

**ROCHELLE CITY COUNCIL
REGULAR MEETING 4/8/24
AGENDA ITEM NO. 2**

SUBJECT: Approve a resolution rejecting all bids for the Well 8 Iron Filter Plant.

Staff Contact: Adam Lanning

Summary: The city held a bid opening on March 14th, 2024 for the well 8 iron filter plant and received 4 proposals. Each bid was opened and read aloud with base bids ranging from \$6,872,000 to \$7,940,000. The engineering cost estimate was \$7,130,863 with the base bid 4% under that estimate. The bid tabulation was submitted to Illinois EPA for approval, and upon submission an error pertaining to advertising for disenfranchised business enterprises was discovered. The Illinois EPA therefore is mandating council reject the current bids and repeat the process. A revised timeline is listed below:

Timeline for project:

Bids Advertisement – April 9th
Pre-bid meeting – N/A
Bid Opening – May 2024
Bid Award – June 2024
Loan Agreement Obtained - June 2024
Preconstruction Meeting - August 2024
Construction Start - September 2024
Final – January, 2026

Funding Sources:

Source:	Budgeted Amount:	Proposed Expenditure:
		N/A

Recommendation: Approve an ordinance rejecting the current bids from the March 14th bid opening for the well 8 iron filter plant project.

Supporting Documents:

Document Link 1
Document Link 2
Document Link 3