CITY OF JOPLIN
COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM

ITEM
Council Bill 2019-113 a work authorization with Allgeier, Martin and Associates, Inc. for construction inspection and construction management on the Schifferdecker Bridge Project.

MEETING DATE
March 18, 2019

ORIGINATING DEPARTMENT
Public Works

REVIEWED BY
Director of Public Works - David Hertzberg, Director of Finance- Leslie Haase, City Attorney- Peter C. Edwards, Interim City Manager – Daniel Pekarek

SUMMARY
This Council Bill approves a work authorization with Allgeier, Martin and Associates, Inc. for the Schifferdecker Bridge Project in the not to exceed amount of One Hundred Twenty-Five Thousand and no/100 dollars ($125,000.00) for Construction inspection and construction management.

BACKGROUND
The City of Joplin, the Jasper County Special Road District, and the Jasper County Commission are working in partnership to construct a new bridge on Schifferdecker Avenue over Turkey Creek. The memorandum of understanding received council approval on January 22, 2013. The project includes road work to realign Zora and Schifferdecker Avenue to connect with the new bridge alignment. Jasper County has a contract with Allgeier Martin & Associates to provide design of the bridge and that design scope included a small amount of inspection and on site engineering. This was anticipated to be used for critical elements of the bridge construction. The City intended to use our own construction inspectors. With the current workload of construction inspection being experienced by the engineering department of Public Works additional services are needed from Allgeier, Martin and Associates, Inc.

FUNDING SOURCE
These payments are included in the FY 2018-19 budget of the Capital Improvement Sales Tax fund.

RECOMMENDATION
Staff recommends adoption of this Council Bill on an Emergency basis; being an ordinance relating to a public improvement is an emergency within the meaning of Section 2.12(6) of the HOME RULE CHARTER of the City of Joplin, Missouri, as such, this Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its passage.

ATTACHMENTS
CB2019-113 Ordinance; Work Authorization; Council Bill, location Map