

# Alachua County, FL

12 SE 1st Street Gainesville, Florida

## Agenda Item Summary

File #: 23-00705 Agenda Date: 11/14/2023

## **Agenda Item Name:**

Ranking of Request for Proposal (RFP) 23-414 Architecture and Engineering Services for the Kincaid Loop Trail for Public Works.

#### Presenter:

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## Description:

Ranking and authorize staff to negotiate an agreement for RFP 23-414 Architecture and Engineering Services for the Kincaid Loop Trail for Public Works.

#### **Recommended Action:**

Approve the ranking and authorize staff to negotiate an agreement for RFP 23-414 Architecture and Engineering Services for the Kincaid Loop Trail for Public Works:

- 1. Bentley Group, Inc.
- 2. Kimley-Horn and Associates, Inc.
- 3. Jones, Edmunds & Associates, Inc.

Authorize staff to negotiate an agreement with the top ranked firm. Should the staff be unable to negotiate a satisfactory agreement with the top-ranked firm, negotiations with the unsuccessful firm will be terminated. Negotiations with the second-ranked firm may be undertaken in the same manner in order of ranking until an agreement is reached, and so forth.

#### **Prior Board Motions:**

N/A

#### **Fiscal Note:**

Project is funded in 5-Cent Local Option Gas Tax Fund in account: 350.79.7910.541.63.01, Project: 9197902-FY19-2 - Bike/Pedestrian Projects, Fiscal Year 2019, Kincaid Loop Trail with estimated total project budget of \$3,078,551.

## Strategic Guide:

Infrastructure

### **Background:**

This solicitation is to design and permit approximately 3.34 miles of 10 food wide multi-use path, and

related stormwater improvements, on the following three corridors, also known as Kincaid Loop:

- On the west side of SE 15th Street from northern Boulware Springs entrance to SE 41st Avenue (Payne's Prairie entrance)
- On the south side of SE 41st Avenue from SE 15th Street (Payne's Prairie entrance) to SE 27th Street
- On the east side of SE 27th Street from SE 41st Avenue to SE Hawthorne Road

RFP 23-414 Architecture and Engineering Services for the Kincaid Loop Trail was released May 10, 2023. The deadline for receipt of RFP 23-414 Architecture and Engineering Services for the Kincaid Loop Trail was July 5, 2023; four (4) vendors responded.

The project details can be found here:

https://procurement.opengov.com/portal/alachuacounty/projects/44069