

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

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS COMMUNICATION
JULY 2, 2024 AGENDA**

<p>Subject:</p> <p>Authorization of a contract with R. Valadez Construction, Inc., for the Kavanaugh Boulevard & University Avenue Drainage Improvement Project.</p> <p>Submitted By:</p> <p>Public Works Department</p>	<p>Action Required:</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Ordinance √ Resolution</p>	<p>Approved By:</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Emily Cox Acting City Manager</p>
<p>SYNOPSIS</p>	<p>A resolution to authorize the City Manager to enter into a contract with R. Valadez Construction, Inc., for the Kavanaugh Boulevard & University Avenue Drainage Improvement Project.</p>	
<p>FISCAL IMPACT</p>	<p>The amount for Construction Services is not to exceed \$63,027.67, which includes a 20% contingency, and funding is allocated in the Limited Tax General Obligation Capital Improvement Bonds, as approved by Little Rock, Ark., Resolution No. 15,968 (May 2, 2023), Account No. B3D027D.</p>	
<p>RECOMMENDATION</p>	<p>Approval of the resolution.</p>	
<p>BACKGROUND</p>	<p>This project will reconstruct a section of curb and add additional inlets and storm drainage to reduce roadway flooding. The City issued Bid No. 2481, and R. Valadez Construction, Inc., was the lowest, responsive, responsible bid meeting specifications of the two (2) bids received for the project.</p>	