

**ROCHELLE CITY COUNCIL  
AGENDA ITEM MEMO  
REGULAR MEETING**

**SUBJECT:** Resolution Ratifying Emergency Expenditure for the Purchase of 750 MCM Aluminum Wire from UUSCO

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**Summary:** As project Jackpot is moving along and construction is underway materials must be ordered in time to keep up with longer lead times and materials shortage.  
The wire for the feeder connection was ordered through Morse and was included in the project bid however it is on backorder for several months. An alternative comparable cable was available immediately and was purchased through UUSCO to meet construction deadlines and avoid any delays.

The already placed order with Morse will remain in place since the cable will be used for the future electric system upgrades.

**Funding Sources:**

Source:	Budgeted Amount:	Proposed Expenditure:
Electric Bonds		\$147,960

**Strategic Plan Goal Application:** Develop and implement plan to replace/repair infrastructure to work in concert with CIP

**Recommendation:** To Approve Resolution Ratifying Emergency Expenditure for the Purchase of 750 MCM Aluminum Wire from UUSCO