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April 20, 2012

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**RE: South Carothers Parkway, Roadway Design**  
From south of Falcon Crest Development  
To north of the Ladd Development  
City of Franklin, Tennessee  
Williamson County

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Vice President

Enclosure

## PROPOSED IMPROVEMENTS

### *Project length 9,000+/- L.F. (includes 1,300+/-L.F. of side road)*

Design development of this project will be based on preliminary design documents prepared by Sullivan Engineering, Inc. as submitted to the City of Franklin for review and acceptance in fiscal year 2007 - 2008. This project is a new alignment beginning south of the Falcon Crest Development and extending 7,700+/- l.f. south to a point of intersection with Truman Lane in the Ladd Development as noted on the City's Major Thoroughfare Plan. The city's Major Thoroughfare Plan classifies South Carothers Parkway as an urban collector street with a design speed of forty-five (45-MPH) miles per hour.

The proposed roadway template will modify the original design template of two (12'-0") basic lanes in each direction with four (4') foot bicycle lanes along each side flanked with 6-30 curb and gutters within a one hundred thirty foot (130), foot minimum right-of-way. Additional grading shall be performed for the future 30'-0" raised sod median and south bound lanes inclusive of the multiuse path. As a result of the modification to the template the original drainage design shall be re-evaluated and modified as necessary for special ditches to insure positive drainage. With property acquisition being completed for the original design all attempts will be made to work within existing parameters, however; additional easements may be required at various locations throughout the construction limits.

The storm drainage design shall be based on a ten year design storm frequency with all cross drains based on a fifty year design storm frequency. All storm drainage and erosion control shall be done in accordance with current water quality regulations. As part of this original design project an environmental and archeological assessment was conducted in accordance with current State of Tennessee Department of Transportation guidelines and shall be used as is within this design.

Original design documents included dual structures with multi-spans, across the Harpeth River, which later included utilities to be hung between the beams. The original design did not include the utility aspect therefore, as this was added a later date the utility loads had to be spread over both structures. Since it is proposed to construct the north bound only no changes or analysis are anticipated with this scope of services. However, should conditions change and additional utilities are to be included on the north bound structure an allowance has been established to perform a structural analysis. If load capacity is exceeded as a result of the additional utility installations the structure would require a redesign.

All front slopes shall be a 3:1 minimum extending to the clear zone. All areas disturbed during the construction of this project shall receive topsoil and sod. Temporary seeding will be used as necessary for water quality control measures as the construction process progresses. Vertical and horizontal alignments shall be designed for a 45-mile per hour design speed with emphasis placed on minimizing the impact to adjoining property owners. Horizontal and vertical design criteria shall be in accordance with approved guidelines established within the TN. Dept. of Transportation.

It is not anticipated at this time, a need for any storm water drainage system other than Class III Reinforced Concrete Pipe. However, box or slab culverts may be required for construction of the cross drain drainage system. Box or slab culverts used in the construction of this project shall be selected from standard design culverts available from the TN. Dept. of Transportation Standards.

Roadway Improvements may require the relocation of water, gas, sewer, telephone and cable TV lines. All utility relocation design shall be the responsibility of the owner or their assigned representative and not within the scope of the proposal.

Currently no utilities exist along the proposed South Carothers Parkway corridor, however; roadway

improvements of this magnitude will typically include construction of future major electrical, water, gas, sewer, telephone and cable TV lines including customer service connections. However roadway improvements at exiting local street connections may require the relocation of water, gas, sewer, telephone and cable TV lines. All utility relocation design shall be the responsibility of the owner or their assigned representative and not within the scope of the proposal.

Also, it is noted that in keeping with the City's Traffic Operation Center, a conduit for fiber optic communications cable shall be provided behind the curb for future traffic signals. This provision will facilitate the City's efforts to include the corridor's traffic signals in a future traffic signal system.

## **STRUCTURAL ENGINEERING AND HYDRAULIC ANALYSIS SCOPE OF SERVICES**

(Services for the engineering effort required for hydraulic and bridge analysis).

It is proposed to make any changes to the north bound bridge, therefore efforts will be limited to completion of the construction bid documents based on the current design.

Bridge analysis (allowance) associated with relocating all utilities from the dual bridges (north and south bound) to the original design of the northbound bridge has been included in the event all utilities are relocated. Supplemental design services (if required) for redesign of the northbound bridge will be determined at a later date if the analysis of the original structure design fails as a result of the increased loads.

