

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF WATERWORKS COMMISSIONERS OF WATER DISTRICT NO. 1, PARISH OF LAFOURCHE, STATE OF LOUISIANA, TAKEN AT A REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD HELD NOVEMBER 21, 2024.

The Board of Waterworks Commissioners of Water District No. 1, Parish of Lafourche, State of Louisiana, met in regular session at the Water Treatment Plant Distribution Office, Lockport, Louisiana, on Thursday, November 21, 2024, at six o'clock p.m.

All rose and recited the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

There were present: Mr. Sidney Triche, President; Mr. Robert Pontif, Jr., Secretary Treasurer; Commissioners: Mr. Dirk Barrios, Mr. Evan Plaisance, Mr. Barry Uzee, Mr. Nolan Cressionie, Mr. Bobby Grabert, Mr. Jordan Collins and Mr. Morris Guidry.

There was absent: Vice President; Mr. Eric Roundtree and Commissioner; Mr. Manuel Delatte.

On motion by Mr. Nolan Cressionie, seconded by Mr. Bobby Grabert, the Board unanimously approved the minutes of the meeting held October 17, 2024.

There were no comments from the public.

Mr. Wayne Gautreaux, General Manager, presented to the Board the Audit Report for Fiscal Year ending June 30, 2024, as prepared by Stagni & Company, LLC, Certified Public Accountants for the District. After discussion, on motion by Mr. Barry Uzee, seconded by Mr. Morris Guidry, the Audit Report for Fiscal Year ending June 30, 2024, as prepared by Stagni & Company, LLC was unanimously approved.

Mr. Tory Hebert read a job progress report from Lafourche Parish Water District No. 1, which was ordered filed.

On motion by Mr. Evan Plaisance, seconded by Mr. Jordan Collins, the Board unanimously approved the low bid of Muddy Pipeworks, LLC in the amount of \$281,852.50

for bids received November 12, 2024, for Water Line Replacement Along N. Barrios Street-CWEF 2023-24.

On motion by Mr. Jordan Collins, seconded by Mr. Bobby Grabert, the Board approved, with Commissioner Mr. Dirk Barrios abstaining, the low quote of Outer Limit Contractors in the amount of \$41,500.00 for South Plant Sludge Pit Cleaning.

On motion by Mr. Bobby Grabert, seconded by Mr. Nolan Cressionie, the Board approved, with Commissioner Mr. Dirk Barrios abstaining, the low quote of Outer Limit Contractors in the amount of \$40,750.00 for North Plant Sludge Pit Cleaning.

On motion by Mr. Barry Uzee, seconded by Mr. Morris Guidry, the Board unanimously approved advertising for bids for Water Line Replacement Along Hwy 24. Bids to be received January 7, 2025, at 2:00 p.m. at the Administration Office, Lockport, LA.

On motion by Mr. Evan Plaisance, seconded by Mr. Jordan Collins, the Board unanimously approved advertising for bids for Water Line Replacement Along Romy Drive. Bids to be received January 14, 2025, at 2:00 p.m. at the Administration Office, Lockport, LA.

Mr. John Plaisance II read a job progress report from GIS Engineering, LLC, which was ordered filed.

Mr. Michael Badeaux read a job progress report from Badeaux Engineers, Inc., which was ordered filed.

Mr. Jack Plaisance read a job progress report from T. Baker Smith, LLC, which was ordered filed.

Mr. Marco Picciola read a job progress report from Picciola & Associates, Inc., which was ordered filed.

Mr. Robert Pontif, Jr., Chairman of the Finance Committee, then presented motions to the Board on the following items reviewed by the Finance Committee prior to the regular meeting:

On motion by Mr. Robert Pontif, Jr., seconded by Mr. Bobby Grabert, the Board unanimously approved the Substantial Completion for Sampey General Contractors, Inc. for Water Line Replacement Along West 73<sup>rd</sup> Street, et al.

On motion by Mr. Robert Pontif, Jr., seconded by Mr. Nolan Cressionie, the Board unanimously approved the Substantial Completion for NCMC, LLC for 18" Water Line-Galliano to Cut Off.

On motion by Mr. Robert Pontif, Jr., seconded by Mr. Barry Uzee, the Board unanimously approved the following pay requests for payment.

**PAY REQUESTS:**

**D & M Tank, LLC**

Payment No. 2 – Ground Storage Tank No. 1 Rehab. .... \$103,656.00

**NCMC, LLC**

Payment No. 7 – 18" Waterline Galliano To Cut Off ..... \$ 394,630.57

**Sampey General Contractors, Inc.**

Payment No. 4 – Waterline Replacement West 73<sup>rd</sup> Street et, al ..... \$25,830.00

On motion by Mr. Robert Pontif, Jr., seconded by Mr. Morris Guidry, the Board unanimously approved the following invoices for payment.

