

MEMORANDUM

To: Mayor and City Council Members
Steve Parker, City Manager

From: Timothy J. Howe, Director – Water / Wastewater Utilities

Through: Rick Cortes, Deputy City Manager

Subject: Emergency Response 6-inch Bypass Pump

Date: January 26, 2021

The City's 2020-2021 Utility Fund Capital Equipment Budget provides \$75,000 for the purchase of a trailer mounted emergency bypass pump for the Water / Wastewater Maintenance Department. This equipment is used for routine bypass pumping of the City's sanitary sewer collection system and most importantly in emergency situations to stop a sanitary sewer overflow should one occur.

This purchase includes 1000 feet of lay flat discharge hose and all related connectors for establishing an emergency bypass within the City's sanitary sewer collection system. The City received twelve formal bids opened on January 12, 2021 at 3:00 p.m. The bids complied with City bidding requirements and ranged from a low bid of \$56,245.00 to a high bid of \$75,553.00. Primax USA based in Charlotte, North Carolina submitted the low bid. Current funding is provided from the FY21 Utility Fund Capital Equipment Budget.

Staff recommends approval of this award to Primax USA in the amount of \$56,245.00 and will be available to answer any questions at the Tuesday, February 2, 2021 City Council Meeting.