

AGENDA MEMORANDUM

City Council Regular Meeting Date: July 15, 2025

To:City CouncilFrom:Alfred Mittl, Public Works Director
Scott Krawczuk, Deputy Public Works DirectorDate:July 2, 2025

SUBJECT: Professional Services in Conjunction with the City's East Periwinkle Way Bridge Replacement Project (Bridge No. 126500)

Consider approving a proposal from Weston & Sampson Engineers, Inc. to provide professional engineering services in the amount of \$77,570.00 for Hurricane Ian related East Periwinkle Way bridge wastewater and potable water utilities pipelines replacement and authorize the City Manager to execute the agreement.

BACKGROUND: On September 28, 2022, Sanibel suffered catastrophic damage from Hurricane Ian's 150 mph winds and storm surge of 8' to 10'. Nearly every structure in the City of Sanibel received damage including the East Periwinkle Way bridge. T.Y. Lin International is currently designing a resilient bridge capable of withstanding future storm surge/flooding to replace the East Periwinkle Bridge. The services of T.Y. Lin International and their subconsultants were approved by Council on June 4, 2024.

Weston & Sampson Engineers, Inc.'s services will include coordinating utilities design with the T.Y. Lin International bridge replacement design; preparing utility plans and technical specifications; permitting; cost opinions; and bidding services. The detailed services Weston & Sampson Engineers, Inc. will provide to the City are described in the firm's proposal which is included in the agenda packet.

The City is currently entered into a Professional Services Agreement with Weston & Sampson Engineers, Inc. to perform Hurricane Ian related Engineering work through September 30, 2028.

Sanibel is and shall remain a barrier island sanctuary

FUNDING SOURCE: The proposed funding summary table is shown below. The City has received grant funding related to the replacement of the bridge from State and Federal sources. The State of Florida granted the City \$750,000 for design of the bridge. These services did not include engineering for utilities as described in this memorandum. The State and the Federal Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) have provided a combined total of \$8.0 million for the construction of the bridge. The City is still in the process of executing grants for construction. Once approved, it is the City's intention to request reimbursement for this project's funding.

Project Cost and Funding Source	Amount
Engineering Project Cost	\$77,570.00
FY25 Utility Operating Budget (450-3500-431000)	(\$77,570.00)
Funding to Appropriate	\$0.00

RECOMMENDED ACTION:

Motion to approve a proposal from Weston & Sampson Engineers, Inc.to provide professional engineering services in the amount of \$77,570.00 and authorize the City Manager to initiate the services.