

May 18, 2023

Honorable Mayor and City Council  
City of Oelwein  
20 2nd Avenue SW  
Oelwein, Iowa 50662

**RE: Bid Recommendation  
Pool Backwash Drain Improvements, Oelwein, Iowa  
Project No. 22-884**

Dear Mayor DeVore and Council Members,

On May 18, 2023, three bids were opened and read for construction of the above-referenced project. A tabulation of the bid is attached. The opinion of probable cost and bid totals were as follows:

Engineer's Estimate	\$174,342.42
Bacon Concrete LLC	\$173,173.33
Shift Companies	\$198,588.80
Blazek Corporation	\$285,169.25

The low bid from Bacon Concrete LLC is 99.3 percent of the estimate. After review of information regarding the low bidder, we recommend the City award the construction contract for the project to Bacon Concrete LLC per their proposal. Please let me know any questions.

Sincerely,



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Senior Project Manager

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