

ORDER

(Authorizing Amendment No. 3 to Engineering Services Agreement between the City of Laurel and Engineering Xcellence with Kris Riemann & Associates)

WHEREAS, the City of Laurel, by Council order on April 7, 2021, entered into an engineering services agreement with Engineering Xcellence with Kris Riemann & Associates for the evaluation of public works services, development of a privatization contract, oversight of bidding, award of contract, start up, and follow-up of the privatization; and

WHEREAS, by Council order on August 3, 2021, the City adopted Amendment No. 1 to the aforementioned agreement which included 1) the review of the water and sewer contract, 2) placed Engineering Xcellence in charge of the Department of Public Works through the transition until the City hired a new Public Works Director and 3) provided inspections of the Public Works contract with H2O per the contract requirement; and

WHEREAS, by Council order on February 8, 2022, the City adopted Amendment No. 2 to the aforementioned agreement to increase the scope of work of the project including the addition of benchmarks to the water and sewer contract, to assist with the addition of water and sewer items to the Cityworks Software and to assist with the American Public Works Association Accreditation and other needs by Public Works; and

WHEREAS, the City now finds it in the best interest of the citizens to adopt Amendment No. 3, attached hereto as **Exhibit A**, to the aforementioned agreement to expand the scope of work of the project to include readvertising of the privatization contract for Water and Sewer Services for the City of Laurel as well as continue to assist the Public Works Director with other issues as requested

NOW THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED by the Laurel City Council that the administration be authorized to adopt Amendment No.3 (attached hereto as **Exhibit A**) to the Engineering Services Agreement with Engineering Xcellence with Kris Riemann and that this Amendment No. 3 is hereby made a part of and incorporated into the original Agreement, dated April 7, 2021, as though originally included therein. The total sum fee will increase by sixty-seven thousand eight hundred dollars (\$67,800.00) for work performed in contract years 5-8. **IT IS FURTHER ORDERED**, that the Finance Director be authorized to perform any budget transactions necessary for facilitation of the foregoing order.

Motion was made by Councilperson_____, seconded by Councilperson_____, that the above and foregoing Order be adopted.

Upon roll call vote, the result was as follows:

YEAS:

NAYS:

ABSTAINING:

ABSENT:

The President thereupon declared the motion carried and the Order adopted this the 16th day of SEPTEMBER A.D. 2025

PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL

ATTESTED AND SUBMITTED TO THE MAYOR BY THE CLERK OF THE COUNCIL ON _____.

Clerk of the Council

APPROVED () DATE_____

VETOED () DATE_____

MAYOR

ATTEST:

City Clerk
