February 15, 2021
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Recommendation re: Award of Bid No. 1020 to Aviation Construction & Electric LLC and for a Contract Amendment with Atkins North America Inc. for Construction Oversight of the Airfield Lighting Upgrades for Phase II of the ILS Category III project at Lakeland Linder International Airport

The Airport is upgrading its existing Instrument Landing System (ILS) to a Category III ILS, to be completed by November 1, 2021.

LLIA updated the Commission on February 1st that the design for the ILS Category III project had been separated into three (3) phases:

- Phase I - New North Airfield Lighting Vault (ALV)
- Phase II - Runway 9-27 Airfield Lighting Upgrades
- Phase III - Runway 9 Category III Approach Lighting Improvements

The Airport received approvals from Commission to proceed with Phase I and LLIA is now ready to commence Phase II, upgrading the Runway 9-27 Airfield Lighting.

The Airfield Lighting Upgrades work was advertised under Bid No. 1020 with four companies responding to the bid. The Airport's engineering firm, Atkins North America Inc. along with LLIA staff, reviewed all four bid responses. The low bidder, Aviation Construction & Electric LLC was determined to be the lowest and most responsive bidder with a bid of $1,974,590.20.

COMPANY	LOCATION		BID
AVIATION CONSTRUCTION & ELECTRIC LLC	FAYETTEVILLE, GA	$	1,974,590.20
H.L. PRUITT CORPORATION	WINTER SPRINGS, FL	$	1,994,975.00
SOUTHEAST SITE SERVICES LLC	GRAY, GA	$	2,263,530.00
PRECISION APPROACH LLC	EATONTON, GA	$	2,463,997.00

Atkins North America, Inc. will provide the construction administration services for Phase II of the project for a not to exceed amount of $321,755 under an Amendment to their existing contract.

It is recommended that the City Commission authorize the appropriate City Officials to enter into a construction contract with Aviation Construction & Electric LLC in the amount of $1,974,590.20 for Phase II, upgrading the Runway 9-27 Airfield Lighting as detailed in Bid No. 1020 subject to approvals from the Florida Department of Transportation.

It is also recommended that the City Commission authorize the appropriate City Officials to enter the Amendment with Atkins North America, Inc. in the not to exceed amount of $321,755 for the construction administration for the project subject to approvals from the Florida Department of Transportation.

No appropriations are required for this request.