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## Agenda Memo

Crest Hill, IL

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<b>Meeting Date:</b>	September 16, 2024
<b>Submitter:</b>	Ronald J Wiedeman
<b>Department:</b>	Engineering
<b>Agenda Item:</b>	Formally reject the 2024 Sanitary Sewer Cleaning and Televising and send the attached rejection letter to all bidders stating the reason for the bid rejection.

**Summary:** Bids were advertised and solicited for qualified contractors to provide unit price costs for the 2024 Sanitary Sewer Cleaning and Televising.

The city solicited bids through IDOT's construction bulletin looking for qualified contractors. A total of five (5) local prequalified contractors picked up bids and three (3) submitted bids. The bids were received for the improvement at Crest Hill City Hall until 11:00 AM local time on Thursday, April 29, 2024. Bids were opened and read aloud on Thursday, April 29, 2024, at 11:00 AM in the Council Chambers. The following is a list of the bids received:

### Results

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| 1. Visu-Sewer of Illinois, LCC | \$526,455.00 |
| 2. National Power Rodding      | \$482,580.00 |
| 3. Sheridan Plumbing and Sewer | \$540,665.00 |

I along with our consultant have reviewed the quotes and found them to be correct and in order. However, due to the bid amounts being substantially higher than the estimated costs (2.5 times higher), Staff feels it would be appropriate to reject the bids and re-bid the project with some changes to the project scope and completion date, In hopes of getting a lower bid. Therefore, at this time, we recommend that the City reject all bids.

**Recommended Council Action:** Formally reject the 2024 Sanitary Sewer Cleaning and Televising and send the attached rejection letter to all bidders stating the reason for the bid rejection.

**Financial Impact:**

**Funding Source:** Sewer Fund

**Budgeted Amount:** \$120,000.00

**Cost:** n/a

**Attachments:**

Bid Rejection Recommendation Letter.pdf

Bid Tab

Rejection Letter-Visu Sewer, LCC