

RESOLUTION NO. 2010- 128 R

A resolution (1) awarding a bid for the Sam Houston Drive Reconstruction Project (Laurent Street to Houston Hwy) to SER Construction Partners, Ltd. of Pasadena, Texas, in the amount of \$17,997,550.90, (2) authorizing the City Manager to execute contracts for construction testing services with TSI Laboratories in a total amount not to exceed \$130,000, (3) authorizing the City Manager to execute Contribution-in-Aid-of-Construction Agreements for Electric Distribution Service between the City of Victoria and American Electric Power (AEP) to install street lights in a total amount not to exceed \$200,000, (4) authorizing the City Manager to execute agreements with private utility companies to provide for relocation of their utilities, in a total amount not to exceed \$170,000, and (5) declaring the reservation of construction contingency funds to cover unanticipated project costs and changes related to the aforementioned Project, in an amount not to exceed \$1,000,000; and declaring an effective date.

The City Council finds that the acquisitions described in this resolution (other than as described in #1) are necessary to preserve and protect the public health and safety of the residents of the City of Victoria, and are exempt from the requirements for competitive bidding pursuant to Tex. Local Gov't Code § 252.022.

IT IS RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA, TEXAS:

1.

The City Administration is authorized to accept the bid for the Sam Houston Drive Reconstruction Project (Laurent Street to Houston Hwy) from SER Construction Partners, Ltd. of Pasadena, Texas, in the amount of \$17,997,550.90, and the City Manager is authorized to execute a contract with said entity, in a form approved by the City Attorney, and the Director of Public Works is authorized to execute change orders in amounts not to exceed the amount authorized by Tex. Local Gov't. Code § 252.048.

2.

The City Manager is authorized to execute contracts for construction testing services with TSI Laboratories in a total amount not to exceed \$130,000, in a form to be approved by the City Attorney.

3.

The City Manager is authorized to execute Contribution-in-Aid-of-Construction Agreements for Electric Distribution Service between the City of Victoria and American Electric Power (AEP) to install street lights in a total amount not to exceed \$200,000, in a form to be approved by the City Attorney.

4.

The City Manager is authorized to execute agreements with private utility companies to provide for relocation of their utilities, in a total amount not to exceed \$170,000, in a form to be approved by the City Attorney.

5.

The City declares the reservation of construction contingency funds to cover unanticipated project costs and changes related to the aforementioned Project, in an amount not to exceed \$1,000,000, in a form to be approved by the City Attorney.

6.

This resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption.

PASSED, this the 17th day of August, 2010.


AYES: 7

NAYS: 0

ABSTENTIONS: 0

APPROVED AND ADOPTED, this the 17th day of August, 2010.





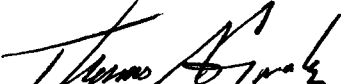
WILL ARMSTRONG, Mayor of the
City of Victoria, Texas

ATTEST:


SCARLET SWOBODA, City Secretary

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 Public Works Department

APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM:



THOMAS A. GWOSDZ, City Attorney

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