

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

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS COMMUNICATION  
SEPTEMBER 5, 2017 AGENDA**

<b>Subject:</b>	<b>Action Required:</b>	<b>Approved By:</b>
<p>A resolution authorizing a Contract for the Dunbar Gibbs Sidewalk Improvements and 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 execute an agreement with Burkhalter Technologies, Inc., for construction of the sidewalk improvements at Dunbar Magnet Middle School and Gibbs Magnet Elementary School.</p>	
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>FISCAL IMPACT</b></p>	<p>Funding for these construction services is to be from a grant from the Transportation Alternatives Program (TAP) administered by the Arkansas Highway &amp; Transportation Department (LITTLE ROCK) (TAP-15) (S) FAP NO. TAPC-9253(76). Amount for construction services is not to exceed \$199,198.80, which is the base bid amount of \$165,999.00, plus 20% contingencies.</p>	
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>RECOMMENDATION</b></p>	<p>Approval of the resolution.</p>	
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>BACKGROUND</b></p>	<p>This project is to provide for construction of a new sidewalk in the abandoned Ringo Street right-of-way connecting the Dunbar Magnet Middle School to Gibbs Magnet Elementary School and the Dunbar Community Center, and to replace other school sidewalks near and on the Dunbar campus. The project was proposed as a partnership with the City of Little Rock and IRDMatrix, Inc. Burkhalter Technologies, Inc., was the lowest responsive, responsible bid meeting specifications of five (5) bids received for the project.</p>	