

CITY OF GALENA, ILLINOIS

101 Green Street, PO Box 310, Galena, Illinois 61036



MEMORANDUM

TO: Honorable Mayor Renner and City Council

FROM: Andy Lewis, City Engineer *ALewis*

DATE: 6 May 2019

RE: Replacement of Fire Hydrants – Approval of Quotes

Request for quotes (RFQ) for unit costs to replace old and deteriorated fire hydrants were sent to three contractors. The RFQ was also posted on the city website. Two contractors submitted quotes as detailed below:

#	ITEM	UNIT	QUANTITY	Louie's Trenching Service		J.I. Construction	
				UNIT COST \$	AMOUNT \$	UNIT COST \$	AMOUNT \$
1	Remove and replace fire hydrant. New hydrant and fittings supplied by city. Reinstate ground to original condition.	Each	3	2340	7020	4000	12000
2	Remove and replace hydrant valve if required by city. New valve and fittings provided by city.	Each	3	450	1350	4800	14400
3	Install new hydrant valve if required by city. New valve and fittings provided by city.	Each	2	1650	3300	2000	4000
	TOTAL COST				11670		30400

This project involves the replacement of fire hydrants and valves at various locations throughout the city. All work will be coordinated with Veolia and the Fire Department.

The quote from Louie's Trenching Service is the best value option. We have \$12,500 budgeted this year for replacing fire hydrants.

I recommend the city council approves a contract with Louie's Trenching Service to replace fire hydrants and valves at unit prices detailed above.