



STAFF REPORT

DATE: 03/03/2026
TO: City Council
FROM: Marty McGee
RE: 37th and Harding lift station Grinder pump

BACKGROUND: Harding lift station has one Flowserve pump and one newer Flygt grinder pump that controls the sewer flow to CCUA treatment plant. One pump is the original Flowserve pump that is failing. We have repaired this pump multiple times over the course of its lifetime. The original Flowserve pump is currently in need of additional repairs or replacement. Staff is recommending replacing one Flowserve pump with a new Flygt grinder pump. The Flygt Grinder Pumps are currently what the City have installed when replacing the Flowserve pumps at each of our lift stations.

DISCUSSION: We have received bids for both the repair and replacement of one Flowserve pump at 37th and Harding lift station. The repair cost is included in bid package below. Staff ask council to consider the purchase of a new Flygt grinder pump which will match the current pump installed in 2024.

| Pump Options | Bid amount | Lead Times |
|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------|
| Flowserve repair/rebuild | \$68,500.00 | 24 Weeks |
| Flygt Grinder Pump (New) | \$78,265.00 (Installation included) | 12-14 Weeks |

RECOMENDATION: Staff recommends the City Council accept the proposal to replace the existing Flowserve pump with a new Flygt grinder pump.