

Introduced by: Councilmember Seamens

Single Reading

CITY OF TAKOMA PARK, MARYLAND

ORDINANCE NO. 2017-42

AWARD OF CONTRACT FOR CIVIL AND SITE ENGINEERING SERVICES

WHEREAS, the City's five-year Capital Improvement Program includes a variety of infrastructure projects, including but not limited to the construction of sidewalks, traffic calming and ADA sidewalk improvements, which require comprehensive design, engineering and construction inspection services to develop and complete; and

WHEREAS, the City does not have sufficient capacity or technical resources available on staff to design, engineer, or oversee the construction of all aspects of planned projects; and

WHEREAS, the Council previously authorized entering into contracts for comprehensive engineering services with three firms to ensure that the planned improvements are developed and constructed in a timely and cost-effective manner; and

WHEREAS Public Works Department staff have identified the engineering firm of A. Morton Thomas and Associates, Inc. working under contract with the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission; and

WHEREAS, the services to be provided by A. Morton Thomas and Associates, Inc. under this contract meet the identified needs of the City; and

WHEREAS, sufficient funds are available in the capital improvement budget to cover the anticipated cost of these services.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TAKOMA PARK, MARYLAND, THAT:

SECTION 1. The City Manager is authorized to enter into a contract with A. Morton Thomas and Associates, Inc. for civil and site engineering services.

SECTION 2. This Ordinance shall become effective upon adoption.

ADOPTED this 26th day of July, 2017 by roll-call vote as follows:

AYE: Stewart, Kovar, Male, Qureshi, Seamens, Smith, Schultz
NAY: None
ABSTAIN: None
ABSENT: None