WHEREAS, the City of Dallas has identified a need to improve the reliability and efficiency of electrical and screening infrastructure at the Southside Wastewater Treatment Plant; and

WHEREAS, engineering services are required for the evaluation, design, construction administration, and start-up associated with electrical and bar screen improvements; and

WHEREAS, Gupta and Associates, Inc., 13717 Neutron Road, Dallas, Texas 75244, has submitted an acceptable proposal to provide these engineering services.

Now, Therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DALLAS:

SECTION 1. That the proposal submitted by Gupta and Associates, Inc., Contract No. 19-548E, in the amount of \$3,580,000.00 be approved and the consultant be authorized to perform the required engineering services.

SECTION 2. That the City Manager is hereby authorized to execute a professional services contract with Gupta and Associates, Inc., approved as to form by the City Attorney, to provide engineering services for the investigation, preliminary design, development of construction plans and specifications, bid phase services, construction administration and start-up associated with electrical and bar screen improvements at the Southside Wastewater Treatment Plant, after having approval of the contract documents by the City Attorney, in an amount not to exceed \$3,580,000.00.

SECTION 3. That the Chief Financial Officer is hereby authorized to disburse funds in an amount not to exceed \$3,580,000.00 to Gupta and Associates, Inc. from the Wastewater Capital Improvement D Fund, Fund 2116, Department DWU, Unit PS31, Object 4111, Program 719548, Encumbrance/Contract No. CX-DWU-2020-00012269, Vendor 515207.

SECTION 4. That this resolution shall take effect immediately from and after its passage in accordance with the provisions of the Charter of the City of Dallas, and it is accordingly so resolved.