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February 11, 2022

Mr. Paul D'Andrea, P.E. City of Norman 201 West Gray Street, Bldg A Norman, Oklahoma 73069

Re: 36th Avenue NW Water Line Relocation Project Phase 2

Bid Opening February 10, 2022 - Bid tabulation and Recommendation of award

Mr. D'Andrea,

Regarding the 36th Avenue NW Water Line Relocation Phase 2 Project, bids were opened on February 10, 2022, at 2:00 pm at the City of Norman offices. Six bids were received and are summarized below along with the Engineer's Estimate:

Contractor	Bid Amount
Engineer's Estimate	\$617,120.00
Matthews Trenching Co., Inc	\$799,630.00
Southwest Water Works, LLC	\$842,870.00
WEB Construction, Inc	\$915,870.00
Cimarron Construction Company	\$990,640.00

During the bid opening, Matthews Trenching Co., Inc. submitted the apparent low bid in the amount of \$799,630.00. This bid has been reviewed for mathematical accuracy and evaluated to identify any irregularities, to which none were found. The low bid is approximately 30% above the Engineer's Estimate. The Bid Tabulation is attached for your use.

Given that the major discrepancy in the low bid and the Engineer's Estimate is mainly due to the inflated prices for all the steel items, CP&Y recommends award of Contract No. K-2122-86 to Matthews Trenching Co., Inc. at the total price bid.

Respectfully,



Michael J. Knapik, P.E., Project Manager **CP&Y**, **Inc.**