City of **JOPLIN** City Council Agenda Item

Requested Council Meeting Date: April 20, 2015
Council Bill No. 2015-127

Item: Change Order to Contract for the Mill & Overlay –Recovery Area Project: that Adds Asphalt Paving for ADA Compliance & Stormwater Conveyance

Originating Department: Public Works – Engineering

Attachments: 1) Project Map
2) Change Order
3) Council Bill No. 2015-127

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Recommended Action: Approval of Change Order #1 to Construction Contract with Blevins Asphalt Company in the amount of $28,275.00 for adding asphalt paving for ADA compliance and stormwater conveyance to the Mill & Overlay Project in the Recovery Area.

Background: On April 6 Council Bill 2015-124 was approved which allowed the City to enter into a contract with Blevins Asphalt Company for asphalt overlay work in the recovery area. The total contract amount was $1,454,536.00 and is part of a State of Missouri Department of Economic Development Office of Administration Rebuild Damaged Infrastructure Program agreement which was approved by Council in March of 2014. Construction on the Joe Becker Stadium under a design build contract has proceeded to a point where the parking lots can be constructed. The parking lots are not part of the design build contract. To complete the parking lots hot mix asphalt is needed in some areas to provide a suitable surface for ADA requirements and to provide a durable surface where storm water will cross the parking lot.

Discussion: On Monday April 13 City staff received pricing from Blevins Asphalt Company for the hot mix asphalt work needed in the Joe Becker parking lots. The City's consultant Transystems and City staff reviewed the pricing and found it acceptable.

Recommendation: Staff recommends approval of Change Order #1 to Construction Contract with Blevins Asphalt Company in the amount of $28,275.00 for adding asphalt paving for ADA compliance and stormwater conveyance to the Mill & Overlay Project in the Recovery Area be approved on an emergency basis per Section 2.12 (6) of the Joplin City Charter.