



# Request for Council Action

Originator Engineering	Item <b>Approve Funding for 2016-201 Geotechnical Services</b>
Agenda Section	Date 2/2/2015

## Description

The City Council is requested to approve funding for geotechnical services as part of the 2016-201 Normandale Boulevard (CSAH 34) Reconstruction Project, this project was ordered by City Council on November 3, 2014.

The 2016-201 Normandale Boulevard (CSAH 34) Reconstruction project is a safety improvement project that includes the reconstruction of Normandale Boulevard from 94<sup>th</sup> Street to Nine Mile Creek. The geotechnical services for approval will involve preliminary geotechnical work for approximately 95 borings along the corridor to aid in the design for the road reconstruction, widening, trail installation and retaining wall construction.

Engineering sent solicitations to five firms for the 2016-201 Geotechnical Services. Three quotations were received by the requested deadline. The selection was based on qualifications and experience, project personnel, project understanding and cost to value. Based on these criteria Terracon Consultants Inc. is the preferred firm.

Testing costs will be paid through the 4130 account.

The contract for these services will be routed through the Legal department prior to final signatures by the City Attorney, City Manager and Consultant.

It is requested to approve the funding for geotechnical services as part of the 2016-201 Normandale Boulevard (CSAH 34) Reconstruction Project in the amount of \$90,000.

## Requested Action

Approve funding for 2016-201 Geotechnical Services for the not-to-exceed amount of \$90,000.

## Attachments: