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**RESOLUTION NO. 2021-15**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE ALBANY CITY COUNCIL TO AWARD  
CONTRACT NO. C21-25 - FOR ENVIRONMENTAL SUPPORT SERVICES  
FOR THE MASONIC INTERSECTIONS (OHLONE TRAIL SAFETY  
IMPROVEMENTS) PROJECT (CIP NO. 25007)**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Albany adopted Resolution No. 2012-25, adopting the Albany Active Transportation Plan following a two-year community planning process; and

**WHEREAS**, the 2012 Albany Active Transportation Plan identifies the Ohlone Greenway Crossing Enhancements and the Masonic Avenue Bicycle Route as high priority projects; and

**WHEREAS**, the Transportation recommended prioritization of improvements at the intersections of Masonic/Marin Avenues and Masonic/Solano Avenues in the Albany Capital Improvement Plan to address safety issues for bicycles and pedestrians crossing these intersections on the Ohlone Greenway; and

**WHEREAS**, on November 2020, the City Council adopted Resolution No. 2020-108 authorizing the adoption of the FY2019/20-2023/24 Capital Improvement Plan and appropriation of funds for the first three years of the plan, including CIP No. 25007 – Masonic Intersections (Ohlone Trail Safety Improvements) Project to prioritize safety improvements at the Masonic/Marin Avenues and Masonic/Solano Avenues intersections; and

**WHEREAS**, the California Transportation Commission awarded the project a grant in the amount of \$410,000 through Cycle 4 of its Active Transportation Program in 2019; and

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**WHEREAS**, the California Department of Toxic Substances Control has identified volatile organic compounds present in the vicinity of the Masonic/Solano Avenues intersection; and

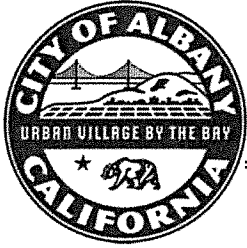
**WHEREAS**, these compounds may present a health risk during construction of CIP Project No. 25007 Masonic Intersections Improvements and to nearby City of Albany properties; and

**WHEREAS**, the City has used Ninyo & Moore Geotechnical & Environmental Sciences Consultant, Inc. for environmental support services and is pleased with the quality of services and overall value of the work performed; and

**WHEREAS**, Ninyo & Moore Geotechnical & Environmental Sciences Consultant, Inc. has provided a proposal for environmental support services for CIP No. 25007 – Masonic Intersections (Ohlone Trail Safety Improvements) Project, which staff has deemed to be competitive with other firms offering this service.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Albany City Council hereby authorizes the City Manager to execute Contract No. C21-25 with Ninyo & Moore Geotechnical & Environmental Sciences Consultants, Inc. in the not-to-exceed amount of \$30,200 for environmental support services, using previously appropriated funds for the Masonic Intersections (Ohlone Trail Safety Improvements) Project (CIP No. 25007).

  
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GENELL GARY, MAYOR



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PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ALBANY,

The 16th day of February, 2021, by the following votes:

AYES: Council Members Jordan, McQuaid, Nason, Tiedemann and Mayor Gary

NOES: none

ABSENT: none

ABSTAINED: none

RECUSED: none

WITNESS MY HAND AND THE SEAL OF THE CITY OF ALBANY, this

17th day of February, 2021.

Anne Hsu  
CITY CLERK