Based on initial research it is not anticipated that the original hydraulic model will not require any additional submittals for approval by governing authorities. However, as a result of the design change based on construction of the southbound abutments only the water quality permits will need to be modified and resubmitted for approval.

Construction Services are not included in this proposal, however, our design teams is experienced with construction services and Construction Engineering Inspection (CEI) and can provide these services.

## **SCOPE OF WORK**

All documents will be developed in accordance with City of Franklin and current T.D.O.T. (English) Design Guidelines, Standard Drawings and Special Provision in the development of this project. The following list is representative of documents to be generated in the development of a construction bid package.

### **1) Title Sheet**

- a) Right-of-Way/Construction

### **2) Typical Sections**

- a) Mainline
- b) Cross-Road
- c) Traffic Control
- d) Private Drives/Field Entrances/Business Entrances
- e) Paving Schedule
  - i) Construction Documents Only

### **3) Construction Details**

- a) Special Details
- b) General and Special Notes
- c) Scope of Work
- d) Itemized T.D.O.T. Standard Drawings List
- e) Itemized Construction Quantities
  - i) At completion of Construction Documents

### **4) Tabulated Data**

- a) Private Drives/Field Entrances/Business Entrances
- b) Erosion Control
- c) Traffic Control
- d) Roadside Ditch and Cross Drainage
- e) Paving Quantities
- f) Signing & Pavement Markings
- g) Estimated Construction Quantities

### **5) Property Map**

- a) Right-of-Way Notes
- b) Acquisition Block
  - i) Footnote erosion control easements.
  - ii) Footnote temporary construction easements.
- c) Identify parcels impacted by construction
- d) Update property owner information

### **6) Present Layout**

- a) Scale 1" = 50'
- b) Existing topographic data and boundary information
- c) Proposed Right-of-Way/Easement requirements

### **7) Proposed North Bound Bridge Layout/Drainage**

- a) Scale as required'
- b) Construction details as required
- c) Coordination with Government Agencies as required



**8) Proposed Layout/Drainage**

- a) Scale 1"=50'
- b) Construction details as required
- c) Permanent Pavement Markings
- d) Permanent Signing
- e) Drainage
  - i) Special ditch
  - ii) Storm
  - iii) Cross Drainage system
  - iv) Bridge layout

**9) Proposed Profiles/Drainage**

- a) Scale (1"=50'Horiz. & 1"=5'Vert.)
- b) Storm and Cross Drainage systems
- c) Existing utilities
- d) Drainage tabulation tables
- e) Hydraulic data

**10) Private Drive Entrance Profiles**

- a) Scale (1"=50'Horiz. & 1"=5'Vert.)
- b) All Drives will be surfaced in accordance with TDOT Design Guidelines
- c) Side drain requirements

**11) Culvert Sections (as required)**

- a) Reinforced concrete pipe Class III
- b) Box or slab TDOT approved culverts
- c) Hydraulic data

**12) Cross-Sections**

- a) Modify existing drawings to show proposed and future
  - i) 50' Intervals
- b) Geotechnical data to be included
- c) To be included in:
  - i) Right-of-Way Design Phase
  - ii) Construction Design Phase

**13) Utility Information Plan**

- a) Schematic plan prepared by SEI.
  - i) Schematic plan to be based on data furnished SEI by the various utility companies.

**14) Topographic Survey**

- a) Update
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**15) Drainage Map**

- a) Major basins as required

**16) Project Reviews**

- a) Right-Of-Way

- b) Construction
- c) As required with City Officials

**17) Project Coordination and Management**

- a) By SEI & City of Franklin
- b) Coordinate with appropriate Government agencies as required

**18) Traffic Control**

- a) In accordance with the "Uniform Manual on Traffic Control Devices"
- b) Maintain Traffic During Construction
  - i) Temporary one lane Traffic during Daytime operations
  - ii) Two lane Traffic during Nighttime operations
- c) Per local, state and federal guidelines

**19) Erosion Control**

- a) Per Current City of Franklin and T.D.E.C. Guidelines
- b) Prepare necessary State and Federal Permits
  - i) Submittal and fees by City of Franklin

**20) Construction Bid Documents by SEI**

- a) Unit Price Bid
- b) T.D.O.T. pay item units and descriptions
- c) Bid documents per City format

