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TO: Mayor & City Council
FROM: Mike Greene – City Administrator
DATE: October 19, 2026
RE: El Dorado Water Main Engineering

Background Brief: Thanks to the advocacy of State Representative Hoskins & State Senator Moss, the City has received a \$1.1 million grant through the Michigan Department of Labor and Economic Opportunity (LEO) to fund water main improvements along El Dorado Place, from Bloomfield Drive to Southfield Road. The project will replace the existing water main with a new 8-inch main to improve system reliability and reduce the risk of future water main breaks.

The proposed agreement with Giffels Webster, the City's engineering consultant, provides professional services for surveying, design, permitting, bidding, construction administration, and construction observation. The total engineering services cost is \$161,879.

The grant does not require a local match, and the engineering costs will be covered within the overall \$1.1 million project budget. Accordingly, the City will not need to provide separate matching funds for these services.

Previous Action: N/A

Economic Impact: This is a reimbursement grant. The City will front the funds for this project via the Water Fund and submit reimbursement requests on a quarterly basis.

Recommendation: It is my recommendation to approve the project engineering.

Recommended Motion:

Moved by Council Member _____ seconded by Council Member _____ to approve the agreement for El Dorado Water Main Improvements professional services with Giffels Webster for an estimated cost of \$161,879.

Bruce Kantor
Mayor

Kelly Garrett
Mayor Pro-Tem

Jalen Jennings
Council Member

Jason Hammond
Council Member

John Sousanis
Council Member