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*"...meeting community needs...enhancing quality of life."*

**TO:** Municipal Services Committee

**FROM:** Paula Vandehey, Director of Public Works  
Sue Olson, Staff Engineer

**DATE:** November 18, 2020

**RE:** Amend 2020 Materials Testing Contract (M-20) with OMNNI Associates, Inc. from an amount not to exceed \$125,000 to an amount not to exceed \$200,000.

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The Department of Public Works recommends amending the 2020 Materials Testing Contract with OMNNI Associates, Inc. from an amount not to exceed \$125,000 to an amount not to exceed \$200,000. Funding for work under this contract is from the various project accounts, including water main (5371), stormwater (5230) and street paving (17014). Sufficient 2020 fund balance exists within these Capital Improvements business units to support this amendment.

The Department of Public Works is requesting additional funding for the 2020 Materials Testing Contract due to testing and response needs exceeding anticipated amounts and to begin testing to obtain the necessary permits for 2021 projects. Some examples are:

- Working with WDNR to relieve the City of responsibility for contamination within the Valley Road right-of-way not removed prior to the reconstruction of Oneida Street
- Meeting all railroad requirements for the utility crossings on Atlantic Street, Appleton Street and Weimer Court
- Assisting the City with proper handling of stormwater pond sediment for NR 528 requirements
- Geotechnical testing at un-anticipated subdivisions, such as Broadway Hills Estates

In order to keep projects moving forward and take advantage of any good weather conditions, staff recommends amending the 2020 Materials Testing Contract with OMNNI Associates, Inc. from an amount not to exceed \$125,000 to an amount not to exceed \$200,000.