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TO: Members of the Finance Committee

FROM: Ross Buetow, Deputy Director of Public Works

SUBJECT: Recommendation to reject bids for Unit H-21 Redundant Raw Water Line

DATE: August 18, 2021

The Department of Public Works recommends that all bids for Unit H-21 Redundant Raw Water Line Construction be rejected due to insufficient budgeted funds in comparison to the low bid amount. Bids were opened on Monday, August 9, 2021. The following is a summary of the bids received:

<u>Bidder</u>	<u>Bid Amount</u>
PTS Contractors, Inc.	\$10,925,000.00
Advance Construction	\$10,999,382.50
Dorner, Inc.	\$11,210,935.00

The approved 2021 budget for this project was \$8,280,000.00. It is our intention to carry these funds over to 2022 and re-bid the project in 2022 with a modified project scope that can still meet our original project objectives, while staying within our funding limits.

Thank you for your consideration.