THE CITY OF ASHEVILLE

STAFF REPORT

Council Meeting Date: January 10, 2023

Subject: Change order to Motorola Solutions, Inc. contract for additional fire station alerting equipment at the Broadway Public Safety Station

Staff Resource(s): Jade Dundas, Capital Projects Director
Walter Ear, Program Manager

Action Requested: Adoption of a resolution authorizing the City Manager to execute a change order to the contract with Motorola Solutions, Inc. to add additional station alerting equipment at the Broadway Public Safety Station in the amount of $11,941.20.

Background:

- The Asheville Fire Department utilizes the Mach Alert system to perform station alerting at the City's fire stations.
- Council Resolution No. 22-14 authorized a contract with Motorola Solutions, Inc. as a sole source provider of station alerting equipment to extend the Mach Alert system to the new Fire Station 13 at the Broadway Public Safety Station.
- In situations that require integration into an existing network, sole source contracts are necessary to maintain continuity with existing systems.
- This is the case with this citywide emergency alerting system.
- The Fire Department has requested additional alerting equipment in order to improve emergency response.
- The current contract value is $145,691.00. There have been no previous change orders.
- This change order in the amount of $11,941.20 will increase the contract to a revised value of $157,632.20.

Vendor Outreach Efforts:

- Not applicable - sole source procurement.

Council Goal(s):

- Financially Resilient City

Committee(s):

- None

Pro(s):

- The station alerting system is a critical component of fire emergency response.
- The requested equipment will extend visual and audible alerts to additional spaces within the building.

Con(s):

- The additional expense will require use of project contingency.
- The competitive pricing advantage can be lost with sole source procurement.

Fiscal Impact:

- Funding for this change order was previously budgeted and is available in the General Capital Projects Fund.

Suggested Motion:

- Motion to adopt a resolution authorizing the City Manager to execute a change order to the contract with Motorola Solutions, Inc. to add additional station alerting equipment at the Broadway Public Safety Station in the amount of $11,941.20.

Attachment(s)

- Resolution
- Area Map

RESOLUTION N. 23-_____

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE A CHANGE ORDER TO THE CONTRACT WITH MOTOROLA SOLUTIONS, INC. FOR ADDITIONAL STATION ALERTING EQUIPMENT FOR THE BROADWAY PUBLIC SAFETY STATION

WHEREAS, pursuant to N.C.G.S 143-129(e) 6, the City of Asheville passed Resolution No. 21-37 authorizing the City Manager to use a sole source procurement method for Motorola's Mach Alert Station Alerting; and

WHEREAS, the City has contracted with Motorola Solutions, Inc. in the amount of $145,691.00, for the purchase, installation, set-up and programming of the Mach Alert Station Alerting System for the Broadway Public Safety Station; and

WHEREAS, the City desires to amend said contract in the amount of $11,941.20 for additional equipment, installation and programming;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ASHEVILLE THAT:

The City Manager is hereby authorized to execute a change order to the contract with Motorola Solutions, Inc. in the amount of $11,941.20 for additional station alerting equipment for the Broadway Public Safety Station, increasing the total contract amount to $157,632.20.

Read, approved and adopted this the 10th day of January, 2023.

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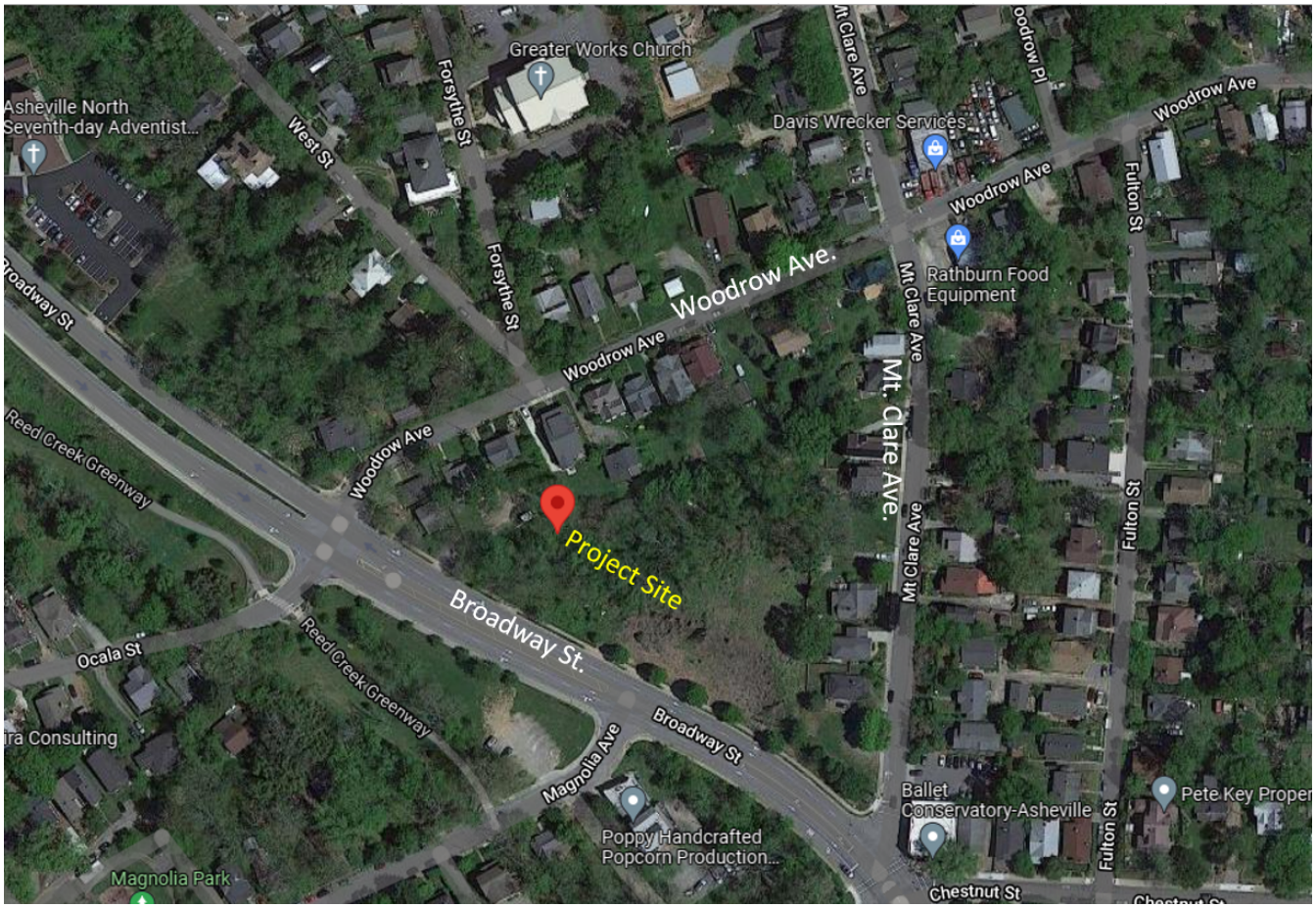
City Clerk Mayor

Approved as to form:

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City Attorney

PROJECT MAP


Greater Works Church
Asheville North Seventh-day Adventist...
West St
Forsythe St
Davis Wrecker Services
Woodrow Ave
Fulton St
Rathburn Food Equipment
Woodrow Ave.
Mt Clare Ave
Mt. Clare Ave.
Broadway St
Reed Creek Greenway
Project Site
Broadway St.
Ocala St
Magnolia Ave
Ballet Conservatory-Asheville
Poppy Handcrafted Popcorn Production...
Magnolia Park
Chestnut St