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March 24, 2025

Honorable Mayor and City Council
City of Baxter
13190 Memorywood Drive
Baxter, MN 56425

**RE: Lift Station No. 17 Reconstruction
WSN Project No. 2024-11511**

Dear Honorable Mayor and City Council:

Pursuant to authority of the City Council and after proper legal advertisement, bids for the above-referenced project were obtained at 10:30 A.M., March 20, 2025, in the Baxter City Hall, Baxter, Minnesota.

The following bids were received:

Tom's Backhoe Service, Inc.	\$135,000.00
CCS Contracting, Inc.	\$148,200.00
Engineer's Estimate	\$170,140.00

Details of all bids are shown on the enclosed Bid Tabulation. The bids were conforming to the plans, specifications and advertisement.

We recommend the contract be awarded to Tom's Backhoe Service, Inc. of Brainerd, Minnesota, the lowest responsible bidder, on the basis of the submitted lump sum bid.

We have retained all Bid Bonds and the original Bid Form of the lowest bidder. We will use the original Bid Form of Tom's Backhoe Service, Inc. to prepare three Contract Documents (one for the City, one for Tom's Backhoe Service, Inc., and one for us). We will return all Bid Bonds once a Contract between the City and Tom's Backhoe Service, Inc. has been fully executed.

Sincerely,

Widseth Smith Nolting & Assoc., Inc.



Aric Welch, P.E.

Enclosure

cc: Trevor Walter, City Engineer

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TABULATION OF BIDS

NAME: Lift Station No. 17 Reconstruction

CLIENT: City of Baxter


DATE: March 20, 2025

PROJECT NO: 2024-11511

TIME: 10:30 A.M.

	ENGINEER'S ESTIMATE	Tom's Backhoe Service, Inc. 323 Woodland Hills Lane Brainerd, MN 56401	CCS Contracting, Inc. PO Box 120781 New Brighton, MN 55112		
ITEM DESCRIPTION					
Lump Sum Bid	\$170,140.00	\$135,000.00	\$148,200.00		

I hereby certify that this tabulation is a true and correct copy of the bids for **Lift Station No. 17 Reconstruction**.


NAME: **Aric Welch**

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March 20, 2025
DATE