**INVOICES:**

**GIS Engineering LLC**

Professional Services – Water Line Replacement Romy Drive..... \$7,000.00

Professional Services – Water Line Installation Hwy 24 ..... \$10,000.00

**Picciola & Associates, Inc.**

Basic Services – Leeville Booster Restoration from Hurricane IDA ..... \$11,344.69

**S & L Enterprises**

Right-of-Way Work – Water Line Replacement North Dominique Drive .....\$2,909.70

T. Baker Smith

Basic Services – Kraemer Water Line Replacement 2021 Capital Outlay .....\$2,012.63

On motion by Mr. Robert Pontif, Jr., seconded by Mr. Evan Plaisance, the Board unanimously approved the October 2024 Financial & Operating Report.

Mr. Robert Pontif, Jr., then stated that the committee reviewed quotes on health, dental and vision insurance for 2025 (see attached) as submitted by Smith Agency, LLC.

On motion by Mr. Robert Pontif, Jr., seconded by Mr. Dirk Barrios, the Board unanimously approved the committee’s recommendation to approve United Healthcare for health, dental and vision insurance for year 2025.

Finally, on motion by Mr. Robert Pontif, Jr., seconded by Mr. Jordan Collins, the Board unanimously approved creating an escrow account under Distribution Maintenance as per the requirement of Act No. 764 of the 2024 Louisiana Regular Legislative Session.

On motion by Mr. Evan Plaisance, seconded by Mr. Morris Guidry, the Board unanimously approved naming North Dominique Drive in Gheens for CWEF Grant 24-25 submittal.

On motion by Mr. Morris Guidry, seconded by Mr. Jordan Collins, the Board unanimously approved adopting a resolution authorizing Wayne Gautreaux, General Manager, to sign any and all documents in association with the 2024-25 CWEF Grant application.

**RESOLUTION**

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Waterworks Commissioners of Water District No. 1, Parish of Lafourche, State of Louisiana, governing authority of said District that; authority is hereby granted to Mr. Wayne Gautreaux, General Manager, to execute any, and all documents necessary in the association with the 2024-25 CWEF Grant application.

BY THIS RESOLUTION, Mr. Wayne Gautreaux, General Manager, is authorized to execute all necessary documents.

WHEREON, the motion was put to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: Mr. Sidney Triche, President; Mr. Robert Pontif, Jr., Secretary Treasurer; Commissioners: Mr. Dirk Barrios, Mr. Evan Plaisance, Mr. Barry Uzee, Mr. Nolan Cressionie, Mr. Bobby Grabert, Mr. Jordan Collins and Mr. Morris Guidry.

NAYS:

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Vice President; Mr. Eric Roundtree and Commissioner; Mr. Manuel Delatte.

Mr. Gautreaux then informed the Board that no bids were received November 12, 2024, for Distribution Surplus Items-Cold Water Meters 2024-2. Thus, on motion by Mr. Dirk Barrios, seconded by Mr. Jordan Collins, the Board unanimously approved disposal of the surplus meters.

A brief discussion followed concerning Terrebonne Parish Consolidated Water District discharging their effluent water into Bayou Lafourche.

On motion by Mr. Nolan Cressionie, seconded by Mr. Barry Uzee, the meeting adjourned at 6:18 p.m.

Sidney Triche, President

Robert Pontif, Jr., Secretary Treasurer



# Lafourche Parish Water District No. 1

## JOB PROGRESS REPORT

Thursday, November 21, 2024

### W. 73rd Street, et al Waterline Replacement

This project is complete.

### Martinez Lane, et al Waterline Replacement

Sampey General Contractors is the Contractor for this project. They will begin work once they complete West 73rd Street project.

### N. Barrios Street Waterline Replacement

We received bids for this project at 2p.m. on Tuesday, November 12, 2024. We request the Board to approve the low bid of \$281,852.50 from Muddy Pipeworks, LLC.

### South Plant Sludge Pit Cleaning

We received quotes for the above-referenced project. Below is a summary of the quotes:

Outer Limit Contractors.....	\$41,500.00
Sage Enviro Tech, LTD.....	\$95,498.48

We request the Board to approve the low quote of \$41,500.00 from Outer Limit Contractors.

### North Plant Sludge Pit Cleaning

We received quotes for the above-referenced project. Below is a summary of the quotes:

Outer Limit Contractors.....	\$40,750.00
Sage Enviro Tech, LTD.....	\$69,595.23

We request the Board to approve the low quote of \$40,750.00 from Outer Limit Contractors.

