


COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

	Number:	19-526	Meeting:	December 16, 2019
	Agenda Item:	48A	Roll Call:	19-2040
	Submitted by:	Jonathan A. Gano, P.E., Public Works Director		

AGENDA HEADING:

Recommend approval of a contract with Electric Pump (4280 E 14th Street, Des Moines IA, 50313-2604) for the repair of a pump within the pump station.

SYNOPSIS:

Recommend approval of a sole source contract with Electric Pump to replace the propeller, shaft, mechanical seal, and miscellaneous components on pump #2, which appears to have been damaged by debris and fell off. Electric Pump is the authorized manufacturer's representative for the area.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Amount: \$99,171.54

Funding Source: FY 2019-2020 Operating Budget, Public Works, Page 230, PW247414 521020 - Storm Pump Stations

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

- The Martin Luther King Jr. pump station provides pumping of stormwater during high river conditions and serves the western part of the downtown area including the Gray's Station development. This repair is needed for operation of the Martin Luther King Jr. pump station located at 420 SW 14th Street.
- Pump parts from other manufacturers would not work, so an entire pump replacement would be necessary to put the pump station back into service if a different manufacturer was chosen. A full pump replacement is over \$300,000.

PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION(S): NONE

ANTICIPATED ACTIONS AND FUTURE COMMITMENTS: NONE

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