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MEMO

TO: Public Infrastructure Committee

FROM: Greg Minikel, PE, Engineering Division Manager

DATE: February 2, 2026

RE: Design Engineering RFP's for Reconstruction of Franklin Street from S. 6th to S. 21st St.

Members of the Public Infrastructure Committee:

The Engineering Division sent out an RFP on December 16, 2025 to 5 Engineering Consultants for the surveying, design, plan preparation and specifications for the reconstruction of Franklin Street from South 6th to South 21st Street. These 5 consultants are on the DOT's Roster of Eligible Consultants, so we know that any of them would be fully capable to complete this project. The proposals were due on January 21, 2026.

We received 4 proposals for this design engineering.

Staff reviewed and discussed the proposals and we recommend that the City hire RA Smith to complete the necessary design engineering for the Franklin Street reconstruction project.

They had the lowest cost proposal for the project at a cost of \$245,900.

If the Committee agrees with our recommendation, they should make a motion to approve hiring RA Smith for the design engineering of Franklin Street contingent upon the review and approval of the contract documents/consulting agreement by the City Attorney.