

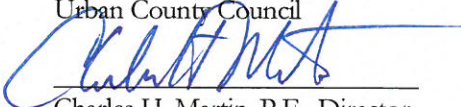


Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY AND PUBLIC WORKS

Jim Gray
Mayor

David L. Holmes
Commissioner

TO: Mayor Jim Gray
Urban County Council

FROM: 
Charles H. Martin, P.E., Director
Division of Water Quality

DATE: November 10, 2014

SUBJECT: **Contract for Investigation/Design Services for Town Branch WWTP Headworks Improvements; RFP #55-2014 CONSENT DECREE**

The purpose of this memorandum is to request a resolution authorizing an agreement between the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government (LFUCG) and Strand Associates, Inc. The contract with Strand Associate, Inc. will provide investigation and design services for Town Branch Wastewater Treatment Plant (WWTP) Headworks Improvements.

The Town Branch WWTP Headworks Improvements Project is one of the \$54 million dollars in wastewater treatment plant reliability projects included in the Remedial Measures Plans (RMP). Award of this RMP project contract is for the design to upgrade the coarse bar rack and the grit system.

On October 30, 2014, an RFP workgroup reviewed six RFPs for providing investigation and design services for the Town Branch WWTP Headworks Improvements. The workgroup scored the firms as best meeting the conditions of the advertised Request for Proposals and unanimously recommended Strand Associates, Inc. for the project. Strand's cost proposal was the second lowest but based on the scoring ranked #1 in meeting the qualifications.

The cost for the defined investigation, design services and construction administration is \$75,000. The project is fully budgeted and funds are located in account 4003 30401 92711 TBWWTP_RMP CONSENT_DE.

Questions regarding this agreement should be directed to me or Tiffany Rank, Treatment Plant Engineer at extension 2406.