

# Memo

**To: City Administration/City Council**

**From:** Mark Sollenberger/Water & Wastewater Director

**Date:** May 28, 2021

**Re:** Bid award ("Installation") work for the 2021 Water Main Replacement Project

This memo is to recommend that city council award the contractor's "Installation" bid for the 2021 Water Main Replacement Project. The bids for the installation portion of this project were received on 5-25-2021. There were five contractors who attended the mandatory pre-bid meeting on May 12, 2021, and of these contractors the city received only 2 bids for the installation of the new water mains and appurtenances. The Water Main Replacement Project is a water fund capital budgeted project for 2021, with a total budget amount of \$1,050,000.00. A DOLA grant of \$400,000.00 is helping fund a portion of this capital project.

My recommendation is to award this bid to Anson Excavating & Pipe, Inc the lowest bidder for the "installation" work required to complete the 2021 Water Main Replacement Project at a total base bid amount of \$876,907.44. Approval of this bid, along with the "Materials" bid previously awarded by council, will correct three major problem areas totaling about 3400 linear feet in the water distribution system. Below is a bid tab sheet for your review. Thank you in advance for considering this request.

**Vendor**

**Base Bid Total**

Anson Excavating & Pipe, Inc.

\$ 876,907.44

Johnson Construction, Inc.

\$1,363,500.009