## **RESOLUTION 2013-80**

## A RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE STAFF TO ENTER INTO CONTRACT NEGOTIATIONS WITH CLOUGH HARBOUR & ASSOCIATES (CHA) FOR THE MAJOR THOROUGHFARE PLAN – A COMPREHENSIVE TRANSPORTATION NETWORK APPROACH (COF CONTRACT No 2013-0135)

**WHEREAS,** the Board of Mayor and Aldermen (BOMA) adopted the City of Franklin Major Thoroughfare Plan in September of 2010 to provide a safe and connected transportation system to meet the present and future mobility and access needs for the City of Franklin; and

**WHEREAS,** the Board of Mayor and Aldermen (BOMA) adopted the Greenway and Open Space Master Plan in January of 2010 to serve as a guide for incorporating new and existing pedestrian facilities; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Mayor and Aldermen (BOMA) recognizes the importance of strengthening our community through improved traffic flow, transportation network connections, transit and pedestrian and bicycle facilities; and

**WHEREAS,** the 2014 - Major Thoroughfare Plan Update will provide transportation recommendations for the City of Franklin and its Urban Growth Boundary through 2034; and

WHEREAS, the 2014 Major Thoroughfare Plan Update – A Comprehensive Transportation Network Approach will analyze and address multi-modal transportation and land use by evaluating and providing recommendations as it relates to transportation, transit, bicycle and pedestrian facilities; and

**WHEREAS,** the City has undertaken a qualifications based selection process and has identified CHA to provide professional services for the 2014 Major Thoroughfare Plan Update; and

**WHEREAS,** it is understood that any professional services agreement for the 2014 Major Thoroughfare Plan Update shall be approved by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen (BOMA) prior to any work being performed by CHA.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Franklin, Tennessee, that City staff shall be authorized to enter into contract negotiations with CHA for the professional services associated with the 2014 Major Thoroughfare Plan Update.

**IT IS SO RESOLVED AND DONE** on this 10<sup>th</sup> day of December 2013.

## ATTEST:

**CITY OF FRANKLIN, TENNESSE** 

By:\_\_\_\_\_

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Eric S. Stuckey City Administrator Dr. Ken Moore Mayor

Approved as to Form

By:

Shauna R. Billingsley City Attorney