

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AWARD OF CONTRACT FOR PRELIMINARY AND  
FINAL DESIGN OF TWO BRIDGES LOCATED AT POTOMAC STREET AND  
O'BRIAN CANAL, AND PEORIA STREET AND BURLINGTON DITCH, TO ALFRED  
BENESCH & COMPANY**

**NO. 2020-12**

WHEREAS, the City of Commerce City ("City") desires to have designed Project 2015-01-PM, the scope of which includes a new bridge at Potomac Street and O'Brian Canal just north of HWY 2, as well as a bridge located on Peoria Street over the Burlington Ditch just south of East 112th Ave. ("Project");

WHEREAS, the City has engaged in a formal, competitive bidding process consistent with applicable requirements to select a contractor to complete the Project, and, after reviewing all of the bids, City staff has determined that the lowest responsive and responsible bidder whose bid provides the best value to the City is Alfred Benesch & Company ("Contractor"); and

WHEREAS, the cost to the City of the Project will exceed \$552,505.40 and, pursuant to the City's procurement policies and the City Manager's commitment to the City Council, the City Council must approve any procurement in excess of \$250,000.00;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COMMERCE CITY, COLORADO, AS FOLLOWS:

1. The City Council hereby finds and determines that the award of the contract for the Project to the Contractor is and shall be in the best interests of the residents of the City.
2. The Contractor's bid in the amount of \$552,505.40 is hereby accepted and the award of the contract for the completion of the Project in that amount to the Contractor is hereby approved, subject to successful negotiation and execution of a written contract. This resolution shall not be deemed to grant any right to or interest in the award of the contract to the Contractor until the execution of a written contract acceptable to the City Manager.
3. Upon successful finalization of the contract and approval as to form by the City Attorney, the City Manager is hereby authorized to execute, and the City Clerk to attest, the contract on behalf of the City.

RESOLVED AND PASSED THIS 18TH DAY OF MAY 2020.

CITY OF COMMERCE CITY, COLORADO

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Benjamin A. Huseman, Mayor

ATTEST

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Dylan A. Gibson, Interim City Clerk