



Village of Rycroft
Request for Decision
Council Meeting Date: March 21, 2023

TOPIC: Sewer Main and Manhole Re-line Capital Project

RECOMMENDED ACTION: That Council award the 2023 Capital budget contract to complete the re-lining of the sewer main and manhole project to Insituform Technologies Ltd., of Edmonton in the amount of \$223,111 plus GST.

BACKGROUND: We advertised the Sewer and Manhole Re-line Capital Project on the Alberta Purchasing Connection website, in the Central Peace Signal newspaper, social media, and bulletin boards. The posting closed February 24. The Village requested proposals from independent contractors to repair infrastructure by re-lining some aged sanitary sewer lines and manholes. We asked for a price to re-line approximately 800 meters of sewer line; specific actual lengths of lining will be determined when the chosen company comes to take actual measurements for liner order. Also, we want 6 manholes lined, with ladder rung removal and benching repairs where needed. There is approximately 3 meters depth on average for each manhole. Proposals will include provision of all materials and labour to complete the entire job. The project is to be completed by September 30, 2023.

We had three interested bidders for the whole job:

Insituform Technologies Ltd., Edmonton, AB:	\$223,111 +GST
New Line Trenchless Technologies, Calgary, AB:	\$243,400 +GST
Standard General Inc., Calgary, AB:	\$398,000 +GST

We did have a fourth interested bidder, but their price is to do the manhole relining only:

Integral Coatings, Edmonton, AB:	\$43,935 +GST
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As it is not a complete job, Administration does not recommend entertaining the bid from Integral Coatings.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS: The bid is within the \$250,000 budgeted amount. It is ineligible for the AB Wastewater grant program. We have submitted this project for our MSI funding account.

POLICY AND/OR LEGISLATIVE IMPLICATIONS: The project was advertised as per our policies FIN.04 Purchasing, and FIN.06 Tendering. As the job is >\$75,000 we are required to advertise it broadly on the *Alberta Purchasing Connection*, as per Provincial trade agreements.

ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS:

1. Council could motion to reject the bids and reschedule the project

ATTACHMENTS: None.

Peter Thomas
Chief Administrative Officer

March 13, 2023
Date