

**City of Blaine  
Request for Council Action  
Meeting Date: October 25, 2021**

**Subject:** Professional Services Agreement with Reichhardt & Ebe Engineering for professional design and permitting for Boblett Street Channelization Improvements, between Yew Avenue and Boblett Court, including multi-modal trail, road widening and roundabout improvements

**Department:**                    **Public Works**                    **Prepared By:** \_\_\_\_\_  
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**Agenda Location:**      Consent Agenda      Council Action                     Unfinished Business

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**Attachments:**

1. Local Agency A&E Professional Services Consultant Agreement Reichhardt & Ebe Engineering Supplemental Agreement Number 003
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**Background/Summary:** Public Works solicited and received Statements of Qualifications from two firms. After evaluating the submittals, the review team consisting of city staff and WSDOT personnel unanimously selected Reichhardt & Ebe Engineering as the preferred candidate. The current proposal takes the project to 60 percent design level, after which time a contract amendment will be needed to complete the design and bid documents. The reason for the phasing is to determine what level of permits will be needed and the extent of environmental impacts so that the remaining costs are as realistic as possible. Construction of the project is anticipated in 2022.

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**Budget Implications:**      Current Budget      New Budget Request                     Non-Budgetary

Funding for this project will be from a Federal STP Regional Grant and will be paid out of Fund 333.

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**Recommendation:** Staff recommends that Council authorize the City Manager execute a contract with for engineering design services in an amount not to exceed \$208,709.27 for a new not to exceed amount of \$411,604.32.

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**Reviewed By:**

City Manager \_\_\_\_\_ Finance Director \_\_\_\_\_ City Clerk \_\_\_\_\_  
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