

## **BIDS**

### **Pump Station Rehab**

Utilities Director, Steve Stalvey, presented the item. Mr. Stalvey stated several lift stations are in need of repair and rehabilitation. The Utilities Department solicited bids to address these issues at fourteen (14) lift stations. Four contractors attended the mandatory pre-bid meeting and one bid was received from RPI, Inc. in the amount of \$1,792,027.80. Chairman Slaughter asked to verify the number of lift stations included in this rehab project? Mr. Stalvey answered there are fourteen (14) in need of repair and fifty-nine (59) total lift stations. Commissioner Orenstein asked if we have internal budget numbers on how much this repair should cost since one bid was received? Mrs. Dukes responded the last rehab which was done can be retrieved and reviewed to verify the estimate amount per station. Chairman Slaughter stated it is always wise to be cognizant of where the pricing is at as far as the market is concerned, in order to get the best value. Mr. Stalvey mentioned one of the issues for the vendors was they were awarded a bid in Albany on Monday, and with our bid being due on Tuesday, the vendor was unable to bid after receiving that job. Commissioner Wisenbaker asked if this bid amount was an acceptable amount? Mr. Stalvey answered yes, staff anticipated over two million dollars.

### **Utilities Forklift**

Utilities Director, Steve Stalvey, presented the item. Mr. Stalvey stated that due to growth and upgraded warehouse space, the Utilities Department is in need of a forklift. Staff evaluated the cost of a new forklift versus used, and a used forklift would meet the needs and is more economical. Staff recommends R&S Lift Trucks for the amount of \$18,100.00. Chairman Slaughter mentioned a typo in the amount shown for R & S Lift Trucks, showing \$18,000.00 instead of \$18,100.00.

## **REPORTS**

There was no additional information to report.

## **ADJOURNMENT**

Commissioner Orenstein made a motion to adjourn the work session, Vice Chairman Marshall seconded. Chairman Slaughter adjourned the meeting at 8:38 a.m.