

**CITY OF SHEBOYGAN**

**REQUEST FOR PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE CONSIDERATION**

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**ITEM DESCRIPTION:** A resolution authorizing the appropriate City Officials to enter into a contract with Elexco, Inc. for the installation of fiber optic cable at the Uptown Social facility and connecting the facility to the existing “Ring of Fiber” fiber optic cable network.

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**REPORT DATE:** July 13, 2022

**MEETING DATE:** July 26, 2022

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**FISCAL SUMMARY:**

Budget Line Item: 202000-531100  
Budget Summary: Federal Grants  
Contracted Services  
Budget Expenditure: \$50,000.00  
Budgeted Revenue: N/A

**STATUTORY REFERENCE:**

Wisconsin Statutes: N/A  
Municipal Code: N/A

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**BACKGROUND / ANALYSIS:** Renovations of the building which will become the new home of Uptown Social are well underway. The Information Technology Department has a need to connect the facility to the City’s Ring of Fiber. The City engaged the Services of Multimedia Communications and Engineering to design the fiber link installation between the facility and the nearest fiber connection located at North 9<sup>th</sup> Street and Superior Avenue.

**STAFF COMMENTS:** The City of Sheboygan issued a Request for Bids for the directional Boring and fiber installation services. The low bid, in the amount of \$ 39,640.00 was submitted by Elexco, Inc of Seymour WI. A review of the submitted by the City’s Engineer, MC&E has determined that bid meets all of the requirements as specified. The funding for this project is utilizing grant funds supplied through the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA)

Elexco, Inc. is an established Vendor with the City of Sheboygan.

**ACTION REQUESTED:** Motion to recommend the Common Council adopt Res. No. 39-22-23 authorizing the appropriate City Officials to enter into a contract with Elexco, Inc. for the installation of fiber optic cable at the Uptown Social facility and connecting the facility to the existing “Ring of Fiber” fiber optic cable network.

**ATTACHMENTS:**

- I. Res. No. 39-22-23
- II. Elexco, Inc. agreement