

**E Environment Committee
Meeting date: April 10, 2012**

For the Council Meeting of April 25, 2012

| ADVISORY INFORMATION | |
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| Date: | April 6, 2012 |
| Subject: | Authorization to Increase Delegated Change Order Authority for Golden Valley Interceptor 1-GV-461 Improvements, Project No. 809030 |
| District(s), Member(s): | 6, James Brimeyer |
| Policy/Legal Reference: | Policy 3-3, Expenditures |
| Staff Prepared/Presented: | Bryce J. Pickart, 651-602-1091 |
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Proposed Action

That the Metropolitan Council increases the delegated construction contract change order authority of its General Manager, Environmental Services, from \$50,000 to \$180,000 for the Golden Valley Interceptor 1-GV-461 Improvements, Project 809030.

Background

This construction contract rehabilitates portions of Interceptor 1-GV-461 in Golden Valley, using cured-in-place-pipe technology for most of the work. In addition, a 100 LF section of 30-inch diameter pipe is being replaced. Subsequent to the original design, bid, and construction contract award, the design engineer has re-designed the pipe and pipe piling support system for the replacement pipe section. As a result, a change order to the original construction contract will be negotiated for an amount estimated not-to-exceed \$180,000.

Rationale

Delegated change order authority is \$50,000 for contracts with an original amount under \$1,000,000. This contract's original amount is \$957,700. Revisions to the pipe support system for a portion of the project have led to the need for increased change order authority.

Funding

| BUDGET INFORMATION | | | | | |
|---------------------------|-------------|------------------------|---------------|--------------------|------------------|
| Annual or Capital | Project No. | Estimated Project Cost | Current Auth. | Unencumbered Funds | Requested Amount |
| Capital | 809030 | \$1,300,000 | \$1,300,000 | \$170,000 | \$130,000 |

Known Support / Opposition

There is no known opposition.