

Item # 4-4B

**CARSON CITY, NEVADA
REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION**

Date Submitted: December 8, 2006

Agenda Date Requested: December 21, 2006

Time Requested: Consent

Labor Commissioner Pwp # CC-2007-108

To: Mayor and Supervisors

From: Public Works Contracts Division

Subject Title: Action to accept Public Works recommendation and accept the Contract issued for the **Emergency Re-Drilling of Well #24 Project – Consultant Services, Contract # 2006-091**, and authorize Public Works to issue payments to Aqua Hydrogeologic Consulting LLC, P.O. Box 18793, Reno, Nevada 89511, from the Production Wells Construction Account as provided for in FY 2006/2007, in the amount of \$44,682.00 and a contingency amount not to exceed \$4,400.00.

Staff Summary: Based on a video survey in November 2006, Well # 24 has failed due to corrosion. This well is over 30 years old and was given to the City with the development of the Riverview Estates Subdivision. As a result of the failure, Well 24 must be re-drilled as it is critical during peak summer flow conditions. In order to have a producing well for the next irrigation season a new well must be installed and re-equipped. This process usually takes 18 to 24 months if we were to follow the normal bidding process. We are requesting that this contract be declared an emergency due to timing for implementing replacement by the next irrigation season.

Type of Action Requested: (Check One)

- Resolution
- Ordinance
- Formal Action/motion
- Other (Specify)

Does this Action Require a Business Impact Statement: () Yes (X) No

Recommended Board Action: I Move to Accept Public Works recommendation and accept the Contract issued for the **Emergency Re-Drilling of Well #24 Project – Consultant Services, Contract # 2006-091**, and authorize Public Works to issue payments to Aqua Hydrogeologic Consulting LLC, P.O. Box 18793, Reno, Nevada 89511, from the Production Wells Construction Account as provided for in FY 2006/2007, in the amount of \$44,682.00 and a contingency amount not to exceed \$4,400.00.

Explanation for Recommended Board Action: On December 8, 2006, this project was declared an emergency by the City Manager, because this is one of the major production wells; getting it operational again is considered an emergency as continued down time of this well puts our ability to adequately supply water to our residents for consumption and fire protection at risk. A contract was solicited to provide an emergency quote. The quote was received and a contract will be issued December 21, 2006, that will require the contractor to pay Nevada State Prevailing Wage, provide bonds and insurance for the project. Since this project was deemed an emergency, it must be reported to the public body at its next regularly scheduled meeting.

Project Estimate: \$49,082.00