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HRC Job No. 20170822.34

March 26, 2021

City of Rochester Hills 1000 Rochester Hills Drive Rochester Hills, Michigan 48309

Attn: Mr. Ken Elwert, CPRE

Director of Parks and Natural Resources

Re: Innovation Hills – South Loop Boardwalk Construction

Proposal for Engineering Services

Construction Administration and Oversight

Dear Mr. Elwert:

Hubbell, Roth & Clark, Inc. (HRC) is pleased to offer engineering services to the City of Rochester Hills for the subject project. We propose that all items of work herein be completed under the terms and conditions of our existing Agreement for Professional Engineering Services.

The proposed construction of South Loop Boardwalk for Innovation Hills was bid under separate contract. We are recommending the project be awarded to the low bidder, L.J. Construction, Inc. in the amount of \$634,200.00. They proposed and alternative grade of lumber, 2400f-2.0E MSR, for the joists and headers due to a reported shortage in the specified Select Structural grade lumber. HRC is recommending the acceptance of this alternative material as it either meets or exceeds the material properties of the specified lumber in the bid documents.

The City has requested HRC provide construction engineering services for construction. A breakdown of our proposed services and budgeted hours are summarized below and in the following table:

- Construction Layout under this task HRC will stake the center line of the boardwalk and helical pier locations
  one time. Should the contractor damage the staking or require additional staking due to sequencing or operations,
  we will seek compensation from the contractor to pay for these costs. However, the City would compensate HRC
  for this work then deduct or negotiate these costs from the contractor.
- Observation and Field Engineering under this task HRC will provide part-time onsite field observer(s) to monitor
  the Contractors work. Our observer will handle quantity verification at the end of each workday and prepare daily
  reports. HRC will provide on-site inspection of SESC measures after significant rainfall events and prepare
  corresponding SESC reports.
- 3. Contract Administration under this task HRC will provide submittal reviews, shop drawing preparation, pay estimates, and meetings with the City and contractor.



	Task Description	Hours	Rate	Total
1	Construction Layout	130	\$ 140	\$ 18,200
2	Observation and Field Engineering	370	\$ 100	\$ 37,000
3	Contract Administration	225	\$ 120	\$ 27,350
	Total			\$ 82,550

We are proposing Mr. Roland N. Alix, P.E. as the Project Manager. Mr. Alix will be supported by Mr. Remington J. Koch, F.E. and other HRC staff including, Structural Engineers, Construction Observers, Surveyors, and Field Engineers. Utilizing a blended rate summarized in the table above, we propose a **not-to-exceed budget of \$82,550.00** to complete the scope of this project.

Note: This proposal assumes the City will be using its existing material testing contractor to perform material testing if necessary.

Should you concur with this proposal, please sign below to serve as our authorization to proceed. If you have any questions or require any additional information, please contact the undersigned.

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Very truly yours,		
HUBBELL, ROTH & CLARK, INC.		
Roland N. Alix, P.E. Vice President		
pc: Rochester Hills; L. Cummins		
Recommended by: CITY OF ROCHESTER HILLS		
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Ken Elwert, Parks and Natural Resources Director		
Approved by: CITY OF ROCHESTER HILLS		
Bryan K Barnett Mayor	Date:	