

Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING, PRESERVATION & DEVELOPMENT

Jim Gray Mayor Derek Paulsen, PhD Commissioner

MEMORANDUM

To: Mayor Jim Gray

Sally Hamilton, CAO Aldona Valicenti, CIO

Derek Paulsen, Commissioner

Urban County Council

From: Kevin Wente, Administrative Officer Sr

Date: March 10, 2015

RE: Request to authorize Accela phase II contract modification within the Department of Planning, Preservation &

Development

This memorandum is to request the authorization, by Urban County Council, for modification to the existing Accela Civic Platform phase II implementation contract in accordance with the Capacity Assurance Program. The request stems from lengthy analysis sessions among LFUCG and our partners with Accela Inc.; during which it was discovered that additional resources (time, programming, reports, etc.) will be necessary to facilitate and enhance the Department's mission. This implementation will help leverage our technology investments in Water Quality to provide streamlined services in Planning, Building Inspection, and Engineering. Funding will be requested in the Mayor's FY16 proposed budget for the costs associated with this modification, with implementation expected over a 12 month period per Urban County Council authorization. Should you have any questions regarding this request, please feel free to contact me at 258-3436. Thank you for your time and consideration in this matter.