## RESOLUTION NO. 124-2016

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE A PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT WITH FREESE & NICHOLS FOR CONSTRUCTION OVERSIGHT SERVICES AND BOND PROGRAM ANNUAL REPORT DEVELOPMENT SERVICES.

WHEREAS, the City of Abilene will soon have six (6) vertical construction projects happening simultaneously as part of the 2015 Bond Program; and

WHEREAS, the City has limited internal capacity and experience to provide construction oversight to these simultaneous projects; and

WHEREAS, the City is looking to expand its internal capacity and experience by providing hands on training in construction oversight; and

WHEREAS, the City is requesting to enter into a Professional Services Agreement with Freese & Nichols to provide construction oversight services and training for existing City staff; and

WHEREAS, Freese & Nichols provided development and production services for the City's first Annual Report on the 2015 Bond Program, so the City is requesting to have the Freese & Nichols team provide the same services for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Report on the 2015 Bond Program;

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

Part 1: That the City Manager is hereby authorized to execute a Professional Services Agreement with Freese & Nichols for Construction Oversight Services and Bond Program Annual Report Development Services, with a not-to-exceed amount of \$168,180.

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

day of September, 2016. ADOPTED this

ATTEST:

Norman Archibald, Mayor Anthony Williams Mayor Protem

APPROVED:

Stanley Smith, City Attorney