existing Appropriations	Additional Appropriations	Project Total
W&S Capital Projects - Fund 56002	\$1,175,243.00	\$0.00	\$1,175,243.00
Total	\$1,175,243.00	\$0.00	\$1,175,243.00

105717 Water & Sanitary Sewer Replacement Contract 2023 WSM-Y-Forest Park Phase 2

Fund	Existing Appropriations	Additional Appropriations	Project Total
W&S Capital Projects - Fund 56002	\$897,710.00	\$0.00	\$897,710.00
Total	\$897,710.00	\$0.00	\$897,710.00

105070 – 16-in to 24in Cast Iron Water Main Replacement for Eastwood and Timberline Elevated Storage Tanks

Fund	Existing Appropriations	Additional Appropriations	Project Total
W&S Capital Projects - Fund 56002	\$1,594,629.00	\$0.00	\$1,594,629.00
Total	\$1,594,629.00	\$0.00	\$1,594,629.00

^{*}Numbers rounded for presentation purposes.

Funding is budgeted in the W&S Capital Projects Fund for the Water Department for the purpose of funding the Water & Sanitary Sewer Replacement Contract 2023 WSM-Z-Forest Park Phase 2, and 16-in to 24in Cast

Iron Water Main Replacement for Eastwood and Timberline Elevated Storage Tanks, as appropriated.

The project is located in ALL COUNCIL DISTRICTS.

FISCAL INFORMATION / CERTIFICATION:

The Director of Finance certifies that funds are available in the current capital budget, as previously appropriated, in the W&S Capital Projects Fund for the W&SS Repl Contract 2023 WSM-Z, W/WW Rpl Cont 2023 WSM-Y-FPP2, and the 16-24 in Cl WM Repl. EW&TL EST projects to support the approval of the above recommendation and execution of the agreement. Prior to any expenditure being incurred, the Water Department has the responsibility to validate the availability of funds.

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