

## City of Grass Valley City Council Agenda Action Sheet

Title: Slate Creek Lift Station Pump Replacement Project - Authorization to Purchase

Flygt Equipment

CEQA: Categorically Exempt - Section 15301 "Existing Facilities"

Recommendation: That Council authorize the City Engineer to purchase standardized

Flgyt equipment for the Slate Creek Lift Station Pump Replacement Project

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Council Meeting Date: 09/9/2025 Date Prepared: 09/4/2025

**Agenda:** Consent

<u>Background Information</u>: The Slate Creek Lift Station Pump Replacement Project involves upgrades and modernization work to the existing wastewater lift station; specifically, the demolition and replacement of the wet well, installation of new pumps, piping and valves, and electrical system upgrades.

The project is currently out to bid with an anticipated Bid Opening date of September 16, 2025. As detailed in the project specifications, City Staff planned to purchase the submersible pumps and associated mounting and wiring equipment separately, in order to maintain a direct manufacturer's warranty and avoid contractor markups on the required equipment.

Flygt pumps have previously been authorized by Council on November 4, 2014 as standardized equipment for the City's treatment plant and lift stations. As such, a Sole Source Procurement of the pumps without a competitive bid process is warranted in accordance with the City's Municipal Code. Staff requests that Council authorize the City Engineer to execute a purchase order with Xylem Water Solutions, USA Inc. in the amount of \$200,596.69 for Flygt submersible pumps and associated equipment.

<u>Council Goals/Objectives</u>: The Slate Creek Lift Station Pump Replacement Project executes portions of work tasks towards achieving/maintaining Strategic Plan Goal - Water & Wastewater Systems & Underground Infrastructure.

<u>Fiscal Impact</u>: The Slate Creek Lift Station Pump Replacement Project is fully funded in the FY 2025/2026 CIP Budget with Sewer Rate Program funds.

Funds Available: Yes Account #: 510-406-66940

Reviewed by: \_\_\_\_ City Manager Attachments: N/A