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Subject

Consideration and possible action on authorizing the city engineer to begin work on the McCown & Caroline Street Waterline Replacement Project.

Recommendation

Motion to authorize the city engineer to begin work on the McCown & Caroline Street Waterline Replacement Project.

Discussion

As the downtown redevelopment project progresses and the MEDC funds design work for the surface improvements of the streetscape, city staff and consultants are working toward infrastructure improvements in the downtown. Previous work done on infrastructure in the area is a new 12" waterline along Pond Street that serves as a critical connection between the east and west sides of the City. Also wrapping up is a cleaning and televising of the sanitary sewer lines in the downtown and surrounding areas. Data from that project is now available and the engineers have recommendations for repairs to be made along the McCown Street corridor (the sewer repairs are included in a separate agenda item). At the last meeting, City Council approved a master drainage study for downtown to assess storm drainage needs and develop solutions.

There is currently a 4-inch aging waterline along McCown Street. Analysis by the engineers suggests the line should be replaced and upsized to an 8-inch line. The attached proposal was provided at the request of staff.

The design of the project will be paid from the engineering line item in the Water & Sewer Fund. Subsequent construction costs will occur next fiscal year and will be budgeted for.

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| Interim City Administrator | Dave McCorquodale | Date: 07/08/2022 |