

Introduced by: Councilmember Clay

First Reading: September 24, 2007

Second Reading: October 1, 2007

CITY OF TAKOMA PARK, MARYLAND

ORDINANCE NO. 2007-46

AWARD OF CONTRACT FOR FABRICATION AND INSTALLATION OF SIGNAGE

WHEREAS, interior and exterior building signage is needed for the Takoma Park Community Center/Sam Abbott Citizens' Center; AND

WHEREAS, a request for proposals for fabrication and installation of signage was issued July 17, 2007, with bid opening on August 31, 2007; AND

WHEREAS, two responsive bidders submitted sealed bids; AND

WHEREAS, the low bidder is NW Sign Industries Incorporated of Moorestown, NY; AND

WHEREAS, staff recommends awarding the contract to NW Sign Industries; AND

WHEREAS, the low bid of \$48,000 is \$13,000 more than the \$35,000 allocated in the FY08 capital budget for this project; AND

WHEREAS, rebidding the project is not likely to lower the cost, but would delay the project; AND

WHEREAS, a budget amendment will be presented to the Council by the City Manager in the near future.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TAKOMA PARK, MARYLAND

SECTION 1. The City Manager is authorized to enter into a contract with NW Sign Industries for fabrication and installation of building signage at the Takoma Park Community Center/Sam Abbott Citizens' Center in an amount not to exceed \$48,000.

SECTION 2. This Ordinance shall become effective upon adoption.

ADOPTED this 1st day of October, 2007 by roll call vote as follows:

AYE: Porter, Barry, Clay, Seamens, Snipper, Williams

NAY: None

ABSTAIN: None

ABSENT: Austin-Lane