**Exclusions:**

- Aerial survey
- Offsite drainage study
- Utility relocation design
- Roadway Lighting
- Water quality mitigation
- Structures (retaining walls)
- Signalization Design
- Traffic counts, analysis and projections
- Geotechnical Explorations/Paving Design
- Environmental and Erosion Control mitigation design plans
- Environmental Assessment/Document Review
- Air and Noise Environmental Assessment
- Remediation of karsts features

**CONSTRUCTION AND DESIGN  
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<b>South Carothers Parkway</b>		
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<b>TASK</b>	<b>DAYS TO COMPLETION</b>	<b>DATE OF COMPLETION</b>
Issue work order (1)		6/1/2012
Begin Survey	3	6/4/2012
Preliminary Survey Due	14	6/18/2012
Begin Preliminary Design	-17	6/1/2012
<b>Review preliminary Design with City Officials</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>6/22/2012</b>
Advertise for Design Public Hearing (N/A)	0	6/22/2012
Hold Design Public Meeting (N/A)	0	6/22/2012
Receive Design Public Meeting Comments (N/A)	0	6/22/2012
Finish Survey	3	6/25/2012
Begin Utility Design Coordination	-3	6/22/2012
Finish Preliminary Design (N/A)	0	6/22/2012
<b>Begin Right-of-Way Design (2)</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>6/22/2012</b>
Begin Water Quality Permit Process	0	6/22/2012
Submit for Right-of-Way Field Review	21	7/13/2012
Hold Right-of-Way Field Review	5	7/18/2012
<b>Finish Final Right-of-Way Plans</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>7/23/2012</b>
Begin Property Appraisals	-31	6/22/2012
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<b>Begin Construction Plans</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7/23/2012</b>
Complete Property Appraisals	0	7/23/2012
Begin Property Acquisition	1	7/24/2012
Submit for Construction Field Review	75	10/7/2012
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Advertise to Bid Contract	7	11/11/2012
<b>Open Bid</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>12/11/2012</b>
Issue Construction Work Order	30	1/10/2013
Hold Preconstruction Meeting	14	1/24/2013
Substantial completion Review	425	3/25/2014
<b>Complete Construction</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>4/24/2014</b>

**NOTES:**

- (1) Schedule to be adjusted based on actual issue date of work order.
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## **PROPOSED IMPROVEMENTS**

### **Project length 9,000+/- L.F. (includes 1,300+/-L.F. of side road)**

Design development of this project will be based on preliminary design documents prepared by Sullivan Engineering, Inc. as submitted to the City of Franklin for review and acceptance in fiscal year 2007 - 2008. This project is a new alignment beginning south of the Falcon Crest Development and extending 7,700+/- l.f. south to a point of intersection with Truman Lane in the Ladd Development as noted on the City's Major Thoroughfare Plan. The city's Major Thoroughfare Plan classifies South Carothers Parkway as an urban collector street with a design speed of forty-five (45-MPH) miles per hour.

The proposed roadway template will modify the original design template of two (12'-0") basic lanes in each direction with four (4') foot bicycle lanes along each side flanked with 6-30 curb and gutters within a one hundred thirty foot (130), foot minimum right-of-way. The revised typical section shall consist of two (12'-0") basic lanes with 3-foot shoulders in each direction separated by a 30-foot median contained within a one hundred thirty foot (130), foot minimum right-of-way. Although construction/paving operations will be limited to the north bound lanes additional grading shall be performed for the future 30-foot sod median and south bound lanes. As a result of the modification to the template the original drainage design shall be re-worked and modified as necessary for special ditches to insure positive drainage. With property acquisition being completed for the original design all attempts will be made to work within existing parameters, however; additional easements may be required at various locations throughout the construction limits.

The storm drainage design shall be based on a ten year design storm frequency with all cross drains based on a fifty year design storm frequency. All storm drainage and erosion control shall be done in accordance with current water quality regulations. As part of this original design project an environmental and archeological assessment was conducted in accordance with current State of Tennessee Department of Transportation guidelines and shall be used as is within this design.

Original design documents included dual structures with multi-spans, across the Harpeth River, which later included utilities to be hung between the beams. The original design did not include the utility aspect therefore, as this was added a later date the utility loads had to be spread over both structures. Since it is proposed to construct the north bound only no changes or analysis are anticipated with this scope of services. However, should conditions change and additional utilities are to be included on the north bound structure an allowance has been established to perform a structural analysis. If load capacity is exceeded as a result of the additional utility installations the structure would require a redesign.

