

Legislation Text

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# Airport Airfield Guidance Signs Rehabilitation

## Action:

Approve a contract in the amount of \$2,083,555 to the lowest responsive bidder Brooks Berry Haynie & Associates Inc. for the Airfield Guidance Signs Rehabilitation project.

## Staff Resource(s):

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#### Explanation

- This project consists of the rehabilitation of 223 airfield guidance signs at the airport.
- Included is the removal of existing signs, the purchase and installation of guidance signs on new concrete foundations, and a warranty on the new equipment.
- On March 12, 2019, the city issued an Invitation to Bid; two bids were received.
  - G.S. 143-132 prohibits municipalities from awarding construction contracts over \$500,000 without receiving at least three competitive bids from the initial advertisement of the contract. The city may subsequently award the contract even if re-advertisements result in fewer than three competitive bids.
- The project was re-advertised on April 4, 2019, two bids were received.
- Brooks Berry Haynie & Associates Inc. was selected as the lowest responsive, responsible bidder.
- The project is anticipated to be complete by fourth quarter 2020.
- This activity is occurring on airport property, located in Council District 3.

#### **Charlotte Business INClusion**

Established SBE Goal: 3.00% Committed SBE Goal: 3.02%

This contract is largely for the purchase of airfield guidance signs as well as specialized electrical work, which yielded limited subcontracting opportunities.

Brooks Berry Haynie & Associates Inc. exceeded the established subcontracting goal, and has committed 3.02% (\$63,000) of the total contract amount to the following certified firms (Part B: Section 3.1.4. of the Charlotte Business INClusion Policy):

- Martin Landscaping (SBE, WBE) (\$33,000) (landscaping, seeding and mulching)
- Tarpon Construction (SBE) (\$30,000) (asphalt and hardscape repairs)

# Fiscal Note

Funding: Aviation Community Investment Plan