


COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

	Number:	26-116	Meeting:	April 6, 2026
	Agenda Item:	23	Roll Call:	26-0441
	Submitted by:	Jonathan A. Gano, P.E., Public Works Director		

AGENDA HEADING:

Approving and authorizing the procurement of a Flygt submersible pump for the Southeast 15th and Harriet stormwater pump station from Electric Pump & Tool Services, Inc., 4280 East 14th Street, Des Moines, IA 50313; (Tom Miller, President).

SYNOPSIS:

Electric Pump & Tool Services, Inc. is the only authorized manufacturer's representative within the metro area. Recommend approval of the procurement of a Flygt submersible pump for the Southeast 15th and Harriet stormwater pump station from Electric Pump & Tool Services, Inc.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Amount: \$119,584

Funding Source: Fiscal Year (FY) 2026-2027 Operating Budget, Public Works, PW247414-526030

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

- The Southeast 15th Street and Harriet pump station has a coverage area of approximately 100 acres of the City of Des Moines. The storm pump stations provide flood protection during high water events.
- Electric Pump & Tool Service Inc. is the only authorized manufacturer's representative within the metro area. Electric Pump & Tool Service Inc. has provided the city with cost savings, reduction of inventory parts, and has helped to standardize pumps throughout the collection system.

PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION(S):

Date: June 27, 2022

Roll Call Number: [22-1027](#)

Action: [Electric](#) Pump (Tom Miller, President) as sole area-wide distributor to issue blanket purchase orders for Flygt pump repair parts and services for all storm and sanitary pump stations during fiscal

year 2023 for use by the Public Works Department, estimated annual cost \$75,000. ([Council Communication No. 22-284](#)) Moved by Gatto to adopt. Second by Boesen. Motion Carried 6-1.
Absent: Sheumaker.

Date: August 3, 2020

Roll Call Number: [20-1232](#)

Action: [Electric](#) Pump (Tom Miller, President) as sole area-wide distributor for Flygt Pump repair parts and services for all storm and sanitary pump stations to be used during fiscal year 2021 for use by the Public Works Department, estimated annual cost \$75,000. ([Council Communication No. 20-323](#)) Moved by Gatto to adopt. Motion Carried 7-0.

BOARD/COMMISSION ACTION(S): NONE

ANTICIPATED ACTIONS AND FUTURE COMMITMENTS: NONE

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