

ADMINISTRATION

In October 2023, the City of Dickinson IT Department applied for the 2024 Cybersecurity Grant Program through the State of North Dakota. In early 2024, we were notified that we had been awarded all of the grants we applied for which included our request to build out a Storage Area Network (SAN) Replica. The Grand award amount allows us to utilize \$104,000 of Federal funding and \$5,915 of State funding to apply towards with project. In July 2024, we advertised the bid project on our website as well as several times in the local paper and we received a single bid from Vaske Computer Inc for a total project cost of \$149,900. We are request that the City Commission approve the bid award to Vaske Computer Inc allowing us to move forward with the project where we will utilize approximately \$40,000 of our IT Capital dollars as the local match.

IT Director Aaron Meyer

