

## **Travis County Commissioners Court Agenda Request**

Meeting Date: April 9, 2013 Prepared By/Phone Number: Jason G. Walker/44562; Marvin Brice, CPPB, Assistant Purchasing Agent Elected/Appointed Official/Dept. Head: Cyd Grimes Commissioners Court Sponsor: Judge Biscoe

Agenda Language: Approve Modification No. 3 to Contract No. 4400000832 (H.T.E. No. PS110046JW), URS Corporation, for Environmental Monitoring Services for Colorado River Corridor Plan.

- Purchasing Recommendation and Comments: Purchasing concurs with department and recommends approval of requested action. This procurement action meets the compliance requirements as outlined by the statutes.
- This project is for environmental monitoring to assess the pre-mining and post-mining conditions, or impacts, of TXI's Hornsby Bend East and Hornsby Bend West permitted mining sites over three (3) environmental media categories.
- This modification number three (3) is for Additional Basic Services where enhancements to Task 1 Monitoring Groundwater Availability and Quality will be made. Such enhancements are modified to the Scope of Services to be performed during the Interim Year 1. This modification will increase the contract amount by \$20,026.10 from \$230,655.59 to \$250,681.69, in which these additional funds were approved by the Commissioners Court on February 5, 2013.
- Modification number two (2) added Additional Basic Services for the continuation of environmental monitoring to determine if the permitted TXI minining operation is affecting the quality of air, groundwater, groundwater elevation, and noise levels. The Scope of Services was modified to include up to two (2) years of "interim" monitoring (scaled back monitoring prior to the commencement of mining) and two (2) "active" years of monitoring (monitoring once mining has commenced).

AGENDA REQUEST DEADLINE: All agenda requests and supporting materials must be submitted as a pdf to Cheryl Aker in the County Judge's office, <u>Cheryl.Aker@co.travis.tx.us</u> **by Tuesdays at 5:00 p.m.** for the next week's meeting.

As a result of these Additional Basic Services, the initial term was modified to that of five (5) years. This modification increased the contract amount by \$168,289.85 from \$62,365.74 to \$230,655.59, in which these additional funds were approved by the Commissioners Court on 4/24/12.

- Modification 1 increased the contract amount by \$1,500.00 for Additional Basic Services for the setup and execution of an access agreement between URS and TXI.
- Contract Expenditures: Within the last <u>12</u> months \$34,131.02 has been spent against this contract/requirement.

## Contract-Related Information:

Award Amount: \$60,865.74 Contract Type: Professional Services Contract Period: 7/5/11 – 7/4/12

## Contract Modification Information:

Modification Amount: \$20,026.10 Modification Type: Professional Services Modification Period: 7/4/13 – 7/4/16

## Solicitation-Related Information: N/A

Solicitations Sent:	Responses Received:
HUB Information:	% HUB Subcontractor:

## Special Contract Considerations: N/A

Award has been protested; interested parties have been notified.

Award is not to the lowest bidder; interested parties have been notified.

Comments:

## > Funding Information:

- Shopping Cart in SAP: Funds Reservation
- Cost Center(s)/Fund(s): 1490110001/0001
- Comments:

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#### **TRANSPORTATION AND NATURAL RESOURCES**

STEVEN M. MANILLA, P.E., COUNTY EXECUTIVE TNR

411 West 13th Street Executive Office Building PO Box 1748 Austin, Texas 78767 (512) 854-9383 FAX (512) 854-4697

March 21, 2013

#### **MEMORANDUM**

TO: Marvin Brice, Assistant Purchasing Agent Knul Breed for FROM: Steven M. Manilla P.E., County Executive, TNR

SUBJECT: Modification 3 – URS Corporation contract for Environmental Monitoring Services, Contract – PS1100046JW/4400000832

TNR is requesting approval of amendment number three to the URS Corporation professional services agreement. This amendment would increase the not-to-exceed amount for this agreement by \$20,026.10 from \$230,655.59 to \$250,681.69. The attached letter dated January 3, 2013, from URS Corporation describes the estimated costs to complete additional tasks and environmental monitoring services. Please note that we seek to add services described in the URS letter as items A, B, and C only. The remaining items are unfunded and not expected to be funded. The additional funding was accepted and approved as a donation by the Commissioners' Court on February 5, 2013.

