

**ROCHELLE CITY COUNCIL
REGULAR MEETING 5/11/2026
AGENDA ITEM NO. __**

SUBJECT: Change order to the City of Rochelle 2025 N. 14th Street Storm Sewer improvements contract

Staff Contact: Sam Tesreau, City Engineer

Summary:

The N 14th Street Storm Sewer Improvements contract, with Martin and Company, was approved by City Council in October 2025. The original project is anticipated to be completed by the end of May 2026.

Engineering and Public Works staff identified essential critical pavement resurfacing needs, earlier this year, along streets within the same and/or adjacent subdivisions as the 14th Street project and within the City cemetery along 8th Avenue. As part of the original contract City Council authorized the City Engineer to negotiate additional unit prices or quantities for construction work within the contract parameters. After discussion with the City's contractor Martin and Company an acceptable for additional hot mix asphalt surface improvements in accordance with the same HMA mix designs utilized in the contract.

The additional work is estimated at \$178,000 and will be paid for on as measured final quantities to be determined by the City Engineer. This requested amount will also cover the bituminous materials prep applications by Martin and Company as well as the surface removal operations, other materials and equipment rentals that will be completed by the City Public Works crews in advance of the paving operations.

The additional work will add about 4 weeks onto the original completion date and will be completed by June 30th.

Funding Sources:

Source:	Budgeted/ estimated Amount:	Proposed Expenditure:
CIP 2025 14 th ST Storm Sewer Improvements fund	Utilize available utility tax and/or sales tax funds	Up to \$178,000

Strategic Plan Goal:

Infrastructure Effectiveness and Improvement short term complex

Recommendation:

- Consider an additional change order adjustment to the 14th Street Storm Sewer improvements contract with Martin and Company Excavating, as approved by City Council in October 2025, for up to \$178,000 and authorize the City Engineer to pay for such additional work. Additionally, this request will be utilized to pay for other materials and equipment rentals, utilized by the Public Works Department, in the surface removal and preparation of streets and roadways for the hot mix asphalt improvements contemplated herein. Said expenditures shall be paid from the available utility or sales tax funds in the 2026 CIP.

