RESOLUTION NO. ____________

A RESOLUTION TO AMEND LITTLE ROCK, ARK., RESOLUTION NO. 15,034 (AUGUST 6, 2019), TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY MANAGER TO AMEND THE CONTRACT AMOUNT WITH MCCLELLAND CONSULTING ENGINEERS, INC., IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED SEVENTY-SIX THOUSAND, ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS ($76,100.00), FOR ENGINEERING AND DESIGN SERVICES FOR THE MARKHAM STREET PEDESTRIAN AND SAFETY IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

WHEREAS, it is desirable to provide Engineering Study and Design Work for new sidewalks on Markham Street, from Kavanaugh Boulevard to Pine Street, where sidewalks are either inadequate or not provided to provide for pedestrian needs in the area; and,

WHEREAS, McClelland Consulting Engineers, Inc., was selected through a Statement of Qualifications process, Bid No. 18179, to provide Engineering Design and Survey Services for the proposed project in Ward 3; and,

WHEREAS, on August 6, 2019, the Board of Directors adopted Little Rock, Ark., Resolution No. 15,034 to authorize an agreement with McClelland Consulting Engineers, Inc., in an amount not to exceed One Hundred Twenty Two Thousand, Five Hundred Dollars ($122,500.00) for the design of Markham Street Sidewalks from Kavanaugh Boulevard to Pine Street; and,

WHEREAS, on July 18, 2023, the Board of Directors adopted Little Rock, Ark., Resolution No. 16,052 to express the willingness of the City of Little Rock, Arkansas, to utilize Federal-Aid Surface Transportation Program Funds from Metroplan for Markham Street Improvements, from South Cedar Street to Pearl Avenue; and,

WHEREAS, On September 13, 2023, the City of Little Rock was notified of an award of One Million, One Hundred Thousand Dollars ($1,100,000.00) in CARTS 2024 Surface Transportation Block Grant Funds by the Metroplan Board of Director for the construction of a portion of the Markham Street Road Pedestrian and Safety Improvements; and,

WHEREAS, the Federal-Aid Grant award conditions will require the City’s contracted consultant to provide an environmental clearance documentation for the project corridor, provide exhibits for any necessary rights-of-way or easements and develop final plans dividing the project into two (2) phases and meeting the requirements of the grant conditions.
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE CITY
OF LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS:

Section 1. The City Manager is hereby authorized to execute an amendment to the agreement with
McClelland Consulting Engineers, Inc., to provide Engineering Design and Survey Services for the
Markham Street Sidewalks, from Kavanaugh Boulevard to Pine Street, in amount not to exceed Seventy-
Six Thousand, One Hundred Dollars ($76,100.00), for an increased total contract amount of One Hundred
Ninety-Eight Thousand, Six Hundred Dollars ($198,600.00).

Section 2. Funding for this contract will be from Street Fund Special Projects, Account No. S40B631.

Section 3. Severability. In the event any title, section, paragraph, item, sentence, clause, phrase, or
word of this resolution is declared or adjudged to be invalid or unconstitutional, such declaration or
adjudication shall not affect the remaining portions of the resolution which shall remain in full force and
effect as if the portion so declared or adjudged invalid or unconstitutional was not originally a part of the
resolution.

Section 4. Repealer. All laws, ordinances, resolutions, including but not limited to Little Rock, Ark.,
Resolution No. 15,034 (August 6, 2019), or parts of the same, that are inconsistent with the provisions of
this resolution, are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

ADOPTED: January 23, 2024

ATTEST: 

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Susan Langley, City Clerk  Frank Scott, Jr., Mayor

APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM:

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Thomas M. Carpenter, City Attorney