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COUNTY OF FORT BEND §

**AMENDMENT TO AGREEMENT FOR
PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERING SERVICES**

THIS AMENDMENT, is made and entered into by and between Fort Bend County (hereinafter “County”), a body corporate and politic under the laws of the State of Texas, and Paradigm Consultants, Inc., (hereinafter “Contractor”), a company authorized to conduct business in the State of Texas.

WHEREAS, the parties executed and accepted that certain Agreement for Professional Engineering Services on July 24, 2018, (hereinafter “Agreement”) for Services to be provided under the Fort Bend County 2013 Mobility Bond Program – Gaston Road Segment 1 – Project No. 13311, pursuant to SOQ 14-025; and

WHEREAS, the parties desire to amend the Agreement for additional professional engineering services to be provided and increase the total Maximum Compensation available to perform the services.

NOW, THEREFORE, the parties do mutually agree as follows:

1. County shall pay Contractor an additional ninety-six thousand one hundred ten dollars and no/100 (\$96,110.00) to render additional Services to County as described in the proposal dated August 15, 2019, attached as Exhibit “A” hereto and incorporated herein for all purposes; and
2. The Maximum Compensation payable to Contractor for all Services rendered under the Agreement and this Amendment is hereby increased to an amount not to exceed two hundred seventy-one thousand one hundred sixteen dollars and no/100 (\$271,116.00), authorized as follows:


\$175,006.00 under the Agreement; and
\$96,110.00 under this Amendment.
3. In no case shall the amount paid by County for all Services under the Agreement and this Amendment exceed the Maximum Compensation without written amendment executed by the parties.
4. The parties hereby agree to extend the Time of Performance under the Agreement to end no later than September 30, 2020.

Except as provided herein, all terms and conditions of the Agreement shall remain unchanged.

FORT BEND COUNTY

PARADIGM CONSULTANTS, INC

KP George, County Judge



~~Thomas Brent Lapsley, Principal~~
Joseph Ray Meyer, Principal

Date

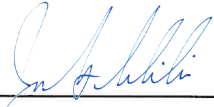
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Date

ATTEST:

Laura Richard, County Clerk

APPROVED:



J. Stacy Slawinski, P.E., County Engineer

APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM:

Marcus D. Spencer, First Assistant County Attorney

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

I hereby certify that funds are available in the amount of \$ _____ to accomplish and pay the obligation of Fort Bend County under this contract.

Robert Ed Sturdivant, County Auditor

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EXHIBIT A

August 15, 2019
Project No.: 18-3101



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**Cost Overrun Explanation Letter for
Fort Bend County Mobility Bond Project #13311, Precinct 3
Gaston Road from Katy Flewellen Road to Greenbusch Road
Katy, Texas 77494**

Mr. Salas:

Paradigm Consultants, Inc. has been asked to provide explanation of the cost overrun for the Gaston Road project. There are multiple reasons that we have exceeded our original estimate:

- We estimated zero overtime charges when developing our proposal. Through May 2019, we have invoiced a total of \$40,275.04 in overtime charges.
- There have been numerous instances of our tech being on standby for testing throughout the duration of this project.
- There has been a total of 19 cancellation trips due to weather, rescheduling, etc. where we were not notified prior to arriving on site, resulting in a cancellation charge of approximately \$400 per trip.

We used the following assumptions when developing the Additional Funds Request, totaling \$96,110:

- We based our estimations on 112 working days to complete the project (June 2019 to mid-October 2019). This includes the most recent 50 additional work days added to the contractor's schedule.
- We estimated half of our remaining work to be earthwork and the other half to be concrete sampling, along with the additional PM hours.

Closing

If there is any additional information needed to resolve this matter please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,
Paradigm Consultants, Inc.


Phillip Nowak, CET
Senior Project Manager