



# **City of Grand Island**

**Tuesday, December 19, 2017**

**Council Session**

## **Item G-7**

**#2017-354 - Approving Authorization for Emergency Sanitary  
Sewer Repair at 1st Street and Plum Street**

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

# **Council Agenda Memo**

**From:** Keith Kurz PE, Assistant Public Works Director

**Meeting:** December 19, 2017

**Subject:** Approving Authorization for Emergency Sanitary Sewer Repair at 1<sup>st</sup> Street and Plum Street

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

## **Background**

Emergency sanitary sewer repairs were needed for a sanitary sewer manhole at 1<sup>st</sup> Street and Plum Street. During routine sanitary sewer main flushing/cleaning it was found that the City's sanitary sewer manhole had collapsed.



## **Discussion**

Van Kirk Bros. Contracting of Sutton, Nebraska was hired by providing a quote of \$26,349.00 for the sanitary sewer manhole repair at 1<sup>st</sup> Street and Plum Street.

Other quotes solicited-

- Diamond Engineering of Grand Island, Nebraska = \$50,250.00
- Starostka Group Unlimited, Inc. = \$66,922.00

Since the total is over \$20,000.00 council approval is necessary. Permission is requested 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 Van Kirk Bros. Contracting of Sutton, Nebraska in the total amount of \$26,349.00 for the necessary sanitary sewer manhole repair.

### **Sample Motion**

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

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WHEREAS, the Wastewater Division of the Public Works Department needed to perform an emergency sanitary sewer manhole repair at 1<sup>st</sup> Street and Plum Street; and

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

WHEREAS, Van Kirk Bros. Contracting of Sutton, Nebraska has been hired to do said repairs, with a total quote of \$26,349.00.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRAND ISLAND, NEBRASKA, that the sanitary sewer manhole repair performed by Van Kirk Bros. Contracting of Sutton, Nebraska at 1<sup>st</sup> Street and Plum Street, in the total amount of \$26,349.00 is hereby approved.

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Adopted by the City Council of the City of Grand Island, Nebraska, December 19, 2017.

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Jeremy L. Jensen, Mayor

Attest:

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RaNae Edwards, City Clerk

Approved as to Form	▣ _____
December 15, 2017	▣ City Attorney