

# E Environment Committee

Meeting date: July 26, 2011

For the Metropolitan Council Meeting of July 27, 2011

## ADVISORY INFORMATION

**Date:** July 7, 2011  
**Subject:** Authorization to Award and Execute Contract 11P090 for Construction of the Chaska Interceptor Improvements Phase 2, MCES Project Number 805820  
**District(s), Member(s):** District 4, Gary Van Eyll  
**Policy/Legal Reference:** Council Policy 3-3, Expenditures  
**Staff Prepared/Presented:** Scott Dentz 651-602-4503  
**Division/Department:** MCES c/o William G. Moore, 602-1162

### Proposed Action

That the Metropolitan Council authorize its Regional Administrator to award and execute a construction contract for the Chaska Interceptor Improvements Phase 2, Project No. 805820, Contract No. 11P090, with Spiniello Companies for their low bid of \$7,641,150.

### Background

Inspection of this interceptor has revealed severe hydrogen sulfide corrosion damage to the pipe and maintenance structures. Cured-In-Place –Pipe (CIPP) is the proposed method of rehabilitation for approximately 560 lineal feet of 66-inch reinforced concrete pipe; and sliplining is the proposed rehabilitation method for 7,400 lineal feet of 72-inch diameter reinforced concrete pipe. Open cut excavation will be necessary to rehabilitate or replace 21 maintenance structures.

A formal Invitation for Bids (IFB) was advertised and issued for the construction contract. Three bids were received on June 30, 2011, ranging from \$7,641,150 to \$10,160,750. Spiniello Companies submitted the lowest responsive, responsible bid in the amount of \$7,641,150. The low bid was approximately 12% above the engineer's estimate of \$6,815,693.

### Rationale

Construction contracts exceeding \$1,000,000 require Metropolitan Council authorization.

### Funding

Project is funded in the 2011 MCES Capital Program, Project Number 805800.

## BUDGET INFORMATION

Annual or Capital	Project No.	Estimated Project Cost	Current Auth.	Unencumbered Funds	Requested Amount
Capital	805800	\$16,000,000	\$16,000,000	\$8,500,000	\$7,641,150

### Known Support / Opposition

No known opposition.