

RESOLUTION

**(Regarding Advertising for Request for Proposals for Engineering Services
for CDBG Grants and Projects During FY 2019 and FY 2020)**

WHEREAS, The City of Laurel is dependent upon Community Development Block Grants from the Mississippi Development Authority for funds to conduct large public works and economic development projects; and

WHEREAS, guidelines established by the Mississippi Development Authority require extensive engineering assessments and renderings for projects for which the City of Laurel seeks funding through Community Development Block Grants and for the monitoring, evaluation, and inspection of ongoing CDBG Projects; and

WHEREAS, the contract with the City's current engineering firm expires at the end of FY2018; and

WHEREAS, the City Administration anticipates the need for continuing engineering services during FY2019 and FY2020; and

WHEREAS, the Mississippi Development Authority regulations require the City of Laurel to advertise a "Request for Proposals for Engineering Services" and to make a selection based on qualifications, experience, and capacity to do the work

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Laurel City Council that the Mayor be authorized and is hereby directed to publish the "Request for Proposals for Engineering Services" (hereto attached as Exhibit A) for the City of Laurel's FY2019 and FY 2020 Community Development Block Grants.

Motion was made by Councilperson T. Comegys and seconded by Councilperson Page for the adoption of the above and foregoing Resolution.

Upon roll call vote the results was as follows:

YEAS: Capers, Wheat, Thaxton, Carmichael, S. Comegys, T. Comegys, Page

NAYS: None

ABSTAINING: None

ABSENT: None

The President thereupon declared the motion carried and the Resolution adopted on this,
the 18th day of December, A.D. 2018

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

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