

RESOLUTION NO. 2022 – 166

**A RESOLUTION APPROVING AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE AN AGREEMENT WITH LOWE ENGINEERS, LLC IN THE AMOUNT OF \$300,000 TO PERFORM AN INVENTORY AND ASSESSMENT OF THE STORMWATER SYSTEM, UPDATE THE CITY'S GIS SYSTEM, AND PROVIDE A CAPITAL PLAN FOR STORMWATER; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES**

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and City Council desire to assess the functioning of the City's stormwater system and the condition of stormwater infrastructure and to ensure its GIS system accurately depicts this data, and wishes to use this information to create a capital plan for stormwater, and has set aside funding from its American Rescue Plan Act grant for this purpose; and

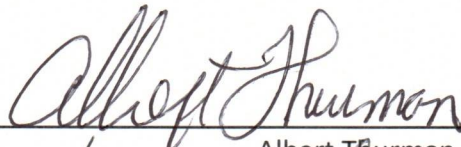
**WHEREAS**, the City issued RFP 22-14 to solicit proposals from vendors with experience in inventorying and assessing stormwater assets, updating GIS systems, creating multi-year capital improvement plans, and holding appropriate professional credentials to perform such work, and opened proposals on September 16, 2022; and

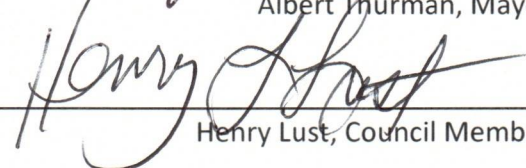
**WHEREAS**, the Selection Committee reviewed the proposals submitted in response to RFP 22-14, conducted interviews with the top-ranked firms, and recommends awarding the contract to Lowe Engineers, LLC ("Lowe") as the highest-ranked firm based on its background and relevant experience, planned approach to the work, quality of references, and price; and


**WHEREAS**, Lowe has extensive experience providing the services sought through RFP 22-14, and has proposed to perform these services at a cost of \$170,000.00, with an additional amount of \$100,000 estimated for mobile camera services as needed and subject to approval by the City, plus a contingency for additional services that may be requested by the City during the course of the contract, for a total contract cost of \$300,000.00; and

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED** by the Mayor and Council of the City of Powder Springs that it approves and authorizes the Mayor to execute an agreement with Lowe Engineers, LLC in the amount of \$300,000.00 to perform stormwater system and infrastructure assessment, subject to review and approval by the City Attorney. This resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption.

**SO RESOLVED** this 7<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2022.

  
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Albert Thurman, Mayor

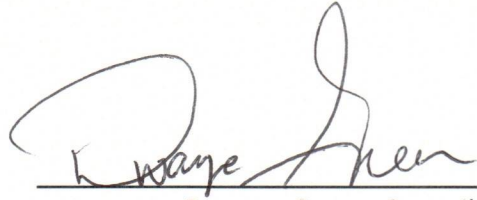
  
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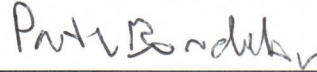
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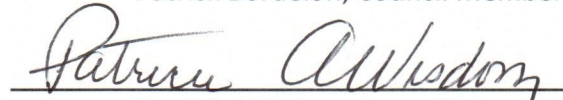
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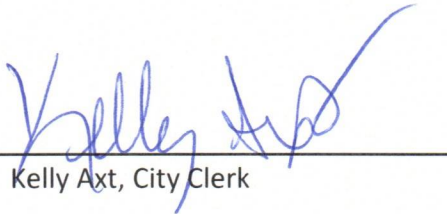


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Patricia Wisdom, Council Member

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Kelly Axt, City Clerk