RESOLUTION

AUTHORITY TO ADVERTISE FOR CONSTRUCTION OF THE BEACON STREET CORRIDOR PROJECT

WHEREAS, the City of Laurel proposes to construct improvements along Leontyne Price Boulevard, formerly known as Beacon Street, from Interstate 59 / Highway 84 / Highway 15 to the intersection of Central Avenue and 5th Street, known as the Beacon Street Corridor Project;

WHEREAS, the project is partially funded with a federal earmark;

WHEREAS, required matching local funds are being provided through local bonds;

WHEREAS, the project has been activated with the Mississippi Department of Transportation;

WHEREAS, the necessary right-of-way for construction has been secured;

WHEREAS, the project has been designed in accordance with the MDOT Local Public Agency Project Development Manual;

WHEREAS, the Plans, Specifications and Estimates (PS&E) have been submitted to MDOT for final approval and Authority to Advertise;

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

1. The Administration is authorized to advertise for construction of the Beacon Street Corridor Improvements Project contingent upon receiving final approval and authorization from the Mississippi Department of Transportation to advertise for construction of said project.

Adoption of the above and foregoing Resolution was moved by <u>Councilperson Page</u>, the second was by <u>Councilperson S. Comegys</u>.

Upon roll call vote, the result was as follows:

YEAS: Thaxton, Carmichael, S. Comegys, Page

NAYS: None

ABSENT: Capers, Wheat

ABSTAIN: None

The President thereupon declared th	e moti	on carried and the Resolution adopted, this the
21st day of January, A.D., 2020.		
		PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL
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