



CITY COUNCIL ITEM SUMMARY

MEETING DATE:	May 4, 2023
SUBCATEGORY:	Bid Awards/Purchases
DEPARTMENT NAME:	Gas
AGENDA ITEM TITLE:	Air Operator Purchase
DEPARTMENT SUMMARY RECOMMENDATION:	<p>The Gas System is requesting the purchase of an air powered operator for our Mueller tapping equipment. This piece of equipment will make our current specialized tapping and stopping operation more efficient by saving three hours of labor on each job. This equipment will also be used by Gas System personnel in place of contractor labor saving approximately \$3,000 per job. The Mueller Company, LLC. is the sole source provider of this equipment and they provided a quote of \$8,948.36. This is a budgeted item and Council's approval of this purchase is recommended.</p>
LEGAL:	Approved by the City Attorney