### Waterline Installation Along Hwy 24

Plan preparation and right of way acquisition are complete. We request the Board to approve advertising for bids to be received at 2 p.m. on January 7, 2025.

### Waterline Replacement Along Romy Drive

Plan preparation is underway and right of way acquisition is complete. We request the Board to approve advertising for bids to be received at 2 p.m. on January 14, 2025.

### STP - Ground Storage Tank #1

Work on the interior of the tank is approximately 90% complete. Work on the exterior of the tank will begin once the interior is complete.

Tory Hebert, P.E.  
Technical Assistant

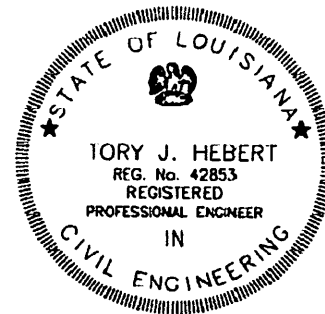
**BID TABULATION**

**PROJECT NAME: North Barrios Street Waterline Replacement**  
**OWNER/ENGINEER: Lafourche Parish Water District No. 1**  
**BID DATE: Tuesday, November 12, 2024**

	<b>CONTRACTOR</b>	<b>STATE LICENSE NO.</b>	<b>TOTAL BID</b>
1	Muddy Pipeworks, LLC	64669	\$ 281,852.50
2	Sampey General Contracting, Inc.	31595	\$ 299,707.00
3	Kass Bros, Inc.	14914	\$ 442,201.00
4	Hackley Enterprises, LLC	71691	\$ 465,438.55
5	LA Contracting Enterprise, LLC	34263	\$ 465,865.00
6	Wallace C. Drennan, Inc.	1033	\$ 689,935.00

Certified By: Tory Hebert  
Tory Hebert, P.E.  
Lafourche Parish Water District No. 1

Date: Tuesday, November 12, 2024



PROJECT NAME: North Barrios Street Waterline Replacement  
 OWNER/ENGINEER: Lafourche Parish Water District No. 1  
 BID DATE: Tuesday, November 12, 2024

