



RESOLUTION / ORDINANCE EXECUTIVE SUMMARY ADDENDUM

Title

Approving Amendment No. 3 to the Phase II Engineering Services Agreement with BLA, Inc. of Itasca, Illinois for Kirk Road over UPRR Bridge Replacement, Kane County Section No. 12-00192-04-BR

Committee Flow:

Transportation Committee, Executive Committee, County Board

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Budget Information:

Was this item budgeted? Yes	Appropriation Amount: \$146,296.00
If not budgeted, explain funding source: N/A	
Was this item passed through the appropriate committee? Yes	

Summary:

In 2021 staff completed the QBS process to select BLA, Inc. for the Phase II Engineering Design Services for the proposed Kirk Road over UPRR Bridge Replacement project.

In 2022 as Phase II design began, the scope of the project changed by changing a proposed culvert for White's Creek to a 3rd bridge among other changes which warranted a supplement to the original agreement resulting in Amendment No. 1 to the original agreement.

In 2025 a second amendment was approved by the County to extend the length of time on the contract as the project was experiencing delays in acquiring the necessary right of way.

Now KDOT is asking for a third amendment which asks for an additional \$146,296.00 for the engineering efforts that were required to bring this project to IDOT's July 2026 construction letting. Those additional efforts include:

-Updated IDOT Bridge Manual in 2025 resulting in a full structural redesign and recalculation of 3 bridge structures

-A major unexpected ground improvement design change requested by IDOT's Geotech engineers replacing our original design with aggregate column improvements requiring redesign of structural, roadway and bid documents

-These additional funds also include a contingency to support any more unexpected IDOT requests as well as additional construction phase engineering support to ensure responsiveness during this complex 2-season construction project.

Staff recommends approval of an additional \$146,296.00 to be added to the agreement and the establishment of a new term ending date of December 31, 2029.