

**OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER  
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS**

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS COMMUNICATION  
SEPTEMBER 15, 2015 AGENDA**

<b>Subject:</b>	<b>Action Required:</b>	<b>Approved By:</b>
<p>Authorizes an Engineering Services Contract for the design of the North Cantrell Road at Gill Street Bridge Replacement Project.</p> <p><b>Submitted By:</b></p> <p>Public Works Department</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Ordinance √ <b>Resolution</b> Approval Information Report</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Bruce T. Moore City Manager</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>SYNOPSIS</b></p>	<p>Authorizes the City Manager to approve an Engineering Services Contract with Jacobs Engineering Group for the North Cantrell Road at Gill Street Bridge replacement project, AHTD No. 061121, Bid No. 14120. <i>This project is in Ward 1.</i></p>	
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>FISCAL IMPACT</b></p>	<p>Funding for this contract is available from a grant from the Arkansas Highway and Transportation Department (80%) and the 3/8-Cent Capital Improvement Sales and Compensating Use Tax funds (20%) as authorized by Resolution No. 13,601. The total maximum contract amount authorized is \$252,662.30 Dollars.</p>	
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>RECOMMENDATION</b></p>	<p>Approval of the resolution.</p>	
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>CITIZEN PARTICIPATION</b></p>	<p>The Board previously endorsed participation in this grant by Resolution No. 13,601 and authorized the grant matching funds by Resolution No. 13,699 on May 21, 2013. One (1) additional public meeting will be scheduled during the coming design phase.</p>	
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>BACKGROUND</b></p>	<p>This resolution will authorize a contract for engineering design and on-call construction phase assistance for a project to replace the functionally obsolete bridge on North Cantrell Road at Gill Street, adjacent to Cantrell Road in Riverdale.</p>	

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Jacobs Engineering Group, was selected through a Request for Qualifications process to engineering services and the draft contract has been approved by the Arkansas Highway and Transportation Department.