

Common Council Report

Agenda Item: Discussion and Possible Action Regarding 2022 Water Service Replacements Bid Award
Meeting Date: July 5, 2022
Presenter: Mark Langer, Public Works Director
Department: Public Works – Water Utility

Conformance with Strategic Plan:

- Affordability & Financial Stability
- Safe, Inclusive, Welcoming Community
- Diverse Opportunities for Fun and Life-Long Learning
- High Performing Organization with Professional Staff
- Environment for Business Success with Thoughtful Growth and Development

Summary

The 2022 Water Service Replacements project is to replace lead or galvanized/iron service lines discovered through utility maintenance work or during the lead service line (LSL) replacement program. Replacement of utility service lines discovered during the LSL program is required prior to the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources providing reimbursement of the private LSL program construction costs. The project was advertised for bids in the Janesville Gazette on June 13th and June 20th.

Analysis and Key Issues

Two bids were received via QuestCDN vBid on June 28th, 2022 at 1:00 P.M. for the subject project. The Bidders and bid totals are provided below. A bid tabulation is attached.

Bidder	Total Bid
Fanning Excavating, Inc.	\$152,178.00
Five Star Energy Services, LLC	\$215,850.00

The bids provided included the required 5% bid bond.

Fiscal Impact

After analyzing the bids, Fanning Excavating, Inc. was determined to be the lowest responsive and responsible bidder with a Total Bid of \$152,178.00. The low bid was nearly double the pre bid opinion of probable construction cost. The project will be funded by the water utility.

Recommended Motion

Award the 2022 Water Service Replacements to Fanning Excavating, Inc.

Attachments

- Bid tabulation