

## **BILL NO. 21-213**

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AN ORDINANCE APPROVING THE AWARD OF RFQ NO. 2021-076 FOR PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERING SERVICES FOR A STORMWATER UTILITY RATE AND IMPLEMENTATION STUDY TO BLACK & VEATCH MANAGEMENT CONSULTING, LLC, FOR AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$457,662.00, AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE AN AGREEMENT FOR THE SAME.

WHEREAS, a stormwater utility was first recommended by the 2004 Stormwater Task Force, then again by the 2009 LS 360 Strategic Plan; and,

WHEREAS, the City's Public Works Committee has thoroughly researched and reviewed the benefits of a stormwater utility in addressing the significant unfunded and ongoing stormwater maintenance needs of the community; and,

WHEREAS, a stormwater utility study is the first step in developing and evaluating a stormwater utility that best fits stormwater management goals of Lee's Summit; and,

WHEREAS, funding for a Stormwater Utility Rate and Implementation Study (hereinafter "Study") was authorized pursuant to Ordinance No. 9104 on March 16, 2021; and,

WHEREAS, City staff publicly advertised RFQ No. 2021-076 to conduct a qualifications-based selection process for professional services to perform the Study; and,

WHEREAS, after reviews and interviews with firms, Black & Veatch Management Consulting, LLC (hereinafter "Engineer") was determined the most qualified firm to undertake such an assignment; and,

WHEREAS, following successful scope and fee negotiations, the City desires to enter into an agreement with the Engineer for the study.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LEE'S SUMMIT, MISSOURI, as follows:

SECTION 1. The City Council of the City of Lee's Summit, Missouri, hereby approves the award of RFQ No. 2021-076 to the Engineer for an amount not to exceed \$457,662.00.

SECTION 2. The City Council of the City of Lee's Summit, Missouri, hereby authorizes the City Manager, or designee, to execute an Agreement for Professional Engineering Services, substantially similar to the attached Exhibit 1, incorporated herein by reference, with the Engineer for the Study.

SECTION 3. The City Manager, or designee, is further authorized to take such further action and execute such documents as may be necessary or desirable to carry out and comply with the intent of this Ordinance.

SECTION 4. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its passage and adoption, and approval by the Mayor.

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SECTION 5. Should any section, sentence, or clause of this Ordinance be declared invalid or unconstitutional, such declaration shall not affect the validity of the remaining sections, sentences, or clauses.

PASSED by the City Council of the City of Lee's Summit, Missouri, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2021.

ATTEST:

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Mayor *William A. Baird*

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City Clerk *Trisha Fowler Arcuri*

APPROVED by the Mayor of said city this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2021.

ATTEST:

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Mayor *William A. Baird*

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City Clerk *Trisha Fowler Arcuri*

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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*Scott Ison, Chief Counsel of Infrastructure & Recreation*