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RECOMMENDED ACTION: Authorize CEO or His Designee to Negotiate and Execute a Services and Goods Agreement with WW Peerless, LLC DBA Peerless Equipment for Water Well Pump Diagnostic, Repair, and Replacement Services

BACKGROUND

On November 7, 2022, New Braunfels Utilities (“NBU”) issued a request for proposals to award to one or more respondents for labor, material, and equipment to perform well pump diagnostic, repair, and replacement services at various water and wastewater facilities throughout NBU’s system for predictive and unplanned services (the “Services”).

On December 2, 2022, NBU received two (2) proposals for the Services during the public solicitation process. NBU staff evaluated the proposals and determined both proposals to be the most advantageous to NBU considering the relative importance of price and the other evaluation factors included in the request for proposals. NBU staff recommends the selection of WW Peerless, LLC DBA Peerless Equipment (“Peerless”) and Weisinger Incorporated (“Weisinger”) for the Services. NBU presented the Services and Goods Agreement with Weisinger as a separate agenda item.

NBU staff requests that the Board of Trustees approve the services and goods agreement with Peerless.

This item is being presented to the Board because the total amount of this contract exceeds \$250,000.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

The total financial impact of the agreement with Peerless is \$1,250,000 with a not to exceed amount of \$250,000 for the initial one-year term, and \$250,000 for each of the four (4) additional one-year terms. The Agreement is budgeted between the Water Treatment & Compliance Operations and Maintenance budget (“O&M Budget”) and the Capital Improvement Projects Aging Infrastructure budget (“Capital Budget”) for fiscal year 2023 and will be budgeted in the O&M and Capital Budgets of fiscal year 2024 through fiscal year 2027.

LINK TO STRATEGIC PLAN

Customers and Community

People and Culture

EXHIBITS

1. Contract with Peerless Equipment
2. Summary of Recommendation
3. Bid Tabulation