

**OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS**

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS COMMUNICATION
JANUARY 6, 2015 AGENDA**

Subject:	Action Required:	Approved By:
<p>Authorizes an Engineering Design Contract for the Geyer Springs Railroad Overpass Project, Project No. B-02a</p> <p>Submitted By:</p> <p>Public Works Department</p>	<p>Ordinance √ Resolution Approval Information Report</p>	<p>Bruce T. Moore City Manager</p>

SYNOPSIS	<p>Authorizes the City Manager to execute an agreement with Infrastructure Solutions Group, LLC, dba Mehlburger Brawley, for the Geyer Springs Railroad Overpass Project, Bid 14-195. <i>This project is in Ward 2.</i></p>
FISCAL IMPACT	<p>Funding for the project is available from the Transportation Improvement Project funds administered by the Arkansas Highway and Transportation Department (80%) and the 2013 Capital Improvement Bonds for Streets and Drainage (20%). Amount for design services is \$533,629.22, which is the base contract amount of \$485,117.47, plus a 10% contingency.</p>
RECOMMENDATION	<p>Approval of the resolution.</p>
CITIZEN PARTICIPATION	<p>The project is an element of the 2013 Capital Improvement Plan previously endorsed by the Board at the May 21, 2013, meeting via Resolution No. 13,699 following a series of fourteen (14) public Ward Meetings.</p>
BACKGROUND	<p>Infrastructure Solutions Group, LLC, dba Mehlburger Brawley, was selected through a statement of qualifications process, Bid No. 13177 for engineering design services for the Geyer Springs Railroad Overpass Project.</p>

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This project is to construct a bridge overpass over the Union Pacific Railroad mainline on Geyer Springs Road and is a continuation of a previously completed feasibility study done by the Mehlburger Firm. This contract will provide for completion of design work for construction and preparation of right-of-way acquisition documents.