

March 18, 2022
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Mr. Joel Hannenburg
Georgetown Charter Township
1515 Baldwin Street, PO Box 769
Jenison, MI 49429

RE: Georgetown Charter Township
Wastewater System Improvements – Pump Station Metering Improvements

Dear Joel:

On Thursday, March 17th the Township received bids for the referenced project. One bid was received and the bid tabulation is attached for reference. Kamminga & Roodvoets, Inc. of Grand Rapids, MI was the sole bidder with a bid of \$740,000.

We have reviewed the bid and discussed the project with Kamminga & Roodvoets. They indicated a good understanding of the project's critical elements such as schedule and criticality of the infrastructure being worked on. They also have a quality subcontracting team. Kamminga & Roodvoets has constructed numerous projects of similar scope with successful outcomes.

We recognize the bid is higher than was previously estimated during the feasibility study we prepared last summer. The bid appears to be consistent with the current bidding climate which reflects rising material costs and longer delivery times. In addition, several scope items we incorporated as requested were not included in the feasibility study. The study assumed the installation of bypass risers rather than permanent meter bypass piping at Maplewood and Port Sheldon, that the undisturbed portion of the existing access drives would remain, and work in the road right-of-way would not be required. Also, the pile support of the meter chamber at Chicago Drive Pump Station was evaluated and added after the feasibility study.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to ask. A Notice of Award is enclosed for your signature should the Township wish to award the project to Kamminga & Roodvoets, Inc.

Sincerely,

Prein&Newhof



Jonathan S. Cooper, P.E.

Enclosures: Bid Tabulation
Notice of Award

c: Ken Bosma, Prein&Newhof