



Agenda Item Summary

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Agenda Item Title

A Resolution Approving a Contract with Swallow Construction Corporation for Project 20-9, Watermain Valve Replacements, in an Amount not to Exceed \$108,969 and Authorizing its Execution

Overview

The Engineering Division opened bids on August 20, 2020 for the Watermain Valves Replacement project. The project includes replacing three water valves. Three contractors picked up proposal documents and three bids were received. The lowest responsible bid was submitted by Swallow Construction Corporation in an amount of \$108,969.

Recommendation

Approve the Resolution

Fiscal Impact

The FY2020 Budget includes \$100,000 in the Water and Sewer Fund, Public Works - Water, Water Distribution, Capital Improvements account no. 5040-43730-777-570707 for this project.

There are available funds in the FY2020 Budget in the Water and Sewer Fund, Public Works - Water, Water Distribution, Capital Improvements account no. 5040-43730-777-570707 for the remaining \$8,969 needed for this project from cost savings from deferred projects.

Background

In 2012 and 2013 the Water & Sewer Division of the Public Works Department contracted with M.E. Simpson Co., Inc. to exercise the approximately 1200 water valves in the drinking water distribution system. The valve exercising program identified a number of valves that were broken. Replacing the broken valves is a necessary improvement in order to maintain adequate fire flows and to ensure that water mains can be shut off in emergency situations or for scheduled maintenance. Valves proposed on this project are larger than those replaced by village forces, requiring larger equipment, or at locations requiring more coordination for traffic control and impacts. This watermain valve replacement project includes replacing three valves at the Berkshire St and Elmwood Ave, and North Blvd and Euclid Ave intersections and associated pavement restoration.

Alternatives

The alternative to this recommendation could be to delay action to gain additional information.

Previous Board Action

N/A.

Citizen Advisory Commission Action

N/A.

Anticipated Future Actions/Commitments

Staff will include a Budget Amendment to transfer the \$8,969 from Fund Balance to the Water and Sewer Fund, Public Works - Water, Water Distribution, Capital Improvements account no. 5040-43730-777-570707 at the next quarterly Budget Amendment.

Intergovernmental Cooperation Opportunities

None at this time.