

RESOLUTION NO. 2024-20

A RESOLUTION OF THE ALBANY CITY COUNCIL ESTABLISHING CIP NO. 25015, AUTHORIZING CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE CONTRACT NOS. C24-15 AND C24-16, AND APPROPRIATING \$900,000 IN ALAMEDA COUNTY TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION MEASURE BB AND VEHICHLE REGISTRATION FEE FUNDS

WHEREAS, the Jackson Street Bikeway Project is a part of the Alameda County Transportation Commission (Alameda CTC) San Pablo Avenue Multi-Modal Corridor Project and the City of Albany is partnering with Alameda CTC and the University of California, Berkeley to design and construct the project; and

WHEREAS, the City has a history of productive collaboration in leading development of active transportation projects with the University and an interest in completing active transportation connections for residents; and

WHEREAS, Alameda CTC approved the 2024 Comprehensive Investment Plan, including pre-construction funding for the Jackson Bikeway as part of the San Pablo Avenue Multi-Modal Corridor Project, and approved allocation of \$900,000 toward the Preliminary Engineering/Environmental (PE/Env) and Plans, Specifications and Estimate (PS&E) phases of the project for implementation of the project by the City; and

WHEREAS, the University of California (UC) Berkeley has agreed to implement the Jackson Bikeway designs adjacent to the graduate student housing as part of their private-public partnership with American Campus Communities; and

WHEREAS, the Jackson Bikeway concept received preliminary agreement from the UC Berkeley Rausser College of Natural Resources to utilize additional frontage from the Gill Tract from Ohlone Avenue to Buchanan Street; and

WHEREAS, on October 2, 2023, the City Council approved the conceptual design for the Jackson Street Bikeway and directed city staff to work with UC Berkeley on implementation; and

WHEREAS, on December 4, 2023, the City Council adopted Resolution No. 2023-75 authorizing the City Manager to enter into a Memorandum of Understanding for the City to lead – with reimbursement from Alameda County Transportation Commission – the preconstruction phases of the Jackson Street Bikeway Project; and

WHEREAS, BKF Engineering is a full-service civil engineering firm with a history of designing projects, including several decades of work at the University Village (most recently as the the engineer-of-record for the civil improvements at the UC Berkeley graduate student housing development), has familiarity with the relevant stakeholders, and has successfully completed designs for the Jackson bikeway adjacent to the graduate student housing; and

WHEREAS, Zoon Engineering specializes in project and construction management with a history of supporting the City on complex projects requiring higher levels of coordination and federal oversight, has familiarity with the project and has successfully supported the City in expediting the segment of the Jackson bikeway adjacent to the graduate student housing and initiating Caltrans review processes as required by the construction funding under the San Pablo Avenue Multi-Modal Corridor Project.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that that the City Council hereby establishes CIP Project No. 25015 for the Jackson Street Bikeway Project in University Village on Jackson Street from Buchanan Street to the City Limits at 8th Street, authorizes the City Manager to to execute Contract No. C24-15 with BKF Engineers for detailed design services in the amount of \$300,000, authorizes the City Manager to execute Contract No. C24-16 with Zoon Engineering for project management services in the amount of \$100,000, and

appropriates \$900,000 in Alameda CTC Measure BB and VRF funds allocated to Albany for pre-construction on the project.

JOHN MIKI, MAYOR



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

The 1st day of April, 2024, by the following votes:

AYES: Council Members Hansen-Romero, Jordan, López, Tiedemann and

Mayor Miki

NOES: none

ABSENT: none

ABSTAINED: none

RECUSED: none

WITNESS MY HAND AND THE SEAL OF THE CITY OF ALBANY, this 2nd

day of April, 2024.

Anne Hsu

CITY CLERK