**WHEREAS,** in September 2020, the City of Dallas hired Freese and Nichols, Inc. to perform a dredging feasibility study for White Rock Lake; and

**WHEREAS,** on July 21, 2022, the Assistant City Manager approved a request by Park and Recreation Department to use the Special Needs/Justification Consultant Selection Process in accordance with City of Dallas Administrative Directive 4-05, deeming Freese and Nichols, Inc. the most qualified for the proposed contract; and

**WHEREAS,** in August 2022, the Park & Recreation Department sent a request for proposal to Freese and Nichols, Inc.; and

**WHEREAS,** it is now desirable and in the best interest of the City of Dallas to authorize an engineering services contract with Freese and Nichols, Inc. to provide preliminary engineering design services for the White Rock Lake Dredging project located at White Rock Lake, in an amount not to exceed \$952,700.00.

Now, Therefore,

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

**SECTION 1.** That the President of the Park and Recreation Board and the City Manager are hereby authorized to execute the engineering services contract with Freese and Nichols, Inc., approved as to form by the City Attorney, to provide preliminary engineering design services for the White Rock Lake Dredging Project, in an amount not to exceed \$952,700.00.

**SECTION 2.** That the Chief Financial Officer is hereby authorized to disburse funds in an amount not to exceed \$952,700.00 in accordance with the terms and conditions of the contract to Freese and Nichols, Inc. from the General Fund, Fund 0733, Department PKR, Unit 3490, Object 4111, Activity ERCT, Program WRLD3490, Commodity 92500, Vendor 347200, Encumbrance/Contract No. PRK-2023-00020831.

**SECTION 3.** 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.