Business Item 2018-50: Contract Award for Mound Area Improvements

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Project Overview

- MCES: Replace approximately 3 miles of existing 24" forcemain with 2-18" forcemain
- Coordination with multiple agencies
 - Mound watermain improvements
 - Hennepin County drainage and storm sewer improvements
 - Minnetrista/MCES forcemain connection improvements
 - CenterPoint Energy: Upgrade gas main
- Construction duration 2018-2020



Bid Summary

- Received three responsive, responsible bids: \$22,819,355.50 to \$27,028,401.86
- Geislinger and Sons, Inc. submitted the low bid, which was less than the engineer's estimate of \$27,610,099.00
- Disadvantaged business goals of 8% Minority Business Enterprise and 8% Women Business Enterprise



Thrive Lens Analysis

• Stewardship:

 Public financial resources will be invested efficiently and effectively to maintain and restore existing wastewater infrastructure, which protects the region's natural resources.

Sustainability:

- Preserving our wastewater infrastructure to maintain and support our region's well-being over the long term.

• Equity:

- Using our investments to build a more equitable region through our Disadvantaged Business Goals administered by the Minnesota Public Facilities Authority.

• **Prosperity**:

- Protecting natural resources and investing in infrastructure needed for economic competitiveness.
- Promoting regional principles:
 - Integrate project coordination with multiple stakeholders and collaborate with stakeholders to solve complex technical issues.



Proposed Action

 That the Metropolitan Council authorizes its Regional Administrator to award and execute a construction contract for Mound area improvements at the 7021 interceptor, MCES Project Number 802829, Contract No. 17P289, with Geislinger and Sons, Inc., for their low responsive, responsible bid of \$22,819,355.50.



Questions

