

## GRAND RAPIDS PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION AGENDA ITEM

**AGENDA DATE:** July 23, 2025

**AGENDA ITEM:** Consider a motion to ratify the procurement contract with Duncan

Company for an eight-inch Cla-Val pump control valve for #2 High

Service Pump for the WTP for \$19,016.

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## **BACKGROUND:**

This procurement is for an approved Water Wastewater Capital project with a budget of \$3,515,976. \$500,000 has been spent to date.

This project involves the replacement of an original pump control valve at the Water Treatment Plant (WTP), which is essential for delivering water to the distribution system. Pump control valves are pilot-operated and installed on the discharge side of pumps. They play a critical role in preventing pipeline surges by controlling pressure fluctuations during pump startup and shutdown. Replacing the aging valve ensures reliable system performance and protects the distribution infrastructure.

Duncan Company the distributor for this valve and it is a direct replacement of the existing valve.

The vendor's Certificate of Insurance has been verified to meet the contract requirement and is on file.

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

Consider a motion to ratify the procurement contract with Duncan Company for an eight-inch Cla-Val pump control valve for #2 High Service Pump for the WTP for \$19,016.