

**CITY OF FAIRFIELD**

**RESOLUTION NO. 2020-09**

**RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FAIRFIELD APPROVING  
AMENDMENT NO. 6 TO A FEDERAL LEGISLATIVE CONSULTANT SERVICES  
AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF FAIRFIELD, SOLANO TRANSPORTATION  
AUTHORITY, THE CITIES OF VACAVILLE AND VALLEJO, SOLTRANS, AND AKIN  
GUMP STRAUSS HAUSER & FELD, LLP**

**WHEREAS**, it is important and necessary for the City to be informed and active in federal legislative activities and governmental affairs particularly as they effect transportation; and

**WHEREAS**, it is equally important and necessary for the City to be active in pursuing federal appropriations for transportation projects to enhance the services provided to the citizens of Fairfield; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Fairfield, the Solano Transportation Authority (STA), the Cities of Vacaville and Vallejo, and Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld, LLP entered into a two-year agreement on February 16, 2008, to provide federal legislative consulting services on behalf of STA and the cities; and

**WHEREAS**, the partnering agencies and Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld, LLP amended the agreement (Amendment No. 1), extending the term of the agreement from December 1, 2009, until December 31, 2011, and added the City of Dixon; and

**WHEREAS**, the partnering agencies and Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld, LLP again amended the agreement (Amendment No. 2), extending the term of the agreement through December 31, 2013; and

**WHEREAS**, the partnering agencies and Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld, LLP again amended the agreement (Amendment No. 3), extending the term of the agreement through December 31, 2015; and

**WHEREAS**, the partnering agencies and Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld, LLP again amended the agreement (Amendment No. 4), extending the term of the agreement through December 31, 2017; and

**WHEREAS**, the partnering agencies and Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld, LLP again amended the agreement (Amendment No. 5), extending the term of the agreement through December 31, 2019, removed the City of Dixon and added SolTrans; and

**WHEREAS**, the City continues to benefit from the services and legislative advocacy efforts provided by Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld, LLP and wishes to extend the agreement (Amendment No. 6) for an additional two years through December 2021; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FAIRFIELD HEREBY RESOLVES:**

Section 1. The City of Fairfield hereby approves Amendment No. 6 to the agreement with the Solano Transportation Authority, the Cities of Vacaville, and Vallejo, SolTrans, and Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld, LLP in an amount not to exceed \$50,000 for Fairfield's contribution for the 24-month term of the contract, January 1, 2020, through December 31, 2021.

Section 2. The City Manager, or designee, is authorized to sign Amendment No. 6 and take other steps necessary to implement the contract.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** this 21<sup>st</sup> day of January, 2020, by the following vote:

AYES: COUNCILMEMBERS: PRICE / BERTANI / MOY / TIMM / VACCARO

NOES: COUNCILMEMBERS: \_\_\_\_\_

ABSENT: COUNCILMEMBERS: \_\_\_\_\_

ABSTAIN: COUNCILMEMBERS: \_\_\_\_\_

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MAYOR

ATTEST:

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CITY CLERK