BILL 2016-1

**** First Reading ****

Agenda Item

TO: Mayor and City Council

FROM: Zachary Johnson, Director of Utilities

DATE: January 4, 2016

RE: Collection System Basin F-0001 Improvement Project

Background

The City, with the help of HDR, had previously determined collection basin known as F-0001 needed several improvements. This is an extremely large basin and an area of problems and concerns. The main trunk line in Harris Street between 8th and Grand is undersized and needs upgrading. The City was able to CCTV (Closed Circuit TV) several areas of this basin but needs the remaining lines videoed and several point repairs conducted.

Purpose

HDR designed a scalable project that would allow the new construction along Harris Street and the remaining lines to be videoed to develop a priority list of point repairs. Amount of funds left after the Harris Street work and the CCTV would determine how many point repairs or line rehabilitations get completed. HDR estimated the cost of this project to be $1,215,000. A request for sealed bids was advertised in September, and on October 6th the sealed bids were opened at City Hall. Visu-Sewer Inc. was the low bidder at $1,456,787. HDR evaluated Visu-Sewer and deemed them a responsible and responsive bidder and recommends them for award. Since the low bid amount exceeded the City's budget for this project, Change Order No. 1 has been submitted with the award to reduce the contract price to $1,212,416.75 by reducing the number of point repairs.

Recommendation

It is the recommendation of staff to pass the proposed ordinance to allow the City Manager to award the bid to Visu-Sewer Inc. and sign Change Order #1.

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AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER OF THE CITY OF CAMERON, CLINTON AND DeKALB COUNTIES, MISSOURI, TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH VISU-SEWER, INC. TO COMPLETE THE COLLECTION SYSTEM IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT AND TO EXECUTE CHANGE ORDER NUMBER 1

WHEREAS, the City of Cameron provides wastewater collection and treatment for the residents of Cameron; and

WHEREAS, Collection Basin F-0001 was identified as needing large scale improvements; and

WHEREAS, the City of Cameron has utilized the engineering services of HDR for this project; and

WHEREAS, the City advertised for sealed bids which were opened on October 6, 2015; and

WHEREAS, HDR has reviewed and evaluated the bids and determined Visu-Sewer, Inc. is a responsible and responsive bidder and submitted the lowest bid.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CAMERON, CLINTON AND DeKALB COUNTIES, MISSOURI AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The City Manager is hereby authorized to award the bid for the Collection System Basin F-0001 Improvements Project to Visu-Sewer, Inc. for $1,456,787 and authorized to sign all necessary documents.

Section 2. The City Manager is also authorized to sign Change Order No. 1 for a deduction of $244,370.25 making the contract price $1,212,416.75. A copy of Change Order No. 1 is attached.

Section 3. The Mayor is hereby authorized to sign this Ordinance on behalf of the City of Cameron.

Section 4. The City Clerk is hereby directed to attest to the Mayor's signature.

Passed and approved on first reading this 4th day of January 2016.
Passed and approved on second reading this ___ day of _____ 2016.
Passed and approved on third and final reading this ___ day of _____ 2016.

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Mayor Dennis M. Clark

ATTEST:

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City Clerk/Finance Clerk

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