

RESOLUTION NO. 2023 – 05- 02

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COMMERCE, TEXAS,
AWARDING A CONSTRUCTION CONTRACT TO INSITUFORM TECHNOLOGIES,
LLC FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A NEW WATER LINE CROSSING AT THE
SULPHUR RIVER CROSSING AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

WHEREAS, it is the responsibility of local government to ensure that public funds are managed in a prudent and financially sound manner; and

WHEREAS, the City developed a small water leak in its water delivery line at the location of the Sulphur River crossing last year (2022) which is the primary route for providing water to our community; and

WHEREAS, the City recognizes the risk of addressing this emergency prior to peak water demand season for the City, which is quickly approaching in the summer of 2023; and

WHEREAS, Utility Engineers from Hayter Engineering have recommended replacement of the entire line with a new, larger line to safely establish a more reliable crossing with increased capacity which will sustain future growth of the community,

WHEREAS, the City can utilize a BuyBoard Proposal to secure competitive pricing and comply with state procurement requirements and is therefore in the best financial interest and is the most timely solution for the citizens of Commerce;

WHEREAS, Insituform Technologies, LLC is a world-renowned firm which specializes in directional drilling and installation of water lines; and

WHEREAS, the proposed cost of the project is approximately \$965,000 and the City's FY 2023 Capital Improvement Projects (CIP) includes funding for \$3.5 million exclusively for utility system improvements that can be repurposed from a less crucial project to fund this critical project; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Commerce, Texas, has deemed it necessary and in the best interest of the citizens of the City of Commerce to approve the proposal, attached as "Exhibit A" and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE
CITY OF COMMERCE, TEXAS:**

Section 1: THAT, the City Council of the City of Commerce hereby approves the Proposal from BuyBoard and Insituform attached hereto as "Exhibit A".

Section 2: THAT, any prior Resolution of the City Council in conflict with the provisions contained in this Resolution are hereby repealed and revoked.

Section 3: THAT, should any part of this Resolution be found invalid for any reason, the reminder shall not be affected thereby, and such remaining portions are hereby declared to be severable.

Section 4: THAT, this Resolution shall be in full force and effect immediately from and after its passage, and it is so duly resolved.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 2ND DAY OF MAY 2023.

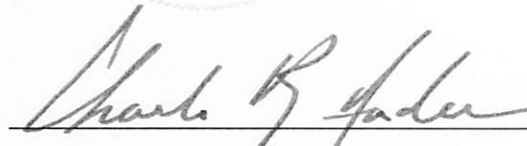
CITY OF COMMERCE, TEXAS



Teddy Reel, Mayor

(Seal)

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Charles Anderson, City Attorney

CITY OF COMMERCE, TEXAS



Molly Jacobsen, City Secretary

APPROVED:



Howdy Lisenbee, City Manager

I, Molly Jacobsen, City Secretary of the City of Commerce, Texas, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of a resolution and that the same has not been repealed and is in full force and effect.

(Seal)



Molly Jacobsen, City Secretary

City of Commerce, Texas