The funds for this amendment are on funds reservation document number 0300000531. The account information is provided below.

Fund: 0001 Fund Center: 1490110001 GL: 511900

If you have any questions or require additional information please contact Thomas Weber at extension 4-4629.

cc: Jason Walker, Purchasing Thomas Weber, TNR Donna Williams-Jones, TNR Tawana Gardner, TNR

Attachment: URS Proposed Scope of Services



January 3, 2013

Thomas W. Weber Transportation & Natural Resources Travis County 1010 Lavaca Third Floor Austin, TX 78701

#### Re: Enhancements to Environmental Monitoring Services for the Colorado River Corridor Plan

#### Dear Mr. Weber:

URS Corporation (URS) is pleased to present a cost estimate for enhancements to the Environmental Monitoring Services for the Colorado River Corridor Plan. This estimate includes costs for monitoring enhancements discussed during the meetings on November 30 and December 12, 2012 between representatives from Travis County, City of Austin, Manville WSC, and URS. The enhancements and additional services discussed at the meetings covered monitoring for 4 years; however, due to funding constraints this cost estimate is for interim year 1 only and includes:

- A. Addition of VOCs (BTEX and MTBE), SVOCs (16 PAHs, see Attachment 1), and TPH samples from 10 wells during one of the quarterly groundwater sampling events during interim year 1. Includes modification of Sampling and Analysis Plan, field work, lab analysis, data interpretation, and inclusion of results in the Interim Year 1 Annual Report and public meeting presentation.
- B. Addition of TPH groundwater samples to be collected during the last quarterly event of interim year 1 from 10 wells. PAH samples will also be collected with each TPH sample, but PAHs (list of 16) will only be analyzed for samples with TPH detections. Includes field work, lab analysis, data interpretation, and inclusion of results in the Interim Year 1 Annual Report and public meeting presentation.
- C. Re-evaluate estimation of threshold levels. Proposed, revised threshold levels for each geochemical water quality constituent listed in Attachment 1 will be estimated for two separate populations of wells for upgradient and downgradient conditions. A two tier threshold system will be used where the first tier threshold level will be equal to the median value plus two standard deviations for each well population. The second tier threshold level will be equal to the maximum value plus two standard deviations for each well population. Threshold levels will not be estimated for VOCs, SVOCs, and TPH. However, these organic constituents will be compared to the Texas Risk Reduction Program (TRRP) residential groundwater ingestion protective concentration levels (PCLs) as applicable. Revised threshold levels and applicable PCLs will be presented in the Year 1 Annual Report and at a public meeting.
- D. Not used, reserved for rain-triggered sampling.
- E. Addition of 2 wells to the existing network of 10 wells used to map the groundwater potentiometric surface and flow gradients of the Colorado River Alluvial Aquifer in the area of the TXI Hornsby Bend mine, and area west and north of Manville WSC well 5852314 (Lawrence Well). The additional wells would be professionally surveyed to determine their location and top of casing elevation. Each additional well will be included in the last two interim year 1 quarterly water level surveys. Groundwater elevation data from the expanded well network will ideally provide a broader depiction of the potentiometric surface and a more accurate interpretation of

URS Corporation 9400 Amberglen Boulevard Austin, TX 78729 Tel: 512.454.4797 Fax: 512.454.8807 www.urscorp.com groundwater flow directions. The location of the two additional wells is not yet determined. Includes field work, professional surveyor services, data interpretation, and inclusion of results in the Year 1 Annual Report and public meeting presentation.

URS' costs for these additional services are provided in Attachment 2 and include cost estimates for interim year 1 for each additional service A to E.

These enhancements to the current environmental monitoring services will result in an estimated cost increase of approximately \$23,073.18 and a new total cost of \$191,363.03 for the four years of proposed environmental monitoring services from June 2012 to June 2016.

