

## RESOLUTION NUMBER 25-31

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF EUSTIS, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING AWARD OF BID NUMBER 002-25 TO CACIQUE UTILITIES FOR THE COUNTY ROAD 44 FORCE MAIN BYPASS CONNECTION AND APPROVING A PURCHASE IN EXCESS OF \$100,000.**

**WHEREAS**, the City's approved Fiscal Year 2024-2025 Capital Improvement Budget includes funds for the County Road 44 Force Main Bypass Connection; and

**WHEREAS**, the County Road 44 Force Main Bypass Connection will eliminate the need for excessive repairs of the currently failing force main exiting City of Eustis Lift Station 24; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Eustis, Florida advertised invitations to bid (City of Eustis Bid Number 002-25) for the County Road 44 Force Main Bypass Connection Project in accordance with City Purchasing Policies; and

**WHEREAS**, the City received and opened eight (8) individual responses to said Invitation to Bid, on Tuesday, April 1, 2025; and

**WHEREAS**, Cacique Utilities is the lowest responsive, responsible bidder for the construction plans and possesses the required qualifications to perform the construction services necessary and to provide products and equipment as noted in the design specifications; and

**WHEREAS**, City of Eustis Purchasing Ordinance requires that the City Commission approve any purchase in excess of \$100,000.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the City Commission of the City of Eustis, Lake County, Florida, that:

- (1) The City Commission hereby authorizes the award of Bid Number 002-25 to Cacique Utilities in the amount of \$381,150 for the County Road 44 Force Main Bypass Connection Project; and
- (2) The City Commission hereby authorizes the City Manager to execute all agreements and contracts associated with the approved purchase; and
- (3) This resolution shall become effective immediately upon passing.

**DONE AND RESOLVED**, this 17<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2025, in regular session of the City Commission of the City of Eustis, Lake County, Florida.

**CITY COMMISSION OF THE  
CITY OF EUSTIS, FLORIDA**

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Willie L. Hawkins  
Mayor/Commissioner

**ATTEST:**

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Christine Halloran, City Clerk

**CITY OF EUSTIS CERTIFICATION**

**STATE OF FLORIDA  
COUNTY OF LAKE**

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me, by means of physical presence, this 17<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2025, by Willie L. Hawkins, Mayor/Commissioner, and Christine Halloran, City Clerk, who are personally known to me.

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Notary Public - State of Florida  
My Commission Expires:  
Notary Serial No:

**CITY ATTORNEY'S OFFICE**

This document has been reviewed and approved as to form and legal content, for use and reliance of the City Commission of the City of Eustis, Florida.

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City Attorney's Office

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Date

**CERTIFICATE OF POSTING**

The foregoing Resolution Number 25-31 is hereby approved, and I certify that I published the same by posting one copy hereof at City Hall, one copy hereof at the Eustis Memorial Library, and one copy hereof at the Eustis Parks and Recreation Office, all within the corporate limits of the City of Eustis, Lake County, Florida.

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Christine Halloran, City Clerk