



County of Albany

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Legislation Text

File #: TMP-3900, **Version:** 1

REQUEST FOR LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Description (e.g., Contract Authorization for Information Services):

Contract Authorization for an Amendment with Bette & Cring for the Rail Trail over New Scotland Rd. Bridge Replacement Project

Date: December 8, 2022
Submitted By: Lisa M. Ramundo
Department: Public Works
Title: Commissioner
Phone: 518-765-2055
Department Rep.
Attending Meeting: Lisa M. Ramundo

Purpose of Request:

- ☐ Adopting of Local Law
- ☒ Amendment of Prior Legislation
- ☐ Approval/Adoption of Plan/Procedure
- ☐ Bond Approval
- ☐ Budget Amendment
- ☒ Contract Authorization
- ☐ Countywide Services
- ☐ Environmental Impact/SEQR
- ☐ Home Rule Request
- ☐ Property Conveyance
- ☐ Other: (state if not listed) Click or tap here to enter text.

CONCERNING BUDGET AMENDMENTS

Increase/decrease category (choose all that apply):

- ☐ Contractual
- ☐ Equipment
- ☐ Fringe
- ☐ Personnel

- ☐ Personnel Non-Individual
☐ Revenue

Increase Account/Line No.: Click or tap here to enter text.
Source of Funds: Click or tap here to enter text.
Title Change: Click or tap here to enter text.

CONCERNING CONTRACT AUTHORIZATIONS

Type of Contract:

- ☒ Change Order/Contract Amendment
☐ Purchase (Equipment/Supplies)
☐ Lease (Equipment/Supplies)
☐ Requirements
☐ Professional Services
☐ Education/Training
☐ Grant

Choose an item.

Submission Date Deadline Click or tap to enter a date.

- ☐ Settlement of a Claim
☐ Release of Liability
☐ Other: (state if not listed) Click or tap here to enter text.

Contract Terms/Conditions:

Party (Name/address):

Bette & Cring Construction
22 Century Hill Dr.
Suite 201
Latham, NY 12110

Additional Parties (Names/addresses):

Click or tap here to enter text.

Amount/Raise Schedule/Fee: \$584,200.00
Scope of Services: Construction-Rail Trail Bridge Replacement

Bond Res. No.: 299
Date of Adoption: 8/8/2022

CONCERNING ALL REQUESTS

Mandated Program/Service: Yes ☐ No ☒
If Mandated Cite Authority: Click or tap here to enter text.

Is there a Fiscal Impact: Yes ☒ No ☐Anticipated in Current Budget: Yes ☒ No ☐County Budget Accounts:

Revenue Account and Line: Click or tap here to enter text.

Revenue Amount: Click or tap here to enter text.

Appropriation Account and Line: Bond HHT7

Appropriation Amount: \$584,200.00

Source of Funding - (Percentages)

Federal: Click or tap here to enter text.

State: Click or tap here to enter text.

County: 100%

Local: Click or tap here to enter text.

Term

Term: (Start and end date) 3/1/2023-12/31/2023

Length of Contract: 10 Months

Impact on Pending Litigation Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, explain: Click or tap here to enter text.

Previous requests for Identical or Similar Action:

Resolution/Law Number: Click or tap here to enter text.

Date of Adoption: Click or tap here to enter text.

Justification: (state briefly why legislative action is requested)

The Department of Public Works is requesting the Legislature's approval to enter into an amendment to agreement, with Bette and Cring, LLC for Construction of the Albany County Rail Trail over New Scotland Road (NY Route 85) Bridge Replacement Project.

In March, 2022, the County Purchasing Agent received two (2) bids for this project. Our engineering staff along with the County's hired Consultant reviewed the bids and recommended the award of this contract to the low bidder, Bette and Cring, LLC. The full bid amount was \$3,280,544.00, which covered all of the work described in the RFB.

There was not enough money in the 2022 Capital Plan at that time to pay the full bid amount, so, the contract was awarded at an adjusted base contract amount of \$2,696,344.00 (Resolution No. 147 for 2022), which excluded compensation for the work described in the RFB relating to wall refacing along Route 85; it was anticipated that an amendment to agreement for that work would be awarded to Bette and Cring later in time, contingent upon approval of the County's 2023 Capital Plan, with compensation in an amount equal to the difference between its full bid amount and the amount approved pursuant to Res. No. 147 for 2022.

The County's 2023 Capital Plan has since been approved. Accordingly, DPW is requesting approval to award an amendment to agreement to Bette & Cring for the remaining work related to wall resurfacing, in an amount equal to \$584,200.00.

