

Mayor and Council Communication

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SUBJECT

Authorize the Execution of a Contract with Ace Pipe Cleaning, Inc., in an Amount Up to \$225,000.00 for the 2020 Miscellaneous Sanitary Sewer Manhole Repair Contract at Various Locations Throughout the City and Adopt Appropriation Ordinance (ALL COUNCIL DISTRICTS)

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that the City Council:

1. Authorize the execution of a contract with Ace Pipe Cleaning, Inc. in an amount up to \$225,000.00 for the 2020 Miscellaneous Sanitary Sewer Manhole Repair Contract at various locations (City Project No. 102639); and
2. Adopt the attached Appropriation Ordinance increasing receipts and appropriations in the Water & Sewer Capital Projects (W&S Capital Projects) Fund in the amount of \$250,000.00 transferred from available funds within the Water & Sewer Fund.

DISCUSSION:

The work to be performed under this contract consists of sanitary sewer manhole repairs and the installation of interior epoxy manhole coatings as identified by the Water Department's Wastewater Field Operations staff. The Water Department is neither staffed nor equipped to perform sanitary sewer manhole interior epoxy coating. This contract is necessary to extend the useful life of deteriorated sanitary sewer manholes in the wastewater system in lieu of replacing them with brand new manholes.

The project was advertised for bid on April 16, 2020 and April 23, 2020 in the *Fort Worth Star-Telegram* and on May 14, 2020, the following bids were received.

Bidder	Amount	Time of Completion
Ace Pipe Cleaning, Inc.	\$187,225.00	365 Calendar Days
BCAC Underground, LLC	\$194,250.00	

In addition to the construction cost, \$25,000.00 is required for project management and inspection.

The bid documents included a stipulation that the total quantities listed may not reflect actual quantities and that the amount budgeted for the projects is \$225,000.00. Final payments will be made based on actual measured quantities. The bid documents also included a stipulation giving the City the option to renew (subject to appropriated funding) this contract four times under the same terms, conditions and unit prices.

Appropriations for 2020 Miscellaneous Sanitary Sewer Manhole Repair Contract Project by Fund are as depicted below:

Fund	Existing Appropriations	Additional Appropriations	Project Total*
W&S Capital Projects Fund 56002	\$0.00	\$250,000.00	\$250,000.00
Project Total	\$0.00	\$250,000.00	\$250,000.00

*Numbers rounded for presentation purposes.

M/WBE OFFICE: Ace Pipe Cleaning, Inc., is in compliance with the City's MWBE Ordinance by committing to eight percent MBE participation on this project. The City's MBE goal on this project is seven percent.

This project is located in ALL COUNCIL DISTRICTS.

FISCAL INFORMATION / CERTIFICATION:

The Director of Finance certifies funds are available in the current operating budget of the Water & Sewer Fund, and upon approval of the above recommendation and adoption of the attached appropriation ordinance, funds will be available in the Water & Sewer (W&S) Capital Projects fund for the MISC Manhole Repair Contract project to support the approval of the above recommendation and execution of the contract. Prior to an expenditure being incurred, the Water Department has the responsibility to validate the availability of funds.

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