



City of Grand Island

Tuesday, August 8, 2017

Council Session

Item G-5

#2017-212 - Approving Authorization for Emergency Sanitary Sewer Repair between 9th Street and 10th Street; Locust Street to Pine Street

Staff Contact: John Collins, P.E. - Public Works Director

Council Agenda Memo

From: Marvin Strong PE, Wastewater Treatment Plant Engineer

Meeting: August 8, 2017

Subject: Approving Authorization for Emergency Sanitary Sewer Repair between 9th Street and 10th Street; Locust Street to Pine Street

Presenter(s): John Collins PE, Public Works Director

Background

Emergency sanitary sewer repairs were needed for a sanitary sewer mainline between 9th Street and 10th Street; Locust Street to Pine Street. The sanitary sewer main was broken and collapsed in two (2) locations within the alley. A Wastewater Collection System employee was driving through the alley when one of the front tires dropped into a sinkhole created by one of the sanitary sewer collapse points, constituting an emergency.

Discussion

The Diamond Engineering Company of Grand Island, Nebraska was hired by providing a quote of \$27,000.00 for the sanitary sewer repair between 9th Street and 10th Street; Locust Street to Pine Street.

The Diamond Construction Company will be paid the repair costs in the amount of the quote submitted, which totals \$27,000.00, which is based on actual time and materials incorporated into the repair work. Since the total is over \$20,000.00 council approval is necessary. We are requesting permission to use the emergency procurement procedures as outlined in Section 27-13 of the City Code.

Alternatives

It appears that the Council has the following alternatives concerning the issue at hand. The Council may:

1. Move to approve
2. Refer the issue to a Committee
3. Postpone the issue to future date
4. Take no action on the issue

Recommendation

City Administration recommends that the Council approve usage of the City's Emergency Procurement Procedures and pass a resolution authorizing payment to The Diamond Engineering Company of Grand Island, Nebraska in the total amount of \$27,000.00 for the necessary sanitary sewer repairs.

Sample Motion

Move to approve the usage of the City's Emergency Procurement Procedures and authorize payment for the necessary sanitary sewer repairs.

RESOLUTION 2017-212

WHEREAS, the Wastewater Division of the Public Works Department needed to perform emergency sanitary sewer repairs between 9th Street and 10th Street; Locust Street to Pine Street; and

WHEREAS, permission is requested to use the emergency procurement procedures as outlined in Section 27-13 of the City Code; and

WHEREAS, The Diamond Engineering Company of Grand Island, Nebraska has been hired to do said repairs, with a total quote of \$27,000.00.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRAND ISLAND, NEBRASKA, that the sanitary sewer repairs performed by The Diamond Engineering Company of Grand Island, Nebraska between 9th Street and 10th Street; Locust Street to Pine Street, in the total amount of \$27,000.00 is hereby approved.

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Adopted by the City Council of the City of Grand Island, Nebraska, August 8, 2017.

Jeremy L. Jensen, Mayor

Attest:

RaNae Edwards, City Clerk

Approved as to Form	☐ _____
August 4, 2017	☐ City Attorney