Respectfully,

**URS** Corporation a

Kevin Pasternak, PG Project Manager (512) 419-5293)

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Tyler P. Jones, PG Vice President, Remediation Department Manager

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## **ATTACHMENT 1**

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PAHs	Geochemical Water Quality Constituent
Acenaphthene	Calcium
Acenaphthylene	Magnesium
Anthracene	Sodium
Benz-a-anthracene	Chloride
Benzo-a-pyrene	Fluoride
Benzo-b-fluoranthene	Nitrate
Benzo-g,h,i-perylene	Sulfate
Benzo-k-fluoranthene	Bicarbonate
Chrysene	Carbonate
Dibenz(a,h)anthracene	Ammonia
Fluoranthene	Total Suspended Solids
Fluorene	Total Dissolved Solids
Indeno-1,2,3-cd-pyrene	
Naphthalene	
Phenanthrene	
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## **ATTACHMENT 2**

## **Compensation for Additional Services**

Year	Additional Services	Description	Unit Price/ Quantity	Amount	Notes
Interim 1	A	Addition of BTEX, MTBE, PAHs, and TPH groundwater samples.	\$14,476.48 /1 event	\$14,476.48	One event, 10 wells.
Interim 1	В	TPH and PAH samples. PAHs will only be analyzed for samples with TPH detection.	\$4,012.28/ 1 event	\$4,012.28	One event, 10 wells, assumes 2 samples with TPH detection.
Interim 1	С	Revise threshold levels for each geochemical water quality constituent.	\$1,537.34/ 1 time	\$1,537.34	
Interim 1	D	Not used, Rain-Triggered Sampling			
Interim 1	E	Addition of 2 wells to water level survey network.	\$1,527.84/ 2 wells	\$3,047.08	Includes survey of well location.
Interim 1	A, B, C, D, E	Interim Year 1 Total Cost Increase for Additional Services		\$23,073.18	

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# Funds Reservation 300000531

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Entered by	GARDNET	Created on 03/14/2013
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Text Modifi	cation 3-URS Corp - Colorado	River Cooridor
Reference		
Overall Amount	20,026.10 L	JSD

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Commitment item	511900	Funds center	1490110001
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Cost center	1490110001	Due on	
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Amount	20,026.10 USD		

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ISSUED BY: PURCHASING			
700 LAVACA AUSTIN, TX 7	ST., STE 800 TEL. NO:	SING AGENT ASST: Jason G. Walker : (512) 854-9700 : (512) 854-9185	DATE PREPARED: March 20, 2013
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9400 Amberglen	1 Blvd.	3	CONTRACT: July 5, 2011
Austin, TX 7872	;9		July 5, 2011
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FOR TRAVIS COUNTY INTERN			
Original Contract Amount: <u>\$60,865.</u>	<u>74</u> Current N	Modified Amount <u>\$250,681.69</u> .	
DESCRIPTION OF CHANGI	ES: Except as provided he	erein, all terms, conditions, and provision	as of the document referenced above as heretofore
modified, remain unchanged and	d in full force and effect.		
A. The additional Services A	A, B, and C, as outlined	d in Consultant's Modified Scope of S	Services, attached hereto and made a part
hereof are hereby added to the	he contract. As a resul	It of these additional Services A, B,	and C, contract Basic Services pricing is
adjusted as follows:			
1. Reference EXHIBIT 1, SI	ECTION 1 - COMPEN	SATION FOR BASIC SERVICES:	
1.1. The listed fixed fee	amount of \$228,745.57		, 6/19/12) is modified to \$248,619.56, an
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#### Attachment A

#### Modified Scope of Services

The modified scope of services for Environmental Monitoring Services for the Colorado River Corridor Plan for each year is as follows.

#### **Interim Year 1**

The additional services include:

- A. Addition of VOCs (BTEX and MTBE), SVOCs (16 PAHs, see Exhibit 1), and TPH samples from 10 wells during one of the quarterly groundwater sampling events during interim year 1. Includes modification of Sampling and Analysis Plan, field work, lab analysis, data interpretation, and inclusion of results in the Interim Year 1 Annual Report and public meeting presentation.
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#### Exhibit 1

#### List of PAHs and Geochemical Water Quality Constituent

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Acenaphthene	Calcium
Acenaphthylene	Magnesium
Anthracene	Sodium
Benz-a-anthracene	Chloride
Benzo-a-pyrene	Fluoride
Benzo-b-fluoranthene	Nitrate
Benzo-g,h,i-perylene	Sulfate
Benzo-k-fluoranthene	Bicarbonate
Chrysene	Carbonate
Dibenz(a,h)anthracene	Ammonia
Fluoranthene	Total Suspended Solids
Fluorene	Total Dissolved Solids
Indeno-1,2,3-cd-pyrene	
Naphthalene	
Phenanthrene	
Pyrene	