RESOLUTION ROCK COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Public Works Committee
INITIATED BY

Public Works Committee & Parks Advisory Committee SUBMITTED BY

Betty Jo Bussie, Vice Chair



Lori Williams, Parks Director

DRAFTED BY

February 27, 2014

DATE DRAFTED

AUTHORIZING CONTRACT FOR UPDATING THE ROCK COUNTY PARK, OUTDOOR RECREATION AND OPEN SPACE (POROS) PLAN

	The Gilli Strice (FOROS) That
1 2	WHEREAS, it is good management practice for the Rock County Parks Division to have a long-range plan for its operation and assets; and,
3 4 5	WHEREAS, the current POROS Plan will expire at the end of 2014; and,
6 7 8	WHEREAS, the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources requires an updated POROS Plan to be eligible for grant applications and funding; and,
9	WHEREAS, the Parks Division of Public Works prepared the scope of services outline and the Rock County Purchasing Division did solicit qualification statements from various consultants; and,
13	WHEREAS, the Parks Division Administrative Staff did review the submittals and is recommending a contract with Design Perspectives in the amount of \$30,500; and,
16	WHEREAS, sufficient funds are included in the budget to contract with a consultant for this POROS Plan update.
19 20	NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Rock County Board of Supervisors duly assembled this
23 24	BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Rock County Board of Supervisors hereby authorizes the Parks Director, Lori Williams, via the Public Works Committee and Parks Advisory Committee, to act on behalf of Rock County to sign documents and take necessary action to undertake, direct and complete the approved project.
	Respectfully submitted,
	PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE
	Absent Endorsed by:
	Kurtis L. Yankee, Chair PARKS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

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FISCAL NOTE:

Sufficient funds are available in the Parks Capital account for the cost of this contract. This project is funded by ATC fees.

Sherry Oja Finance Director

LEGAL NOTE:

The County Board is authorized to take this action pursuant to secs. 59.01 and 59.51, Wis. Stats. Professional services are not subject to bidding requirements of 59.52(29), Stats.

Deffrey S Kuglitsch Corporation Counsel

ADMINISTRATIVE NOTE:

Recommended.

Craig Knutson County Administrator

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- EXECUTIVE SUMMARY -

The current Park, Outdoor Recreation and Open Space (POROS) Plan for 2009-2014 is up for renewal at the end of this year. The new POROS plan will cover the 2015-2020 timeframe. We need to have a valid plan in place in order to be eligible for any Department of Natural Resources grant funding.

We have completed the Request for Qualifications process to select a consultant for the project. We received three responses to our POROS Plan RFQ. Following evaluation of the RFQs, Design Perspectives from Naperville, Illinois, was selected. The selection team felt they were far and away the best choice to produce a cutting edge plan that we will be able to utilize as an active planning document to chart our path as a Parks Department over the next five years.

We have a proposed professional services contract. The scope of services includes: project startup & formulation, site inventory and recreation demand analysis, public and community visioning sessions, opinion surveys consisting of 1,900 mail surveys & 100 phone surveys, staff and committee visioning session, recreation program review, park planning analysis, capital improvement plan development, financial and operations budget development, and final plan development with implementation strategy.

The amount budgeted was \$35,000 in the 2014 Capital Improvements budget and the proposed fee is \$30,500.

The source of funds is the ATC Fund balance.

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Respectfully submitted by,

Lori Williams, Director Rock County Parks