

MEMORANDUM

TO: MAYOR JENSEN AND BOROUGH ASSEMBLY
FROM: KARL HAGERMAN, UTILITY DIRECTOR 
SUBJECT: AWARD RECOMMENDATION – BLIND SLOUGH HYDRO VALVE ORDER
DATE: 7/13/2022
CC: STEVE GIESBRECHT, BOROUGH MANAGER

PMPL and McMillen Jacobs and Associates have been working steadily on the Blind Slough Hydro Refurbishment project. As part of that work, various long lead time items that would normally be included in a construction contract are being ordered directly by the department in this year to circumvent any delay issues that currently exist with many industrial supply chains.

To that end, the project is in need of various high pressure butterfly valves for the hydro bypass line that feeds water to the Crystal Lake Hatchery in the event that the hydro is shut down for maintenance. Due to the highly specialized nature of these valves and the specifications that were developed by the engineering team, the engineers directly solicited quotes for the valves from vendors/manufacturers that were known to produce equipment that would meet the project needs.

Two quotes were received and were evaluated by the engineering team for adherence to the specifications. McMillen Jacobs is recommending that an award be made to B&K Valves for a cost of \$61,692.00. The second quote that was received was over \$100,000 for the specified valves.

PMPL agrees with the recommendation of the Engineer and requests approval to issue a purchase order to B&K Valves for an amount not to exceed \$61,692.00.

Thank you for your consideration.