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The City Council Niagara Falls, New York

RE: Amendment to the Contract with Joy Kuebler Landscape Architect, PC (Consulting Services - LaSalle Business District Streetscape Project)

Council Members:

It is necessary to amend the agreement between the City of Niagara Falls and Joy Kuebler Landscape Architects, PC, which was approved by the City Council on October 7, 2020, for the purposes of providing design, analysis and engagement with the goal of energizing the LaSalle Business District from the intersection of South Military Road to the intersection of 84th Street. Due to revisions in the design of the project during the public engagement process and the delay due to an adjacent roadway reconstruction project, the cost to complete the design and analysis for the purpose of creating contractual bid documents has increased by \$38,298.88. The additional funding is available through the existing grant from the New York State Dormitory Authority which was granted to the City of Niagara Falls in 2019 and will have no impact on the City's General Fund.

Will the Council so approve and authorize the Mayor to execute any documents necessary to effectuate the same, provided that they are acceptable to the office of the Corporation Counsel?

Respectfully submitted,

Robert M. Restaino Mayor