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TO: Finance Committee

FROM: Dean R. Gazza

DATE: 2/24/2024

RE: Action: Award the "2025 Appleton Wastewater Tunnel Painting

Project" contract to Bosk Paint and Sandblast, Inc. in the amount of \$201,165 with a contingency of 10% for a project total not to exceed

\$221,281.

BACKGROUND

The 2025 Appleton Wastewater Treatment Plant operating budget contains monies to paint various areas within the plant. This project will include preparation and painting of tunnel #9 (F-G Tunnel). The existing paint is deteriorating and needs to be recoated.

BID RESULTS

The bids were received as follows:

•	Bosk Paint and Sandblast, Inc. (Low Bid)	\$201,165
•	Howard Grote & Sons, Inc.	\$235,000
•	All-Tech Coatings	\$244,115

RECOMMENDATION

Our consulting engineer has written the City of Appleton a formal letter of recommendation to award the contract to Bosk Paint and Sandblast, Inc. The Parks and Recreation Department has also reviewed the bids and are in agreement with the engineer's recommendation. Therefore, we recommend awarding the contract to Bosk Paint and Sandblast, Inc. in the amount of \$201,165 plus a contingency of 10% only to be utilized as needed.

Please contact me at 832-5572 or at dean.gazza@appleton.org with any questions.