



## City of Grass Valley City Council Agenda Action Sheet

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**Title:** 2023 Sewer Main Replacement Project - Rejection of Bids

**CEQA:** Exempt - Section 15301 "Existing Facilities"

**Recommendation:** That Council reject all bids for the 2023 Sewer Main Replacement Project and authorize immediate re-advertisement of bidding.

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**Prepared by:** Bjorn P. Jones, PE, City Engineer

**Council Meeting Date:** 08/22/2023

**Date Prepared:** 08/17/2023

**Agenda:** Consent

**Background Information:** The 2023 Sewer Main Replacement Project involves sewer main line, manhole and cleanout replacements, along with associated hot mix asphalt pavement improvements. Three sewer line segments were included for replacement, located on Miners Trail, Hocking Avenue, and Jan Road.

Four bids were opened and received on June 20, 2023. Council previously authorized the award of a contract to the low bidder McIntosh Equipment for \$279,000, however, McIntosh was not able secure the necessary performance bonds in order to execute a contract and has withdrawn their proposal.

Staff requests that Council reject all bids at this time and authorize immediate re-advertisement of bidding for the 2023 Sewer Main Replacement Project.

**Council Goals/Objectives:** The 2023 Sewer Main Replacement Project executes portions of work tasks towards achieving/maintaining the Strategic Plan - Water & Wastewater Systems & Underground Infrastructure

**Fiscal Impact:** The project is fully funded with Sewer Rate Funds

**Funds Available:** Yes

**Account #:** 300-406-66820

**Reviewed by:** \_\_\_\_\_ City Manager