

**COMMISSION FILE NO:** 25-097-7 **DATE INTRODUCED:** July 14, 2025

**INTRODUCED BY:** Executive Director (Signature on File in the Office of the Commission)

**REFERRED BY COMMISSION CHAIRPERSON TO:** Operations Committee

**RELATING TO:** Award of Contract C98065C01, Sanitary Sewer Outfall Abandonment, and Approve Changes in Total Project Cost

**SUMMARY:**

The Commission is requested to award and to direct the Executive Director to execute on behalf of the District Contract C98065C01, Sanitary Sewer Outfall (SSO) Abandonment, to Mid City Corporation (Mid City) in the amount of \$337,950. Mid City was the lowest responsible, responsive bidder among three bids received.

Further, the Commission is requested to increase the total project cost (TPC) for Project C98065, Separate Sewer Outfall Abandonment, by \$148,300 for an amended TPC of \$810,000 and to make a corresponding change to the TPC of Project M99001, Allowance for Cost and Schedule Changes.

The District's 2035 Vision includes zero sewer overflows (both combined and sanitary) and no basement backups. Sanitary sewer overflows are not permitted under the District's Wisconsin Pollutant Discharge Elimination System permit. To help achieve this goal and ensure ongoing permit compliance, staff reviewed and analyzed the 18 existing District-owned sanitary sewer outfalls to determine if the SSO could be abandoned and eliminate the potential of an overflow without increasing flow back up into the municipally owned sewer system and increasing the risk of basement backups. Through this analysis, the District identified nine such SSO's.

To date, one of the nine SSO's has already been abandoned under a separate effort. The District has prepared a bid package to abandon the remaining eight SSO's and publicly bid this package as Contract C98065C01.

**ATTACHMENTS:** **BACKGROUND** ☐ **KEY ISSUES** ☐ **RESOLUTION** ☒  
**FISCAL NOTE** ☒ **S/W/MBE** ☒ **OTHER** ☐ \_\_\_\_\_

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## SUMMARY (Cont'd)

### Award of Contract C98065C01, Sanitary Sewer Outfall Abandonment, and Approve Changes in Total Project Cost

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Under the proposed Contract C98065C01, Mid City will perform work necessary to abandon the outfalls at the following locations:

SSO Number	Location	Municipality
BS0302	North 106th Street and West Fisher Parkway	Wauwatosa
BS0401	North Honey Creek Parkway and West Wisconsin Avenue	Wauwatosa
BS0403	North Honey Creek Parkway and Portland Avenue	Wauwatosa
BS0504	North Lydell Avenue and West Hampton Avenue	Milwaukee
BS0507	North 46th Street and West State Street	Milwaukee
BS0511	North 31st Street and West Fairmount Avenue	Milwaukee
BS0512	North Lydell Avenue and West Lancaster Avenue	Whitefish Bay
BS0603	South 43rd Street and West Lincoln Avenue	Milwaukee

Specifically, their work includes:

- Removing and disposing mechanical and electrical equipment from the SSO sites.
- Demolishing two existing SSO manhole structures to three feet below existing grade.
- Bulkheading SSO pipe inlets and outlets to isolate the pipes from connecting sewers.
- Filling abandoned pipes with flowable slurry.
- Restoring surface areas to their original conditions.

The duration of the contract is 275 calendar days.

Staff requests to increase the TPC of Project C98065, as additional District labor is required to administer the project, and the low bid was more than budgeted.

## **RESOLUTION**

Award of Contract C98065C01, Sanitary Sewer Outfall Abandonment, and Approve Changes in Total Project Cost

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**RESOLVED**, by the Milwaukee Metropolitan Sewerage Commission, that Contract C98065C01, Sanitary Sewer Outfall Abandonment, is awarded to Mid City Corporation in the amount of \$337,950, and that the Executive Director is directed to execute a contract of behalf of the District.

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, by the Milwaukee Metropolitan Sewerage Commission, that the total project cost for Project C98065, Separate Sewer Outfall Abandonment, is increased by \$148,300 for an amended total project cost of \$810,000, and that a corresponding change is made to the total project cost for Project M99001, Allowance for Cost and Schedule Changes.