



Board of Aldermen Request for Action

MEETING DATE: 12/6/2022

DEPARTMENT: Public Works

AGENDA ITEM: Resolution 1155– Acknowledgement and approval of an Emergency Purchase with Mid- America Pump

RECOMMENDED ACTION:

A motion to approve Resolution 1155, acknowledging and approving an emergency expenditure in the amount of \$12,972.27 with Mid-America Pump.

SUMMARY:

The Purchasing Policy outlines the spending authority of the City Administrator at \$7,500. From time to time, it is necessary for the administrator to authorize purchases exceeding that authority in order to address an immediate need. When this occurs, the Board is notified of the emergency need and that the administrator has authorized the necessary purchase.

To that end, authorization of an emergency purchase in the amount of \$12,972.27 is included in the attached Resolution.

At the September 6 Board meeting, staff reported that we were having issues with a valve at the Wastewater Treatment Plant that regulates the flow into the SBR basin 3. In order to remove the valve the basin was drained. Upon draining the basin the decanter was found at the bottom of the basin. The decanter is supposed to float in the basin above the solids and allows the solids to settle and the clarified water is then removed. The basin had approximately three feet of solids at the bottom of the basin and a significant accumulation of rags. Staff believes that the weight of these items that adhered to the decanter caused the mounts/supports to break and caused the failure.

Mid-America Pump and staff have made repairs to the valve but we needed to “borrow” a circuit board from another valve. Mid-America made repairs to the decanter and supports. The Board approved Resolution 1122 on October 4, authorizing the cleaning of the basin however we overlooked the work that Mid-America Pump had performed. The cost for that work totals \$12,972.27.

PREVIOUS ACTION:

N/A

POLICY ISSUE:

Plant Maintenance

FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS:

Funds for repairs and maintenance at the Wastewater Plant are available in the Utilities operational budget.

ATTACHMENTS:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Ordinance | <input type="checkbox"/> Contract |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Resolution | <input type="checkbox"/> Plans |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Staff Report | <input type="checkbox"/> Minutes |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other: invoice | |

RESOLUTION 1155

A RESOLUTION ACKNOWLEDGING AN EMERGENCY PURCHASE WITH MID-AMERICA PUMP IN THE AMOUNT OF \$12,972.27

WHEREAS, the City Administrator's purchasing authority is \$7,500, however in emergency situations, the City Administrator is authorized to make purchases that exceed that amount in order to expedite repairs or purchases for city needs; and

WHEREAS, on October 4, 2022 the Board approved Resolution 1122 authorizing Clean Harbors Environmental Services to clean and remove the solids and rags from SBR #3; and

WHEREAS, staff reported that the decanter in SBR #3 had fallen to the bottom of the basin and support brackets were broken; and

WHEREAS, Mid-America Pump removed and replaced the decanter and replaced the supports and brackets; and

WHEREAS, the services that Mid-America Pump provided cost \$12,972.27.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF
THE CITY OF SMITHVILLE, MISSOURI:**

THAT the Board acknowledges and approves the emergency purchase with Mid-America Pump in an amount of \$12,972.27.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Aldermen and **APPROVED** by the Mayor of the City of Smithville, Missouri, this 6th day of December, 2022.

Damien Boley, Mayor

ATTEST:

Linda Drummond, City Clerk



MID-AMERICA PUMP

5600 Inland Drive
Kansas City, KS
913-287-3900 Fax: 913-287-6641

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Invoice

Date	Invoice #
9/30/2022	16780

Bill To
CITY OF SMITHVILLE ATTN: ACCOUNTS PAYABLE 1 HELVEY PARK DRIVE SMITHVILLE, MO 64089

Customer Acct #	Terms	Customer P.O. No.
CI149	NET 30 DAYS	Verbal Bob Lemley

Item	Description
SHOP LABOR SHOP PARTS FREIGHT OUTBOND	SHOP LABOR SKP# 7608 SHOP PARTS CUSTOMER FREIGHT CHARGES MID-AMERICA PUMP SKP# 7608 This is for the repair and installation of the decanter arm

		Sales Tax (0.0%)	\$0.00
		Total	\$12,972.27