



GRAND RAPIDS PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION AGENDA ITEM

AGENDA DATE: April 13, 2022

AGENDA ITEM: Consider a motion to confirm filling the Maintenance I position with the preferred candidate, Mr. Corey Dimich.

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BACKGROUND:

At the March 9, 2022 regular meeting, the Commission declared a vacancy existed for the Maintenance I position and authorized the internal posting. Following the internal posting for the position, we collected one application. An interview with the applicant, Corey Dimich, was conducted and Corey was offered the position on March 18.

Corey has extensive maintenance training, including a four-year millwright apprenticeship and a three-year pipe fitting apprenticeship. Corey holds numerous industrial certifications, including welding, rigging, aerial lift platform, and forklift operation. Corey has been doing maintenance work at GRPU since 2015 and has since acquired his Class D wastewater operator license, Class 3 landfill license, and a Class B CDL with air brake and tanker endorsement. Corey exemplifies safe work practices and has received several accolades based on peer recognition.

Management staff recommends the Commission formally confirm filling the vacancy of the Maintenance I position with the preferred candidate, Corey Dimich.

RECOMMENDATION:

Consider a motion to confirm filling the Maintenance I position with the preferred candidate, Mr. Corey Dimich.