



RESOLUTION NO. 2017-037

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FARMERS BRANCH, TEXAS, APPROVING A PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT WITH LINA T. RAMEY AND ASSOCIATES, INC RELATING TO THE DESIGN OF THE WESTSIDE TRAIL PROJECT; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, City Administration and the City Council have determined that construction of a pedestrian trail system on the west side of the City (“Westside Trail Project”) will benefit the City’s residents; and

WHEREAS, City Administration, having determined that the firm of Lina T. Ramey and Associates, Inc. is qualified to perform the professional services necessary for the preparation of the initial alignment and design of the Westside Trail Project, has negotiated an agreement with Lina T. Ramey and Associates, Inc. provide such professional engineering and survey services pursuant to costs for such services that is fair and reasonable; and

WHEREAS, City Administration recommends that an agreement with Lina T. Ramey and Associates, Inc. be approved; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Farmers Branch, Texas, finds it to be in the public interest to concur in the above recommendation;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FARMERS BRANCH, TEXAS THAT:

SECTION 1. The City Manager is authorized to negotiate and execute on behalf of the City an agreement with Lina T. Ramey and Associates, Inc. for professional engineering and surveying services for the preparation of the Westside Trail Project in an amount not to exceed **\$158,819.50**. Furthermore, subject to applicable state law, city policies, and in the availability of funds in the City’s budget for such purposes, the City Manager is authorized to agree to such additional services as he deems reasonable and necessary and in the best interest of the City.

SECTION 2. This resolution shall be effective immediately upon its approval.

PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FARMERS BRANCH, TEXAS, THIS 7th DAY OF MARCH, 2017.

ATTEST:

APPROVED:

Amy Piukana, City Secretary

Bob Phelps, Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Peter G. Smith, City Attorney
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