RESOLUTION

CONCERNING AUTHORIZATION TO PUBLISH A REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS FOR CONSTRUCTION ENGINEERING AND INSPECTION SERVICES FOR THE CITY OF LAUREL'S BEACON STREET CORRIDOR IMPROVEMENTS GATEWAY PROJECT

WHEREAS, by Council Resolution of October 8, 2013, Mayor Johnny Magee was authorized to execute, on behalf of the City of Laurel, a Replacement Memorandum of Understanding with the Mississippi Department of Transportation for the Beacon Street Corridor Improvement Project referred to as Project No. IMD-8077-00(002)LPA/106639-801000; and

WHEREAS, after securing and establishing easements and right of ways for this project and anticipating the completion of utility relocations and other final design work, and

WHEREAS, proceeding with the final phase of the Gateway Beacon Street Corridor project will require securing the services of a construction engineering and inspection firm selected in accordance with the MDOT Project Development Manual; and

WHEREAS, MDOT regulations require the City of Laurel to advertise a request for proposals for construction engineering and inspection services and to make a selection based on qualifications, experience, and capacity; and

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 construction engineering and inspection services, a copy of which is attached hereto as "Exhibit A" for the City of Laurel's Beacon Street Corridor Improvements Gateway Project.

Motion was made by <u>Councilperson Page</u> and seconded by <u>Councilperson Wheat</u>, for the adoption of the above and foregoing Resolution.

Upon roll call vote, the result 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 be adopted this the <u> 7^{th} </u> day of <u>**MAY**</u>, A.D.2019.

ATTESTED AND SUBMITTED TO THE MAYOR BY THE CLERK OF THE COUNCIL ON THIS THE _____ day of _____, 2019.

Clerk of the Council

APPROVED () DATE _____

VETOED () DATE _____

ATTEST:

MAYOR

CITY CLERK
