

CITY OF ARDMORE
ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT
Ardmore, Oklahoma

Commission Letter No. 4661
Meeting Date: October 7, 2019

Mayor and City Commissioners
City of Ardmore, Oklahoma

SUBJECT: Selection of ODOT Bridge Inspection Engineer

Dear Commissioners:

The Oklahoma Department of Transportation (ODOT) will conduct inspections of certain of our bridges beginning April of 2020. These periodic inspections are funded by ODOT employing pre-qualified engineering firms. There are several options available to select the engineers; the most expeditious option is to simply let ODOT select such engineering firm.

We recommend the Commission approve the resolution providing for the selection of an engineer by the Oklahoma Department of Transportation and authorize the Mayor to sign the resolution.


Sincerely,



Thomas D. Mansur, P.E.
City Engineer

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Reviewed by: _____


City Manager

RESOLUTION _____

**RESOLUTION CONCERNING BRIDGE INSPECTION
RESPONSIBILITY BY LOCAL GOVERNMENT FOR COMPLIANCE WITH
NATIONAL BRIDGE INSPECTION STANDARDS
Bridge Inspection Contracts for April 1, 2020 through March 31, 2021**

WHEREAS, the City of Ardmore has responsibility for bridge maintenance and safety inspections in the City limits; and

WHEREAS, the City of Ardmore has the following Options with regards to the selection of engineers to perform bridge inspections according to National Bridge Inspection Standards:

- 1) Select one of ODOT's prequalified engineering firms;
- 2) Elect to do the bridge safety inspection with our own forces; or
- 3) Use the same consultant as Carter County; or
- 4) Let ODOT make our selection of engineering firms.

Therefore, BE IT RESOLVED, by the City of Ardmore that it desires to select Option 4) noted above and the Oklahoma Department of Transportation shall select the engineer responsible for the city bridge inspections.

ADOPTED this _____ day of _____, 2019, by the City Commission.

John Moore, Mayor

ATTEST:

Lori Linney, City Clerk

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