

Councilmember \_\_\_\_\_ introduced the following resolution and moved for its adoption:

**RESOLUTION #20-165**

**RESOLUTION ACCEPTING CHANGE ORDER #1 FOR VARIOLITE STREET RECONSTRUCTION, IMPROVEMENT PROJECT #20-01**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Ramsey proposes to reconstruct Variolite Street between Alpine Drive and 173<sup>rd</sup> Avenue in 2020; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Ramsey City Council Resolution #19-219 adopted September 10, 2019, the City Council approved and authorized Staff to execute proposals from Hakanson Anderson and Associates for required topographic survey in the amount of \$12,800, and from Northern Technologies Inc. for required geotechnical work in the amount of \$29,750; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Ramsey City Council Resolution #19-285 adopted December 10, 2019, the City Council ordered the City Engineer to prepare a Feasibility Report for Improvement Project #20-01, Variolite Street Reconstruction; and

**WHEREAS**, the Ramsey Public Works Committee directed Staff to explore options for reducing speeds and improving pedestrian accommodations along Variolite Street; and

**WHEREAS**, one of the primary purposes of a Feasibility Report is to explore alternative design options and provide recommendations on which options to construct; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Ramsey City Council Resolution #20-071 adopted April 14, 2020, the City Council accepted the Feasibility Report and ordered the City Engineer to prepare plans and specifications for Improvement Project #20-01, Variolite Street Reconstruction; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Ramsey City Council Resolution #20-089 adopted May 12, 2020, the City Council approved plans and specifications and authorized advertisements for bids for said improvements; and

**WHEREAS**, bids were advertised in the Anoka Union Herald and in Finance and Commerce on May 15 and May 22, 2020; and

**WHEREAS**, bids were received, opened, and tabulated on June 5, 2020, and the following bids were found to comply with the advertisement for bids; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Ramsey City Council Resolution #20-124 adopted June 9, 2020, Park Construction Company of Minneapolis, Minnesota, was awarded the construction contract in the amount of \$2,811,859.49 for said improvements in accordance with the approved plans and specifications and advertisement for bids, including Alternate Bid A and Alternate Bid B; and

**WHEREAS**, Change Order #1 in the amount of \$43,410.80 will prevent impacts to existing trees, landscaping, and private utilities, and will prevent the need to reconstruct a portion of Variolite Street in the future by extending trunk sanitary sewer 160 linear feet to the north, and will allow for the connection to City sewer and water services as requested by the residents at 7600 163<sup>rd</sup> Lane NW.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RAMSEY, ANOKA COUNTY, STATE OF MINNESOTA, as follows:**

- 1) That the City Council hereby approves Change Order #1 in the total amount of \$43,410.80 for Park Construction Company to extend trunk sanitary sewer 160 linear feet to the north, and to add sanitary sewer and water service lines to allow connection to municipal utilities at 7600 163<sup>rd</sup> Lane NW.

The motion for the adoption of the foregoing resolution was duly seconded by Councilmember \_\_\_\_\_, and upon vote being taken thereon, the following voted in favor thereof:

and the following voted against the same:

and the following abstained:

and the following were absent:

Whereupon said resolution was declared duly passed and adopted by the Ramsey City Council this the 10th day of August, 2020.

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Mayor

**ATTEST:**

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City Clerk