ST. TAMMANY PARISH COUNCIL

RESOLUTION

RESOLUTION COUNCIL SERIES NO: C-4883

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RESOLUTION TO REQUEST AUTHORIZATION TO ADVERTISE BIDS FOR RIVERWOOD SUBDIVISION AND COUNTRY CLUB ESTATES DRAINAGE IMPROVEMENTS-PHASE 1; AND ASSURANCE OF COMPLIANCE WITH REQUIREMENTS OF THE STATEWIDE FLOOD CONTROL PROGRAM. WARD 4, DISTRICT 4

WHEREAS, St. Tammany Parish Government (STPG) has submitted an application for funding of the Riverwood Subdivision and Covington Country Club Estates Drainage Improvements - Phase 1 flood control project under the Statewide Flood Control Program; and

WHEREAS, the State's share of the project funds have been made available and STPG has available its local matching share of the project funds in an amount of not less than ten percent (10%); and

WHEREAS, at the request of STPG, Pinnacle Engineering has prepared plans and specifications for said project, which plans and specifications are designated by State Project No. H.011458; and

WHEREAS, STPG has reviewed the final plans, specifications and cost estimates and accepts them as submitted and the Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development (LDOTD) has reviewed the final plans, specifications, and cost estimate and has approved them inasmuch as they comply with the requirements of the Statewide Flood Control Program; and

WHEREAS, all necessary servitudes, rights-of-way, spoil disposal areas, rights of ingress and egress and the means thereof have been acquired by STPG, and the titles thereto are valid and indefeasible; and

WHEREAS, STPG has obtained all necessary permits required for the construction of this project; and

WHEREAS, STPG has agreed to accomplish all necessary utilities, fences and other facilities relocations and alterations made necessary by this project; and

WHEREAS, the Official Journal for STPG is The St. Tammany Farmer, whose mailing address is 321 N. New Hampshire Street, Covington, LA 70433 and whose telephone number is (985) 892-2323; and

WHEREAS, STPG desires to advertise for competitive bids, in accordance with LRS 38:2212, et, seq., for the award of a contract in the name of STPG, and furnish engineering services during the progress of the work.

THE PARISH OF ST. TAMMANY HEREBY RESOLVES that the Louisianan Department of Transportation and Development be and hereby is requested to authorize St. Tammany Parish Government to advertise for competitive bids in accordance with LRS 38:2212, et.seq., for the award of a contract in the name of STPG, covering the aforesaid improvements; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the LDOTD be and hereby is assured that all necessary servitudes, rights-of-way, rights of ingress and egress and the thereof have been obtained by STPG and the titles thereto are valid and indefeasible and STPG expressly agrees to defend any action for the failure of any servitude, right-of-way, rights of ingress or egress, and STPG does hereby complete responsibility for providing engineering services during construction and the maintenance and upkeep of the project after construction; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the LDOTD be and hereby is assured that all required permits have been obtained by STPG; and.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the LDOTD be and hereby is assured that STPG has available its local matching funds in an amount not less than ten percent (10%) of the total project cost to insure construction of this project; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that STPG will and hereby does assumes complete responsibility for all utilities, fence and other facilities relocations and alterations made necessary by this project; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that STPG does hereby save and hold harmless the LDOTD against any loss or damage of any kind incident to or occasioned by activities undertaken in pursuance of this agreement and expressly agrees to defend any suit brought against the LDOTD, and pay any judgment which may result from said suit as it relates tot his project.

THIS RESOLUTION HAVING BEEN SUBMITTED TO A VOTE, THE VOTE THEREON WAS AS FOLLOWS:

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YEAS: _____

NAYS: _____

ABSTAIN: _____

ABSENT: _____

THIS RESOLUTION WAS DECLARED ADOPTED ON THE <u>5</u> DAY OF <u>OCTOBER</u> , 2017, AT A REGULAR MEETING OF THE PARISH COUNCIL, A QUORUM OF THE MEMBERS BEING PRESENT AND VOTING.

STEVE STEFANCIK, COUNCIL CHAIRMAN

ATTEST:

THERESA L. FORD, COUNCIL CLERK

ADMINISTRATIVE COMMENT

Reference No.

Administrative Department: Public Works

PURPOSE: To provide for requirements of Statewide Flood Control Program for Riverwood Subdivision and Country Club Estates Drainage Improvements, Phase 1 project. Ward 4, District 4

RECOMMENDATION: The Public Works Department recommends adoption.