

RESOLUTION NO. 145-2024

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS
AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE A PROFESSIONAL SERVICES
AGREEMENT WITH JACOB MARTIN LLC**

WHEREAS, the Abilene Voters approved the Issuance of \$15,000,000 in General Obligation Bonds for improvements to the City Zoo on November 7, 2023; and

WHEREAS, the City is coordinating Zoo Improvements while working with AYSA on the development of new flat fields adjacent to the Zoo property; and

WHEREAS, the existing Zoo parking lot is past its end of life and in desperate need of total replacement; and

WHEREAS, the professional services for the new Zoo Parking Lot and Lighting will address the current end of life condition, and will coordinate the Zoo parking lot improvements with the adjacent project for AYSA; and

WHEREAS, the professional services include Initial Project Data Collection and Analysis, and the Design of the Parking Lot, Pedestrian, Drainage and Lighting Improvements.

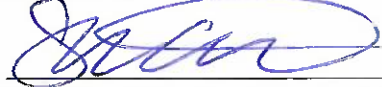
**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY
OF ABILENE, TEXAS:**

Part 1: The City Council authorizes the City Manager to execute an agreement with Jacob Martin LLC for the not to exceed amount of \$193,000.00.

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

ADOPTED this 27th day of June, 2024.

ATTEST:



Shawna Atkinson, City Secretary



Weldon Hurt, Mayor

APPROVED:



Stanley Smith, City Attorney

