

RESOLUTION NO. _____ (CM)

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WATSONVILLE AWARDED PROFESSIONAL SERVICES CONTRACT TO CAL ENGINEERING & GEOLOGY, INC., FOR PENNSYLVANIA DRIVE TRAIL REPAIR FROM CLIFFORD AVENUE TO WINDING WAY, IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$123,545.00; AND APPROPRIATE \$123,545.00 IN UNALLOCATED SB 1 FUNDS; AND AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE SAME

WHEREAS, a Request for Qualifications (RFQ) was issued on May 12, 2021, asking for qualified consultants to assist the city with Periodic and On-Call Professional Engineering Services (Staff Augmentation, Design, Construction Management, Inspection).; and

WHEREAS, the deadline for submittal of Request for Statement of Qualifications was June 15, 2021; and

WHEREAS, a total of 24 firms submitted qualification statements; these statements were reviewed by City staff and a list was developed; and

WHEREAS, the City Manager has recommended that the proposal from Cal Engineering & Geology, Inc., in an amount not to exceed \$123,545.00, be accepted as the best response.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WATSONVILLE, CALIFORNIA, AS FOLLOWS:

1. This action is exempt from the requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) in accordance with CEQA Guidelines Section 15378(b)(5), in that adopting a Resolution awarding a contract does not meet CEQA's definition of a "project," because the action does not have the potential for resulting in either a direct physical change in the environment or a reasonably foreseeable indirect

physical change in the environment and if a “project,” is exempt under the “common sense” exception (14 Cal. Code Regs. § 15061(b)(3)) because it can be seen with certainty that there is no possibility that this action may have a significant effect on the environment.

2. The Council hereby awards a contract to Cal Engineering & Geology, Inc., a corporation, for The Pennsylvania Drive Trail Repair from Clifford Avenue to Winding Way, in an amount not to exceed \$123,545.00.

3. That the Contract for Consultant Services between the City of Watsonville and Cal Engineering & Geology, Inc., a copy of which is attached hereto and incorporated herein by this reference, is hereby approved.

4. An appropriation of \$123,545.00 in unallocated SB 1 funds from Fund 0306 to an account to be created for the design of this project is hereby authorized.

5. The City Manager is hereby authorized and directed to execute said contract for and on behalf of the City of Watsonville with minor revisions that may be approved by the City Manager and the City Attorney.
