

RESOLUTION NO. 2024 – ____

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN CARLOS
AWARDING THE HIGHLANDS PARK PATH PROJECT C1811; AUTHORIZING THE CITY
MANAGER TO EXECUTE AN AGREEMENT WITH GRADETECH, INC. IN THE AMOUNT OF
\$665,299.60; AND AUTHORIZING THE EXPENDITURE OF A 20% CONTINGENCY IN THE
AMOUNT OF \$133,059.92.**

WHEREAS, the asphalt path (“Path”) that connects lower Highlands Park to Coronado Street has been closed indefinitely due to pedestrian safety concerns caused by slope erosion and drainage issues; and

WHEREAS, the condition of the Path is a liability for the City due to the many cracks, potholes, and root intrusions that may cause trip and fall injuries to the public if not addressed; and

WHEREAS, the Highlands Park Path Project C1811 (“Project”) will improve pedestrian safety by repairing potholes, removing trees and roots that pose fire hazards, and regrading and repaving the Path; and

WHEREAS, the Project will also install a retaining wall along the edge of the Path, which will improve drainage and advance the City’s open space fire mitigation program; and

WHEREAS, staff retained Bellecci & Associates, Inc. to provide engineering services and prepare the construction documents; and

WHEREAS, on August 13, 2024, the City advertised for bids for construction of the Project and bids were opened on September 3, 2024; and

WHEREAS, the lowest responsible and responsive bid for the Project was submitted by GradeTech, Inc. in the amount of \$665,299.60.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the San Carlos City Council hereby awards the Highlands Park Path Project C1811; authorizes the city Manager to execute an agreement with GradeTech, Inc. in the amount of \$665,299.60; and authorizes the expenditure of a 20% contingency in the amount of \$133,059.92.

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I, City Clerk Crystal Mui, hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was duly and regularly passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of San Carlos at a scheduled meeting thereof held on the 23rd day of September 2024, by the following vote:

AYES, COUNCILMEMBERS:

NOES, COUNCILMEMBERS:

ABSENT, COUNCILMEMBERS:

APPROVED:

CITY CLERK of the City of San Carlos

MAYOR of the City of San Carlos