



NOTICE

MEETING: **Emergency Council Meeting**

DATE: **Tuesday, January 30th, 2024**

TIME: **4:00 pm**

PLACE: **Council Chambers, 8296 Highway 7,
Sherbrooke**

Please Advise If Unable To Attend



Municipality of the District of St. Mary's

Emergency Council Meeting

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We acknowledge that we are gathering in Mi'kmaqi the traditional unceded territory of the Mi'kmaq people.

1. Call to Order
2. Roll Call
3. Approval of the Agenda
4. Matters of Business
 - a. Repair to Municipal Wastewater LIFT Station

Adjournment

A 10-minute question and answer period pertaining to agenda items.

Repair of Village Lift Station Piping (Update January 29,2024)

Replacement of Check Valve and Elbow of Discharge Piping

SUMMARY

This report is an update to the January 17, 2024, COTW review of the repair work.

BACKGROUND

During recent inspections, Public Works has discovered that the check valve and elbow in the Village lift station has partially failed and is now leaking sewer water back into the lift station. This lift station is where all the wastewater from the entire system enters prior to being pumped to the wastewater treatment facility. If this was to fail completely, there would be no flow through the wastewater treatment facility.

Quotes were solicited and one provider bid after an on-site visit named Partner Construction who operate out of New Glasgow, Nova Scotia.

The bidder completed a final analysis (Post Jan 17 COTW) resulting in an updated repair plan with new and necessary components added:

The final breakdown of the repair work includes:

1. Parts and materials \$1,888.09.
2. Labour has been increased in total work time duration to supply a 3-person crew for a full day including a spotter. Estimated labour is now at \$7,836.91. (this was planed for confined spaces requirements and cost for use of related equipment).
3. Approximately, \$5,500.00 in 2 vacuum trucks to keep the LIFT station to be repaired emptied, and one station upstream empty. Plus 1 washer truck to clean the work area has been added.
4. Contingency of \$ \$6775.01 Plus tax.

Total: \$15,224.99, Plus Contingency, Plus HST.

CONSIDERATIONS

A high contingency has been recommended for budget planning as a worst-case scenario due to:

- 1.) Specialized and unique work.
- 2.) Older infrastructure including older adjoining parts being repaired.
- 3.) Pricing is dependant on a job completion in 1 day so delays into a second day will add additional travel time and other hourly costs.

RECOMMENDATIONS

Motion for emergency meeting: That council approve the repairs to the Municipal lift station in the estimated amount of \$15,224.99 Plus a contingency of \$ \$6775.01 for a total of \$22,000 Plus HST.