



**TOWN OF PALMER LAKE  
BOARD OF TRUSTEES - AGENDA MEMO**

<b>DATE:</b> April 14, 2022	<b>ITEM NO.</b>	<b>SUBJECT:</b>
<b>Presented by:</b> Town Administrator /Clerk		Direction to Obtain Quotes for Repair of Ped Bridge Abutment Erosion

**Background**

On 3/2, staff along with GMS reps and ATL reps met with UP and BNSF reps to review the placement of the required fencing as described in the ped bridge agreement. As reported to the Board after this meeting, a real concern of erosion at the base of the west abutment of the ped bridge was pointed out as a top priority for the Town to address.

GMS immediately began work on a repair design and is finalizing the sketches with input from the Railroad. GMS expects to complete the final drawings/specifications by April 22 at a cost of \$9,500. Staff is requesting authorization to initiate construction quotes for the erosion repair work upon completion of the final specifications. On the construction side, the actual construction schedule and milestones will be entirely dependent upon contractor timeframes and materials available.

This repair is time sensitive to the Railroad, and staff is interested in completing the work from a public safety perspective as well as closing this project.

**Action**

Direct staff to initiate quotes for the construction work per the final design to complete the erosion repair.