

Division of Water

Request for Legislation

An ordinance authorizing the Division of Water to enter into a utility repair agreement with Cuyahoga County to perform certain storm and sanitary sewer repairs. Term of the agreement will be for a period of two years with a one year option to renew.

Background/Purpose:

When water mains and other related water appurtenances break in the distribution system, occasionally storm and sanitary sewers become damaged. CWD needs to make sure these sewers are repaired as part of the water main repair, but occasionally they can be very challenging for our water crews to complete. The Cuyahoga County Department of Public Works maintains sewers for several communities in the County, and has special expertise in repairing sewers at a very reasonable cost. Cuyahoga County is willing to enter into a utility repair agreement with CWD to perform sewer repair services for CWD on an as-needed basis.

Scope of Work/Commodities/Services:

Upon request, Cuyahoga County will repair storm and sanitary sewers in the public right-of-way and easements, including storm and sanitary service connections and laterals and backfill.

Justification/Urgency:

Cuyahoga County already maintains many of the suburban sewers in CWD's service area and is well familiar with them. Additionally, their use of specialized vacuum machines for excavations, cleaning vaults and opening clogged sewer lines offer increased efficiency in the removal of debris to allow CWD to perform its needed repairs.

Anticipated Costs and funding source:

The funding source will be CWD's operating budget. The projected two-year estimates are as follows:

Year 1: \$60,000. Year 2: \$60,000. Total: \$120,000.

Schedule or Term of Agreement:

This legislation will lead to a utility repair agreement for a term of two years with a one year option to renew.

Previous Contracts:

Vendor Name	Vendor Address	Vendor Contact	Contract Information
Cuyahoga County Department of Public Works	2079 E. Ninth St., 5th Floor Cleveland, OH 44115	Bryan J. Hitch Sewer Maintenance Superintendent 2501 Harvard Avenue Newburgh Heights, OH 44105 bhitch@cuyahogacounty.us (216) 443-8219	Contract #: PS2020-183 Awarded Amount: \$100,000.00 Contract Expiration Date: 8/13/2023
Cuyahoga County Department of Public Works	2079 E. Ninth St., 5th Floor Cleveland, OH 44115	Bryan J. Hitch Sewer Maintenance Superintendent 2501 Harvard Avenue Newburgh Heights, OH 44105 bhitch@cuyahogacounty.us (216) 443-8219	Contract #: PS2017-186 Awarded Amount: \$120,000.00 Contract Expiration Date: 8/13/2020

CSB Participation:

N/A – The utility repair agreement will be between two governmental agencies.