



Date: October 16th, 2025

To: City Council and Administration

From: Carl R. Ray, Water and Wastewater Director

Re: Award Recommendation for Influent Pump Refurbishment

The influent pumps at the Wastewater Treatment Plant are in need of refurbishment. Refurbishment is preferred over replacement due to difficulty finding pumps that will work in the existing piping configuration. All four pumps were previously submerged during a flood at the plant. The goal is to refurbish on per year. The project is budgeted in 2025 for \$35,000.

The bid documents were prepared, the bid advertised, and documents released starting on September 2nd, 2025. Bids were opened on October 15th, 2025 at 2:00 pm. Two bids were received: one from Brimhall Industrial and one from Wilo USA, LLC. A bid tab is provided on Page 3. The bid included options for impeller shaft refurbishment or replacement. The need for either option will not be known until disassembly. If a replacement of the impeller shaft is necessary, Wilo USA, LLC would be the apparent low bidder, but if impeller shaft refurbishment or no impeller shaft repairs are necessary, Brimhall Industrial would be the apparent low bidder.

The bid documents from Brimhall Industrial were complete and included machine capability, references located in Colorado and Utah, and other supporting documents. The bid documents from Wilo USA, LLC included information on new pumps, but did not include references or other supporting documents. I attempted to contact Wilo USA, LLC and have not received a response. We have worked with Brimhall Industrial on past pump projects and their work has been satisfactory.

The recommendation is to award the bid to Brimhall Industrial for the base bid and impeller shaft replacement in the amount of \$45,238.28 with the understanding that impeller shaft refurbishment or replacement will only be performed if necessary. The proceeding with the possibility of impeller shaft replacement will require an appropriation in the amount of \$10,238.28.

Influent Pump Refurbishment Bid Tab

	Refurbishment of Influent Pump	Impeller Shaft Refurbishment Option	Impeller Shaft Replacement Option	Total w/ Shaft Refurbishment	Total w/ Shaft Replacement
Brimhall Industrial	\$42,404.82	\$766.64	\$2,833.46	\$43,171.46	\$45,238.28
Wilo USA LLC	\$43,900.00	\$750.00	\$900.00	\$44,650.00	\$44,800.00
Price Difference Wilo minus Brimhall	\$1,495.18	-\$16.64	-\$1,933.46	\$1,478.54	-\$438.28