All front slopes shall be a 3:1 minimum extending to the clear zone. All areas disturbed during the construction of this project shall receive topsoil and sod. Temporary seeding will be used as necessary for water quality control measures as the construction process progresses. Vertical and horizontal alignments shall be designed for a 45-mile per hour design speed with emphasis placed on minimizing the impact to adjoining property owners. Horizontal and vertical design criteria shall be in accordance with approved guidelines established within the TN. Dept. of Transportation.

It is not anticipated at this time, a need for any storm water drainage system other than Class III Reinforced Concrete Pipe. However, box or slab culverts may be required for construction of the cross drain drainage system. Box or slab culverts used in the construction of this project shall be selected from standard design culverts available from the TN. Dept. of Transportation Standards.

Roadway Improvements may require the relocation of water, gas, sewer, telephone and cable TV lines. All utility relocation design shall be the responsibility of the owner or their assigned representative and

not within the scope of the proposal.

Currently no utilities exist along the proposed South Carothers Parkway corridor, however; roadway improvements of this magnitude will typically include construction of future major electrical, water, gas, sewer, telephone and cable TV lines including customer service connections. However roadway improvements at exiting local street connections may require the relocation of water, gas, sewer, telephone and cable TV lines. All utility relocation design shall be the responsibility of the owner or their assigned representative and not within the scope of the proposal.

Also, it is noted that in keeping with the City's Traffic Operation Center, a conduit for fiber optic communications cable shall be provided for future traffic signals. This provision will facilitate the City's efforts to include the corridor's traffic signals in a future traffic signal system.

### **STRUCTURAL ENGINEERING AND HYDRAULIC ANALYSIS SCOPE OF SERVICES**

(Services for the engineering effort required for hydraulic and bridge analysis).

It is proposed to make any changes to the north bound bridge, therefore efforts will be limited to completion of the construction bid documents based on the current design.

Bridge analysis (allowance) associated with relocating all utilities from the dual bridges (north and south bound) to the original design of the northbound bridge has been included in the event all utilities are relocated. Supplemental design services (if required) for redesign of the northbound bridge will be determined at a later date if the analysis of the original structure design fails as a result of the increased loads.

Based on initial research it is not anticipated that the original hydraulic model will not require any additional submittals for approval by governing authorities. However, as a result of the design change based on construction of the southbound abutments only the water quality permits will need to be modified and resubmitted for approval.

Construction Services are not included in this proposal, however, our design teams is experienced with construction services and Construction Engineering Inspection (CEI) and can provide these services.

### **SCOPE OF WORK**

All documents will be developed in accordance with City of Franklin and current T.D.O.T. (English) Design Guidelines, Standard Drawings and Special Provision in the development of this project. The following list is representative of documents to be generated in the development of a construction bid package.

**1) Title Sheet**

- a) Right-of-Way/Construction

**2) Typical Sections**

- a) Mainline
- b) Cross-Road
- c) Traffic Control
- d) Private Drives/Field Entrances/Business Entrances
- e) Paving Schedule
  - i) Construction Documents Only

**3) Construction Details**

- a) Special Details
- b) General and Special Notes
- c) Scope of Work
- d) Itemized T.D.O.T. Standard Drawings List
- e) Itemized Construction Quantities
  - i) At completion of Construction Documents

**4) Tabulated Data**

- a) Private Drives/Field Entrances/Business Entrances
- b) Erosion Control
- c) Traffic Control
- d) Roadside Ditch and Cross Drainage
- e) Paving Quantities
- f) Signing & Pavement Markings
- g) Estimated Construction Quantities

**5) Property Map**

- a) Right-of-Way Notes
- b) Acquisition Block
  - i) Footnote erosion control easements.
  - ii) Footnote temporary construction easements.
- c) Identify parcels impacted by construction
- d) Update property owner information

**6) Present Layout**

- a) Scale 1" = 50'
- b) Existing topographic data and boundary information
- c) Proposed Right-of-Way/Easement requirements

**7) Proposed North Bound Bridge Layout/Drainage**

- a) Scale as required
- b) Construction details as required
- c) Coordination with Government Agencies as required

**8) Proposed Layout/Drainage**

- a) Scale 1"=50'
- b) Construction details as required
- c) Permanent Pavement Markings
- d) Permanent Signing
- e) Drainage
  - i) Special ditch
  - ii) Storm
  - iii) Cross Drainage system
  - iv) Bridge layout

