

- M/WBE Commitment
- Distance from Winston-Salem
- Innovative approach
- Work Experience
- Understanding of Project
- Past Performance.

In accordance with N.C.G.S. §143-64.31, the City entered into contract negotiations with MLA Design Group, Inc. which included identifying the full scope of services to be provided and a proposed fee for this work. Staff is finalizing the scope and schedule for fees not to exceed \$175,000. Based on the total scope of work, staff believes that this is a fair and reasonable fee. Funds for this project were approved in the 2018 Bonds. The expected design completion date is March 2020. The proposal opportunity was advertised on the City website and sent to architectural and engineering firms. See Exhibit A and Exhibit B for a complete list of businesses notified of this solicitation and the scoring matrix for the firm that was evaluated.