

## **RESOLUTION**

### **RESOLUTION GIVING THE ADMINISTRATION AUTHORITY TO AWARD CONSTRUCTION OF THE 2025 CITYWIDE PAVING PROJECT**

WHEREAS, the City of Laurel has planned for a roadway improvement project utilizing funds from the Street Paving Fund;

WHEREAS, the City of Laurel intends to mill, overlay and make improvements to certain streets across the City,

WHEREAS, the City of Laurel has entered into a contract with Neel-Schaffer for professional services for design, construction administration and resident project representation for the proposed project;

WHEREAS, Neel-Schaffer has prepared plans and specifications for the project known as 2025 Citywide Paving Project;

WHEREAS, the City received four bids on Thursday, April 8, 2025 at 10:00am;

WHEREAS, the low bidder being Chris Albritton Construction Co. in the amount of \$2,624,287.20;

WHEREAS, because of a minor irregularity the city chose to reject all bids and readvertise for construction;

WHEREAS, the City of Laurel received four bids on Tuesday, June 10, 2025 at 10:00am;

WHEREAS, the low bidder being Walters Construction Co. in the amount of \$2,202,585.25;

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

1. That the Administration is authorized to award the construction of the 2025 Citywide Paving Project to Walters Construction Co. in the amount of \$2,202,585.25.
2. That Administration is authorized to execute all related documents for the award of the project.
3. 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 Councilperson Carmichael, the second was by Councilperson Capers, upon roll call vote, the result was as follows:

YEAS: Capers, Kelly, Thaxton, Carmichael, Amos, Jordan

NAYS: None

ABSTAINING: None

ABSENT: Ellis

The President thereupon declared the motion carried and the Resolution adopted, this the  
17th day of June, A.D., 2025.

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PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL

ATTESTED AND SUBMITTED TO THE MAYOR BY THE CLERK OF THE COUNCIL

ON \_\_\_\_\_.

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CLERK OF THE COUNCIL

APPROVED ( ) DATE \_\_\_\_\_

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MAYOR

ATTEST:

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CITY CLERK

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