City of Joliet

150 West Jefferson Street
Joliet, IL 60432

Memo

File #: 457-23 **Agenda Date:**9/19/2023

TO: Mayor and City Council

FROM: Rod Tonelli, Interim City Manager

SUBJECT:
Award of Contract for the Well 17D Emergency Rehabilitation to Great Lakes Water Resources Group in the amount of $244,746.00

BACKGROUND:
Well 17D, located at 6869 Theodore Street, was originally drilled in 2000 by the Layne Western Company and was last serviced in 2018. Due to an unexpected failure, the equipment needs to be pulled and evaluated for replacement. A set of specifications was prepared by City Staff for the rehabilitation of the well and the Well 17D Emergency Rehabilitation Project was advertised in the Labor Record on Thursday, July 27, 2023. The Public Service Committee reviewed this memo at the September 5, 2023 meeting and recommended for approval by full Council.

CONCLUSION:
On Tuesday, August 15, 2023, at 10:10 a.m., four sealed bids were opened and read in the City Hall Conference Room 1 for the Well 17D Emergency Rehabilitation Project. The bid summary is as follows:

CONTRACTOR	BID AS READ
Great Lakes Water Resource Group, Joliet, IL	$244,746.00
Cahoy Group, Durand, IL	$250,341.00
Water Well Solutions Inc., Elburn, IL	$250,920.00
Layne Christensen Company, Beecher, IL	$299,030.00
Engineer’s Estimate	$279,205.00

The low bid by Great Lakes Water Resource Group, Joliet, IL is 13% below the engineer’s estimate.

Funds will be charged to the Water and Sewer Improvement Fund / Projects / Construction (Org 50180011, Object 557200, $244,746.00).

RECOMMENDATION:
Based on the above, it is recommended that the Mayor and City Council award the Contract for the Well 17D Emergency Rehabilitation Project, in the amount of $244,746.00, to Great Lakes Water Resource Group, Joliet, IL

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