CLARK COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS AGENDA ITEM

Petitioner: Denis Cederburg, Director of Public Works

Recommendation:

Approve and authorize the County Manager or her designee to sign a professional services contract for staff augmentation between Clark County and Geotechnical & Environmental Services, Inc. (GES) (Gregory DeSart, P.E., President) for quality assurance or independent assurance testing and inspection on various Clark County Department of Public Works projects. (For possible action)

Fund #:	2020.000	Fund Name:	Road Fund
	4120.000		Master Transportation Plan
	4180.000		Master Trans Rm Tax Improvs
	4370.000		County Capital Projects
	4420.000		Public Works Capital Construction
	4990.000		Public Works Regional Improvs
Fund Center:	1260110001	Funded PGM/Grant:	N/A
Amount:	\$200,000		
Description:	Quality Assurance or Independent Assurance Testing and Inspection		
Additional Comments:	Services to be requested by work order, with funding from any of the above-		
	mentioned sources.		

BACKGROUND:

On December 21, 2021, the Board of County Commissioners approved a pre-qualification list to be used to select professional service providers for the period of January 1, 2022 through December 31, 2023. Geotechnical & Environmental Services, Inc. (GES) (Corporation) was selected from the pre-qualification list, [Services] Construction Management - Quality Assurance (Materials Testing and Inspection), to provide quality assurance or independent assurance testing and inspection on various Clark County Department of Public Works (CCPW) projects, as needed.

Due to CCPW's present and anticipated project workload and its limited testing resources, the services of an outside consultant for independent quality assurance testing are needed. County staff negotiated the attached professional services contract with Geotechnical & Environmental Services, Inc. The contract describes services to be provided and the stipulated terms. The time of performance is effective to December 31, 2024, unless time extensions are granted.

Geotechnical & Environmental Services, Inc. currently holds a Clark County Business License.

Pursuant to the Nevada Revised Statute 332.115(1)(b), contracts for professional services are not adapted to award by competitive bidding and, therefore, are exempt from the bidding requirements.

The District Attorney's Office has reviewed and approved the contract as to form.

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