

COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

From: The City Manager

Subject: Butterfly Valve

Manager's Recommendation:

I recommend that the low bid from Kennedy Industries be accepted and a purchase order be approved and issued to them in the amount of \$3,604.00 for the purchase of a butterfly valve.

This vendor meets all requirements of the Contract Compliance Provisions, Title 1, Chapter 14, §14.35-14.44, of the Saginaw Code of Ordinances.

Funds for this purchase are budgeted in the Water Treatment Operations Capital Outlay Account No. 591-4730-861.97-05.

Justification:

On February 10, 2009, the City received two bids for the purchase of a butterfly valve. The valve is needed to replace the discharge valve on one of our low service pumps. The current valve does not fully seal and is leaking when not in use. The low service pumps are used to pump raw water from the Lake Linton reservoir to supplement the flow received from the pipeline. There is no cost comparison available for this item. Following is a tabulation of the bids received:

Kennedy Industries Milford, MI	\$ 3,604.00
Etna Supply Grand Rapids, MI	\$4,100.00

Council Action:

Council _____ moved that the recommendation of the City Manager be approved.