RESOLUTION

GIVING THE ADMINISTRATION AUTHORITY TO ACCEPT CLOSE-OUT DOCUMENTS AND APPROVE SUMMARY CHANGE ORDER NO. 1 FOR THE 15TH AVENUE ARPA UTILITY AND ROADWAY IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT

WHEREAS, the project is funded with federal ARPA funds, a 1:1 match from the state MCWI fund and other City funds;

WHEREAS, bids were received on December 12, 2023 with the lowest and best bid submitted by R & J Construction Co. in the amount of \$3,101,166.19;

WHEREAS, all obligations for the contract have been fulfilled by R & J Construction Co.;

WHEREAS, Summary Change Order No. 1 adjusts the quantities to reflect actual quantities and additional punch list items used in the project resulting in a decrease of \$56.942.05 with a total project cost of \$3,059,301.04;

WHEREAS, the contractor reached substantial completion on February 25, 2025;

WHEREAS, the project has been satisfactorily completed;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City of Laurel, Mississippi:

- 1. That the Administration is authorized to accept close-out documents for the 15th Avenue ARPA Utility and Roadway Improvements Project.
- 2. That Administration is authorized to execute Summary Change Order No. 1 for the 15th Avenue ARPA Utility and Roadway Improvements Project.
- 3. That Administration is authorized to execute Final Payment in the amount of \$167,288.11 to R & J Construction Co. for the 15th Avenue ARPA Utility and Roadway Improvements Project.
- 4. That Finance Director is authorized to make any budgetary transactions necessary for implementation of the foregoing resolution.

Adoption of the above and foregoing Resolution was moved by <u>Councilperson Capers</u>, the second was

by <u>Councilperson Jordan</u>, upon roll call vote, the result was as follows:

YEAS: Capers, Thaxton, Amos, Jordan

NAYS: None

ABSTAINING: None

ABSENT: Kelly, Carmichael, Ellis

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