# **City of Greensboro**



## Agenda Report

## File Number: 2024-581

## Agenda Item# <u>I.8</u>

Agenda Date:8/20/2024. Department: Water ResourcesMeeting Type:Council Meeting Category: General Business Agenda

**Title:** 2024 – 581 Resolution Approving a Contract in the amount of \$7,583,093 with HDR Engineering, Inc. of the Carolinas for Professional Services for Final Design Services for the Mitchell WTP Advanced Treatment of Emerging Contaminants Project

### **Council Priority: Place an 'x' in the box.**

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**Council District**: 3

Public Hearing: No Advertising Date/By: N/A

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### **PURPOSE**:

Water Resources Department is requesting approval for a professional services contract for the Final Design of the Mitchell WTP Advanced Treatment of Emerging Contaminants Project. City Council approval of a contract with HDR Engineering, Inc. of the Carolinas in the amount of \$7,583,093 is requested.

### **BACKGROUND:**

The City of Greensboro Water Resources Department is aware of the presence of contaminants, such as PFAS, in the drinking water and currently has measures in place to treat the water, however, these are not long-term solutions. The Mitchell WTP Advanced Treatment of Emerging Contaminants Project includes installing a Granular Activated Carbon system to remove treatment PFAS and other contaminants that are present in our drinking water. The project also includes a new Operations and Maintenance Building, renovations to the existing laboratory and control room, storm water improvements, and site security improvements. We currently have a preliminary design and this contract is to complete the design and permitting for the project.

HDR Engineering, Inc. of the Carolinas was selected through a RFQ to work on this project and has completed the pilot testing and preliminary design. HDR Engineering, Inc. is also on the

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City of Greensboro Water Resources On-Call list for Professional Services. HDR will be teaming with CriTek Engineering Group, Falcon Engineering, Inc., SAMR, PLLC, CES Group Engineers, LLP, and Davis, Martin, Powell & Associates, Inc. for this Final Design Services Contract. In addition, Consultant Engineering Services, Inc. will be a second tier sub as they will be working with Davis, Martin, Powell & Associates, Inc. on this project. CriTek and SAMR are local MBE's. Falcon Engineering, Inc. and Consultant Engineering Services, Inc. are local WBE's. The MWBE commitment on this project is 8.15% MBE and 0.43% WBE.

#### **BUDGET IMPACT**:

Funding in the amount of \$7,583,093 is budgeted in the Water Resources Revenue Bond Account. A budget Ordinance is needed to use this account.

#### **ACCOUNT NUMBER:**

518-70-7099213.5410

#### **RECOMMENDATION / ACTION REQUESTED:**

It is recommended that City Council approve the Professional Services Contract with HDR Engineering, Inc. of the Carolinas for Final Design Services for the Mitchell WTP Advanced Treatment of Emerging Contaminants Project.