

RESOLUTION NO. 2026

COUNCIL MEMBER ----- INTRODUCED THE FOLLOWING RESOLUTION:

A RESOLUTION APPROVING TASK ORDER NO. C00074-26-01 WITH HOUSTON ENGINEERING, INC. FOR THE BLAIR SOUTHFORK ROAD DRAINAGE IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT

WHEREAS, the City of Blair has experienced drainage and flooding concerns in the area adjacent to South Creek and north of Clark Street, including flooding damage sustained by property owners on August 9, 2025; and

WHEREAS, the City has previously entered into a Master Services Agreement with Houston Engineering, Inc. for professional engineering services; and

WHEREAS, Houston Engineering, Inc. has submitted Task Order No. C00074-26-01 for the Blair Southfork Road Drainage Improvements Project to assess drainage conditions and develop potential drainage improvements for the affected area; and

WHEREAS, the scope of services includes project management, site survey, hydraulic and hydrologic analysis, preparation of a technical memorandum, conveyance and erosion protection design, and development of grading concepts and material quantity estimates for construction by City forces; and

WHEREAS, the proposed fee for the services described in “Exhibit A” Task Order No. C00074-26-01 is \$12,129.00; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council find that completion of the drainage analysis and preliminary design work is necessary to evaluate improvements that will reduce future flooding risks and improve drainage conveyance in the Southfork Road area.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BLAIR, NEBRASKA: that Task Order No. C00074-26-01 with Houston Engineering, Inc. for the Blair Southfork Road Drainage Improvements Project is hereby approved and the Mayor is authorized to execute Task Order No. C00074-26-01 on behalf of the City of Blair, and the City Clerk is authorized to attest the same.

COUNCIL MEMBER --- MOVED THAT THE RESOLUTION BE ADOPTED AS READ, WHICH SAID MOTION WAS SECONDED BY COUNCIL MEMBER --- UPON ROLL CALL, COUNCIL MEMBERS ----- VOTING “AYE” AND COUNCIL MEMBERS ---- AND VOTING ‘NAY,” THE MAYOR DECLARED THE FOREGOING RESOLUTION PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 28TH DAY OF JULY 2026.

CITY OF BLAIR, NEBRASKA

BY _____
MELINDA K. RUMP, MAYOR

ATTEST:

BRENDA WHEELER, CITY CLERK

(SEAL)

STATE OF NEBRASKA)
):ss:
WASHINGTON COUNTY)

BRENDA WHEELER, hereby certifies that she is the duly appointed, qualified, and acting City Clerk of the City of Blair, Nebraska, and that the above and foregoing Resolution was passed and adopted at a regular meeting of the Mayor and City Council of said City held on the 28th day of July 2026.

BRENDA WHEELER, CITY CLERK