**9) Proposed Profiles/Drainage**

- a) Scale (1"=50'Horiz. & 1"=5'Vert.)
- b) Storm and Cross Drainage systems
- c) Existing utilities
- d) Drainage tabulation tables
- e) Hydraulic data

**10) Private Drive Entrance Profiles**

- a) Scale (1"=50'Horiz. & 1"=5'Vert.)
- b) All Drives will be surfaced in accordance with TDOT Design Guidelines
- c) Side drain requirements

**11) Culvert Sections (as required)**

- a) Reinforced concrete pipe Class III
- b) Box or slab TDOT approved culverts
- c) Hydraulic data

**12) Cross-Sections**

- a) Show proposed and future
  - i) 50' Intervals
- b) Geotechnical data to be included
- c) To be included in:
  - i) Right-of-Way Design Phase
  - ii) Construction Design Phase

**13) Utility Information Plan**

- a) Schematic plan prepared by SEI.
  - i) Schematic plan to be based on data furnished SEI by the various utility companies.

**14) Topographic Survey**

- a) Update
  - i) Property owner and Utility contact information
    - (1) Update per field observations
  - ii) Initial property owner and utility owner contacts

**15) Drainage Map**

- a) Major basins as required

**16) Project Reviews**

- a) Right-Of-Way

- b) Construction
- c) As required with City Officials

**17) Project Coordination and Management**

- a) By SEI & City of Franklin
- b) Coordinate with appropriate Government agencies as required

**18) Traffic Control**

- a) In accordance with the “Uniform Manual on Traffic Control Devices”
- b) Maintain Traffic During Construction
  - i) Temporary one lane Traffic during Daytime operations
  - ii) Two lane Traffic during Nighttime operations
- c) Per local, state and federal guidelines

**19) Erosion Control**

- a) Per Current City of Franklin and T.D.E.C. Guidelines
- b) Prepare necessary State and Federal Permits
  - i) Submittal and fees by City of Franklin

**20) Construction Bid Documents by SEI**

- a) Unit Price Bid
- b) T.D.O.T. pay item units and descriptions
- c) Bid documents per City format

**Exclusions:**

- Aerial survey
- Offsite drainage study
- Utility relocation design
- Roadway Lighting
- Water quality mitigation
- Structures (retaining walls)
- Signalization Design
- Traffic counts, analysis and projections
- Geotechnical Explorations/Paving Design
- Environmental and Erosion Control mitigation design plans
- Environmental Assessment/Document Review
- Air and Noise Environmental Assessment
- Remediation of karsts features

**CONSTRUCTION AND DESIGN  
SCHEDULE**

<b>South Carothers Parkway</b>		
<b>Project length 9,000+/- L.F. ( 1,300+/-L.F. of side road)</b>		
<b>TASK</b>	<b>DAYS TO COMPLETION</b>	<b>DATE OF COMPLETION</b>
Issue work order (1)		6/1/2012
Begin Survey	3	6/4/2012
Preliminary Survey Due	14	6/18/2012
Begin Preliminary Design	-17	6/1/2012
<b>Review preliminary Design with City Officials</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>7/31/2012</b>
Advertise for Design Public Hearing (N/A)	0	7/31/2012
Hold Design Public Meeting (N/A)	0	7/31/2012
Receive Design Public Meeting Comments (N/A)	0	7/31/2012
Finish Survey	3	8/3/2012
Begin Utility Design Coordination	-3	7/31/2012
Finish Preliminary Design (N/A)	30	8/30/2012
<b>Begin Right-of-Way Design (2)</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>8/30/2012</b>
Begin Water Quality Permit Process	0	8/30/2012
Submit for Right-of-Way Field Review	45	10/14/2012
Hold Right-of-Way Field Review	5	10/19/2012
<b>Finish Final Right-of-Way Plans</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>11/2/2012</b>
Begin Property Appraisals	-31	10/2/2012
Submit Water Quality Permits to TDEC	31	11/2/2012
<b>Begin Construction Plans</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>11/2/2012</b>
Complete Property Appraisals	0	11/2/2012
Begin Property Acquisition	1	11/3/2012
Submit for Construction Field Review	90	2/1/2013
<b>Complete Property Acquisition</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2/1/2013</b>
Incorporate Construction Plans Per Review and Acquisition Comments	21	2/22/2013
Complete Utility Design Coordination	0	2/22/2013
<b>Submit Final Construction Plans</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>3/8/2013</b>
Advertise to Bid Contract	7	3/15/2013
<b>Open Bid</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>4/14/2013</b>
Issue Construction Work Order	30	5/14/2013
Hold Preconstruction Meeting	14	5/28/2013
Substantial completion Review	425	7/27/2014
<b>Complete Construction</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>8/26/2014</b>

**NOTES:**


- (1) Schedule to be adjusted based on actual issue date of work order.
- (2) Submit A.R.A.P. / 404 Permit / Driveway Permit, etc.





