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A RESOLUTION

Authorizing the Mayor to Sign the Local Public Agency Agreement and City Manager to Sign a Preliminary Engineering Agreement with the Illinois Department of Transportation & Kimley-Horn & Associates Inc. for Federal Participation for the Ridge Avenue Traffic Signals Improvement Project

WHEREAS, the City of Evanston seeks to utilize the Highway Safety Improvement Program Grant Funds to improve seven (7) signalized intersections along Ridge Avenue from Oakton Street to Church Street with east-west left turn signals, upgrading emergency signal pre-emption, accessible pedestrian signals, Americans with Disability Act ("ADA") improvements and other pedestrian and vehicular safety improvements including high visibility cross walks and advanced stop bars, said improvement to be identified as IDOT State Section Number: 19-00284-00-CH, State Job Number: P-91-023-20, and Project Number: 5N67(356) hereinafter referred to as the "Project"; and

WHEREAS, the State of Illinois and the City of Evanston wish to avail themselves of federal money committed to fund the Project and the City Council of the City of Evanston hereby determines it is in the best interest of the City to enter into the Preliminary Engineering Services Agreement with IDOT & Kimley-Horn & Associates Inc.; and
WHEREAS, the State of Illinois and the City of Evanston are all desirous of said Project because it will have an immediate benefit to the residents of the area and be permanent in nature,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EVANSTON, COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS:

SECTION 1: The Mayor is hereby authorized to sign and the City Clerk is hereby authorized to attest to the Local Public Agency Agreement for Federal Participation Agreement to fund the Project, attached hereto as Exhibit A and incorporated herein by reference.

SECTION 2: The City Manager is hereby authorized to sign and the City Clerk is hereby authorized to attest to the Preliminary Engineering Services Agreement for Federal Participation to fund the Project, attached hereto as Exhibit B and incorporated herein by reference.

SECTION 3: The City Manager is hereby authorized and directed to negotiate any additional conditions of the Local Public Agency Agreement and Preliminary Engineering Services Agreement as she may determine to be in the best interests of the City.

SECTION 3: That this Resolution 37-R-20 shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval in the manner provided by law.

Stephen H. Hagerty, Mayor
Attest:

Eduardo Gomez

Devon Reid, City Clerk

Eduardo Gomez, Deputy City Clerk
Adopted: April 27, 2020, 2020

Approved as to form:

Kelly A. Gandurski, Corporation Counsel
EXHIBIT A

Local Public Agency Agreement For Federal Participation
EXHIBIT B

Preliminary Engineering Services Agreement For Federal Participation