RESOLUTION NO. ___ 62-2016

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS DESIGNATING THE CITY MANAGER TO DETERMINE WHEN ALTERNATIVE PROJECT DELIVERY METHODS WILL PROVIDE THE BEST VALUE TO THE CITY OF ABILENE.

WHEREAS, the Texas Government Code provides for alternative project delivery methods for construction projects other than competitive sealed bidding, including Construction Manager at Risk, Design Build, and Best Value Competitive Sealed Proposals; and

WHEREAS, the Texas Government Code, section 2269.053, allows the governing body of a municipality to delegate its authority to determine whether an alternative project delivery method would provide the best value to the municipality regarding a certain project; and

WHEREAS, the City of Abilene previously designated Freese and Nichols, Inc. to determine whether the use of a particular alternative project delivery method would provide the best value to the City of Abilene regarding the Bond Projects; and

WHEREAS, the City of Abilene desires to utilize alternative project delivery methods for construction projects that are not Bond Projects; and

WHEREAS, the City Council, City of Abilene, desires to delegate its authority to the City Manager to determine whether the use of a particular alternative project delivery method would provide the best value to the City of Abilene for construction projects; and

WHEREAS, the City Council hereby gives notice of its delegation to the City Manager without limitation; and

WHEREAS, the City Council believes that it is in the best interest of the City of Abilene and its citizens to make this delegation.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS:

Part 1: That the City Manager is hereby delegated without limitation the authority to determine whether the use of an alternative project delivery method would provide the best value to the City of Abilene, including, but not limited to, construction manager at risk, design build, and best value determinations.

Part 2. That this Resolution takes effect immediately upon its adoption.

ADOPTED this 12th day of May, 2016.

ATTEST:

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Norman Archibald, Mayor

APPROVED:

Stanley Smith, Interim City Attorney