

**CITY OF WEST ALLIS
RESOLUTION R-2020-0675**

**RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE A TRANSFER OF \$7,500 FROM THE
INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY SALARY AND WAGES ACCOUNT TO THE
INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY – PROFESSIONAL SERVICES ACCOUNT TO
ENGAGE SYMBIONT TECHNOLOGY INC. TO DELIVER ESRI BASED
SOLUTIONS THAT WILL ENABLE DPW TO EDIT GIS INFORMATION**

WHEREAS, An opportunity has presented itself to move work that had been conducted on the IT GIS Team to the members of the DPW department. DPW is willing to do this work, as it increases their accountability, gives them a greater sense of ownership. DPW is the group that is adding, moving and retiring most of the City’s physical assets and thus should be empowered mark their location in our GIS system. The benefits are numerous to both DPW and GIS. Largest benefits include the elimination of handoffs and is directly aligned with LEAN thinking; and,

WHEREAS, the West Allis based company Symbiont Technology has recently delivered a very similar ‘app’ that the Engineering Department used to rate the condition of all the streets in the City of West Allis. After talking with them they feel they can leverage those same ESRI based tools to provide similar apps to the Building and Sign, Forestry and Electrical divisions to allow them to safely update the location of assets they maintain; and,

WHEREAS, the agreement with Symbiont includes a block of hours for them to train our GIS Analyst on how to build these same solutions for future needs for the City; and,

WHEREAS, with the GIS Administrator resigning on September 25th we have the salary dollars available to help fund this effort.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of West Allis that the change request dated November 11th 2020 for providing GIS editor apps from Symbiont Technology for the City of West Allis for the net sum not to exceed \$7,500 be and is hereby accepted. The account where this will be charged to is account # 100-1101-517.30-02 with money transferred from 100-1101-517.11.01.

SECTION 1: **ADOPTION** “R-2020-0675” of the City Of West Allis Municipal Resolutions is hereby *added* as follows:

ADOPTION

R-2020-0675(*Added*)

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Finance Department – Purchasing Division be and is hereby authorized to enter into a contract for the aforesaid services.

PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE CITY OF WEST ALLIS COUNCIL

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	AYE	NAY	ABSENT	ABSTAIN
Ald. Angelito Tenorio	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ald. Vince Vitale	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ald. Tracy Stefanski	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ald. Marty Weigel	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ald. Suzzette Grisham	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ald. Danna Kuehn	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ald. Thomas Lajsic	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ald. Dan Roadt	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ald. Rosalie Reinke	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ald. Kevin Haass	_____	_____	_____	_____

Attest

Presiding Officer

Rebecca Grill, City Clerk, City Of
West Allis

Dan Devine, Mayor City Of West
Allis