May 1, 2012

TO: Board of Mayor and Aldermen

FROM: Eric Stuckey, City Administrator   
David Parker, P.E., City Engineer/CIP Executive  
Paul Holzen, P.E., Director of Engineering  
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SUBJECT: Consideration of 2-Lane Roadway Options for South Carothers Parkway

**Purpose**

The purpose of this memo is to provide information to the Board of Mayor and Aldermen (BOMA) about 2-lane design options for the section of South Carothers Parkway, which stretches from Falcon Creek subdivision to the Highlands at Ladd Park.

**Background**

In 2007, the City of Franklin entered into a Professional Services Agreement (PSA) with Sullivan Engineering, Inc. (SEI) to provide full engineering design services and documents for the South Carothers Project, with project limits from the Falcon Creek subdivision to the Highlands at Ladd Park subdivision. In 2009, a separate PSA was approved to allow SEI to design a section of South Carothers Parkway, which is contained within the Highlands at Ladd Park subdivision. The ultimate design for South Carothers Parkway called for 2-12 foot lanes in each direction, raised median, sidewalk, a multi-use path, curb and gutter, and lighting.

However, recent economic times and the constant need to stretch available funding, has compelled the City to explore other design alternatives. The two basic design alternatives to consider are:

- Option 1 – 2 Lanes Curb & Gutter and single sidewalk with grading to support future 4-lane section
- Option 2 – 2 Lane Ditch section, no sidewalk, with grading to support future 4-lane section

It is important to realize that both alternatives will utilize the northbound lanes of the ultimate 4-lane roadway; this will minimize future waste. Both alternatives can be designed and constructed with or without roadway lighting. While some modification is necessary for both alternative designs, much more is required for the open ditch section. Also, the open ditch alternative, while more affordable upfront, comes with some unique challenges. The right-of-way for this project was purchased with a 4-lane, curb and gutter typical section in mind. Modifying the design to allow for ditches may necessitate the purchase of additional construction and/or slope easements. The alternative would be to keep all slopes within existing right-of-way, which could potentially create maintenance difficulties (i.e. mowing steep slopes). Steep slopes and clear zone issues could require the use of guardrail along portion of the project. These issues will not be known until the design progresses.

Choosing either 2-lane alternative will require design modifications. Those design costs, along with the most recent construction estimates are provided below.



**Financial Impact**

The costs as negotiated with SEI for the design & additional services and the latest construction estimates are as follows:

- Option 1 – Two Lane Curb & Gutter, Single Sidewalk, Grading to support future 4-lanes
  - Additional Design: \$262,970.00 (Incl. \$34,640.00 Lighting Design Allowance)
  - Construction Estimate: \$12,100,000.00 (Incl. \$500,000.00 Lighting Alternate)
  - TOTAL: \$12,362,970.00 (Incl. \$534,640.00 for Lighting)
  
- Option 2 – Two Lane Ditch Section, No Sidewalk, Grading to support future 4-lanes
  - Additional Design: \$406,350.00 (Incl. \$34,640.00 Lighting Design Allowance)
  - Construction Estimate: \$11,000,000.00 (Incl. \$500,000.00 Lighting Alternate)
  - TOTAL: \$11,406,350.00 (Incl. \$534,640.00 for Lighting)

Also, the existing PSAs with SEI, for the design of the full 4-lane South Carothers, have a remaining contractual value of \$49,148.14.

**Recommendation**

If the BOMA chooses to proceed with one of the options presented above, staff recommends terminating the open design services PSAs with SEI and transferring the remaining funds to the selected option. Also, staff recommends that BOMA authorize the City Administrator to enter into a standard PSA (COF Contract 2012-078) with SEI on behalf of the City of Franklin contingent on the City Engineers and City Attorney Approval.

Based on City Street Standards and other previous phases of Carothers Drive, Option 1 (two lane with curb and gutter, single sidewalk and grading to support future four-lane construction) is recommended.