**RESOLUTION NO. 2023-155**

**A RESOLUTION FOR ENGINEERING SERVICES**

**WHEREAS,** the City of Valley Grande is applying for a Community Development Block Grant from the Alabama Department of Economic and Community Affairs (ADECA), as set forth in Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974; and

**WHEREAS,** the City of Valley Grande requires specific project engineering services in conjunction with the application of its CDBG project and, if the grant is awarded, its implementation; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Valley Grande will select an engineer for a three year term for this CDBG project;

**WHEREAS,** the City of Valley Grande solicited professional engineering services for preliminary engineering services during the application phase and, if the grant is awarded, the project’s engineering design and construction observation, as set forth in its CDBG application to support improved public infrastructure for the citizens of Valley Grande, Alabama.

**WHEREAS,** the City of Valley Grande wishes to use the Alabama Tombigbee Regional Commission to write the application and, if funded, administer the project.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** by the City of Valley Grande, as follows:

Section 1. That the engineering services proposal selection was in accordance with the Common Rule and is for a three-year period.

Section 2. That the proposal submitted by **Civil Southeast** was determined by the City of Valley Grande to be the most advantageous as per the selection criteria.

Section 3. That the City of Valley Grande **can** enter into an agreement with **Civil Southeast** for professional engineering design and construction observation services as outlined in its CDBG application **if** awarded by the ADECA.

Section 4. That Wayne Labbe, as Mayor, is authorized to negotiate and enter into an agreement with **Civil Southeast** for said professional engineering and construction observation services, upon official award of the CDBG project.

Section 5. That Wayne Labbe, as Mayor, is authorized to negotiate and enter into an agreement with the **Alabama Tombigbee Regional Commission** for administration services upon official award of the CDBG project.

This resolution is hereby passed and approved by the City of Valley Grande in official session on this the **\_\_\_\_** day of **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 2023.**

 Mayor

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City Clerk