



DATE: April 13, 2026

TO: Alderman Frost, Chair
Members of the Finance and Personnel Committee

FROM: Timothy Hinkens, City Engineer

RE: **Award of Engineering Agreement: Corbin Street over Kent Creek Bridge Replacement (Phase 2 Engineering)**

Corbin Street over Kent Creek Bridge Replacement			
Contract Details		Project Details	
Vendor	H.R. Green, Inc.	Design Engineering	<i>\$155,236.00 (PE 1)</i> <i>(Council Approved 9-16-2024)</i> \$163,740.00 (PE 2) (current item)
		Construction Engineering	<i>\$240,000.00</i> <i>(Estimated)</i>
Contract Award Amount	\$163,740.00	Construction	<i>\$2,160,000.00</i> <i>(Estimated)</i>
		Land Acquisition	\$0
Contract Duration	April 2026 to March 2027	Utility Relocation (please indicate if a Rider will be used)	\$0
		Demolition	\$0
Funding Source	MFT <i>Federal - LBFP</i>	Water Main Costs	\$0

		Misc/Contingency Costs	TBD
		Total Projected Project Cost	\$2,718,976.00 (Estimated)

NARRATIVE

The Corbin Street Bridge is a precast prestressed concrete deck beam bridge and is in need of rehabilitation. The structure has a sufficiency rating of 43.4 making it eligible for Local Bridge Formula Program (LBFP). Since Federal funding will be used for construction the Phase I Engineering will need to be processed through the IDOT Bureau of Local Roads and Streets (BLRS) and be completed according to Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) and National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) requirements, in addition to applicable State and local requirements.

As Phase 1 Engineering nears completion, the scope of design has been set. The bridge deck beams, sidewalk, and railings will be replaced. No changes to the adjacent roadway or at-grade railroad crossing are anticipated. No land acquisition is anticipated.

This proposed Phase 2 Engineering Agreement's scope of services include:

- Data Collection and Analysis
- Railroad, Utility, Environmental Permitting and Coordination
- Prepare construction bid plans, specifications, and cost estimate

Based on their qualifications and experience with Phase 1 Engineering for this project, it is the recommendation of the Department of Public Works that the City enter into an agreement with HR Green, Inc. This contract is a not-to-exceed amount of \$163,740.00. The funding source is Motor Fuel Tax.

RESOLUTION
of the
CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ROCKFORD, ILLINOIS
SUBMITTED BY: FINANCE AND PERSONNEL COMMITTEE

RESOLUTION AWARDING CONTRACT FOR CORBIN STREET OVER KENT CREEK BRIDGE
REPLACEMENT

WHEREAS, the Compiled Statutes of the State of Illinois, in section 50 ILCS 510/5, provides for the selection of professional services shall, unless a satisfactory relationship already exists, be made through qualifications based selection and competitive, advertised requests for qualifications.

WHEREAS, a satisfactory relationship exists with an engineering firm to perform work for:

CORBIN STREET OVER KENT CREEK BRIDGE REPLACEMENT

WHEREAS, the Finance and Personnel Committee of the City Council for the City of Rockford, Illinois has reviewed the recommendation and proposal received for the aforementioned item(s) and recommends awarding an engineering agreement as follows:

Vendor: H.R. GREEN INC.
Contract Amount: \$163,740.00

WHEREAS, the Finance and Personnel Committee has determined that the funding for the aforementioned agreement shall be as follows:

MOTOR FUEL TAX

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Rockford, Illinois that the Mayor execute an amended agreement with H.R. GREEN of MCHENRY, IL for CORBIN STREET OVER KENT CREEK BRIDGE REPLACEMENT for a total of \$163,740.00, subject to the specifications in the contract.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this Resolution shall be in full force and effective immediately upon its adoption and the Legal Director is hereby authorized to prepare and deliver certified copies of this Resolution to the Central Services Manager.

The above and foregoing Resolution was adopted by the City Council of the City of Rockford, Illinois, this _____ day of _____, 2026.

ATTEST:

Thomas P. McNamara, Mayor
City of Rockford, Illinois

Angela Hammer, Legal Director and Ex-Officio
Keeper of the Records and Seal
City of Rockford, Illinois

Rockford, Illinois

Date: April 13, 2026

RECOMMENDATION FOR RESOLUTION

TO THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ROCKFORD:

Council Members:

The Committee on Finance and Personnel having received a request hereby begs leave to report recommending **approval** of the agreement with HR GREEN of MCHENRY, IL for CORBIN STREET OVER KENT CREEK BRIDGE REPLACEMENT, in the amount of \$163,740.00. The Legal Director shall prepare the appropriate resolution.

Kevin Frost (Chair)

Jonathan Logemann (Vice chair)

Frank Beach

Dawn Granath

Chad Tuneberg

Committee Action Taken:

Frost:	Ayes:___	Nays:___	Absent:___
Logemann:	Ayes:___	Nays:___	Absent:___
Beach:	Ayes:___	Nays:___	Absent:___
Granath:	Ayes:___	Nays:___	Absent:___
Tuneberg:	Ayes:___	Nays:___	Absent:___