RESOLUTION NO. 2021-065

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COCOA, FLORIDA; AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO APPROVE AND EXECUTE CHANGE ORDERS TO THE PRIMARY CONSTRUCTION CONTRACT AND ANY ADDITIONAL SERVICE CONTRACTS RELATED TO THE COMPLETION OF THE PROJECT REGARDING THE REHABILITATION SERVICES TO THE EXISTING SULFURAETORS AT THE WEWAHOOTEE WATER TREATMENT PLANT; PROJECT NO. WS21WS, IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED THE TOTAL AMOUNT BUDGETED FOR THE PROJECT BY THE CITY COUNCIL INCLUSIVE OF THE TEN PERCENT CONTINGENCY SET ASIDE FOR THE PROJECT; PROVIDING FOR THE REPEAL OF PRIOR INCONSISTENT RESOLUTIONS; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, Section 2-4 of the City Code provides that with respect to construction contracts approved by the City Council, the City Council may authorize by resolution the City Manager to approve change orders to the primary construction contract and any additional service contracts related to the completion of the construction project authorized by the City Council in excess of the spending authority limits under this section provided the amount is within the unexpended construction budget approved by the City Council for the project including any contingency funds approved by the City Council for said contract; and

WHEREAS, on April 27, 2021, the City Council authorized the City Manager to proceed with the Rehabilitation Services to the Existing Sulfureators at the Wewahootee WTP, Project No. WS21WS, subject to certain terms and conditions and budget adjustments approved by the City Council; and

WHEREAS, in conjunction with this authorization, the City Council desires to streamline the approval of change orders and any additional service contracts to the extent necessary in order to expedite the construction of the project; and

WHEREAS, the City Council deems it to be in the best interest of the City of Cocoa to authorize the City Manager to approve the aforementioned change orders and any additional service contracts consistent with the terms of this Resolution and Section 2-4 of the City Code even if said amounts exceed the City Manager's general spending authority approved by the City Council.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COCOA, as follows:

SECTION 1.

(A) Pursuant to Section 2-4 of the City Code, the City Manager is hereby authorized to approve any change orders to the primary construction contract and any additional service contracts related to the construction project regarding the Rehabilitation Services to the Existing Sulfureators at the Wewahootee WTP, Project No. WS21WS, provided the total amount of approved change orders and any additional service contracts do not exceed the construction budget. The construction budget is $197,950 and allows for a 10% contingency in the amount of $19,795 set aside for possible change orders, plus an additional $34,159 contingency price for a total of $251,904 for the project. This grant of spending authority shall be interpreted and construed in accordance with the provisions of Section 2-4 of the City Code.

(B) Pursuant to Section 2-4 of the City Code, the City Manager shall also provide notice of any such approved change orders and any additional service contracts to the City Council in the form of an agenda item at the next scheduled City Council meeting or as soon as practicable thereafter.

SECTION 2. All prior resolutions or prior resolutions inconsistent with this resolution are hereby repealed to the extent of the conflict.

SECTION 3. This resolution shall become effective immediately upon its adoption by the City Council of the City of Cocoa, Florida.

ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Cocoa, Florida, in a regular meeting assembled on July 27, 2021.

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Michael C. Blake, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Carie Shealy, MMC, City Clerk