Item No.	Description	Qty	Unit of Measure	Bidder No. 1			Bidder No. 2			Bidder No. 3			Bidder No. 4			Bidder No. 5			Bidder No. 6		
				Unit Price	Extension	Unit Price	Extension	Unit Price	Extension	Unit Price	Extension	Unit Price	Extension	Unit Price	Extension	Unit Price	Extension	Unit Price	Extension	Unit Price	Extension
1	8" C-900 (CLASS 235) WATERLINE	943	L.F.	\$ 35.00	\$ 33,005.00	\$ 32.00	\$ 30,176.00	\$ 65.00	\$ 61,295.00	\$ 100.00	\$ 94,300.00	\$ 59.06	\$ 55,693.58	\$ 52.00	\$ 49,036.00						
2	8" C-900 (CLASS 235) J.J. WATERLINE	2,050	L.F.	\$ 29.00	\$ 59,450.00	\$ 35.00	\$ 71,750.00	\$ 56.00	\$ 114,800.00	\$ 40.00	\$ 82,000.00	\$ 51.50	\$ 106,575.00	\$ 47.00	\$ 96,350.00						
3	H.D.D. 18" C-900 CLASS 235 JIB WATERLINE	2,022	L.F.	\$ 26.00	\$ 52,572.00	\$ 38.00	\$ 76,836.00	\$ 33.00	\$ 66,776.00	\$ 80.00	\$ 161,760.00	\$ 65.63	\$ 132,703.86	\$ 47.00	\$ 95,034.00						
4	TUNNELING WITH 12" CASING	55	L.F.	\$ 202.00	\$ 11,110.00	\$ 75.00	\$ 4,125.00	\$ 490.00	\$ 26,950.00	\$ 1,100.00	\$ 60,500.00	\$ 282.51	\$ 14,438.05	\$ 390.00	\$ 21,450.00						
5	12" X 8" T.S.B.V.	2.00	Each	\$ 6,350.00	\$ 6,350.00	\$ 6,600.00	\$ 6,600.00	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 12,000.00	\$ 12,000.00	\$ 11,156.58	\$ 11,156.58	\$ 10,500.00	\$ 10,500.00						
6	8" X 8" T.S.B.V.	2.00	Each	\$ 6,250.00	\$ 6,250.00	\$ 5,400.00	\$ 5,400.00	\$ 10,800.00	\$ 10,800.00	\$ 19,400.00	\$ 19,400.00	\$ 11,156.58	\$ 11,156.58	\$ 9,800.00	\$ 9,800.00						
7	6" X 6" T.S.B.V.	1.00	Each	\$ 4,500.00	\$ 4,500.00	\$ 4,600.00	\$ 4,600.00	\$ 8,500.00	\$ 8,500.00	\$ 10,500.00	\$ 10,500.00	\$ 6,462.70	\$ 6,462.70	\$ 6,000.00	\$ 6,000.00						
8	DUCTILE IRON FITTINGS	0.785	Ton	\$ 9,700.00	\$ 7,742.50	\$ 13,000.00	\$ 9,948.00	\$ 7,869.00	\$ 6,500.00	\$ 5,350.00	\$ 4,115.00	\$ 3,367.70	\$ 2,650.16	\$ 2,125.00	\$ 1,700.00						
9	8" FOSTER ADAPTER	1	Each	\$ 260.00	\$ 260.00	\$ 350.00	\$ 350.00	\$ 700.00	\$ 700.00	\$ 900.00	\$ 900.00	\$ 1,312.54	\$ 1,312.54	\$ 370.00	\$ 370.00						
10	EBM IMON SERIES 1500 BELL RESTRAINT HARNESS	2	Each	\$ 760.00	\$ 1,520.00	\$ 250.00	\$ 500.00	\$ 300.00	\$ 600.00	\$ 500.00	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 2,625.08	\$ 5,250.16	\$ 275.00	\$ 550.00						
11	PURE HYDRANT ASSEMBLY	5	Each	\$ 5,650.00	\$ 28,250.00	\$ 6,800.00	\$ 34,000.00	\$ 7,500.00	\$ 37,500.00	\$ 8,000.00	\$ 40,000.00	\$ 5,906.43	\$ 29,532.15	\$ 8,500.00	\$ 42,500.00						
12	CUT AND PLUG EXIST. 4" WATERLINE (LABOR AND EQUIP. ONLY)	2	Each	\$ 1,875.00	\$ 3,750.00	\$ 2,100.00	\$ 4,200.00	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 1,968.81	\$ 3,937.62	\$ 2,300.00	\$ 4,600.00						
13	SHORT SERVICE	25	Each	\$ 693.00	\$ 17,325.00	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 25,000.00	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 25,000.00	\$ 2,300.00	\$ 57,500.00	\$ 658.27	\$ 16,461.75	\$ 1,150.00	\$ 31,250.00						
14	LONG SERVICE	15	Each	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 15,000.00	\$ 1,200.00	\$ 18,000.00	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 22,500.00	\$ 2,500.00	\$ 37,500.00	\$ 2,465.91	\$ 18,703.65	\$ 2,200.00	\$ 33,000.00						
15	CONCRETE PAVING 4" THICK	5	Sq. Yd.	\$ 820.00	\$ 4,100.00	\$ 65.00	\$ 325.00	\$ 275.00	\$ 1,375.00	\$ 250.00	\$ 1,250.00	\$ 393.76	\$ 1,968.80	\$ 400.00	\$ 2,000.00						
16	MOBILIZATION	1	Lump Sum	\$ 16,000.00	\$ 16,000.00	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 35,000.00	\$ 35,000.00	\$ 68,000.00	\$ 68,000.00	\$ 18,688.08	\$ 18,688.08	\$ 16,000.00	\$ 16,000.00						
17	INSPECTION AND TESTING OF WATER MAINS	1	Lump Sum	\$ 8,790.00	\$ 8,790.00	\$ 500.00	\$ 500.00	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 7,000.00	\$ 7,000.00	\$ 13,125.39	\$ 13,125.39	\$ 7,500.00	\$ 7,500.00						
BASE BID TOTAL \$				281,692.50	\$	299,707.00	\$	442,201.00	\$	689,935.00	\$	465,438.35	\$	465,465.00							





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## LAFOURCHE PARISH WATER DISTRICT NO. 1

### JOB PROGRESS REPORT NOVEMBER 21, 2024

We are pleased to present the following report on the projects we are working on for the Lafourche Parish Water District No. 1:

#### ***18" Water Line - Galliano to Cut Off:***

The Contractor is NCMC, LLC, with a contract amount of \$5,357,000.00. The current contract amount (through Change Order No. 2) is \$5,792,128.24. The Notice to Proceed was issued for January 29, 2024, with a completion date of January 22, 2025. The project was declared to be Substantially Complete on November 8, 2024. GIS will be preparing the balancing change order for the December meeting.

Thank you for this opportunity to serve you. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call.

Sincerely,

  
John J. Plaisance, II, P.E., L.S.  
GIS Engineering, LLC

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TO: LAFOURCHE PARISH WATER DISTRICT NO. 1  
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

SUBJECT: PROJECT STATUS REPORT

Date of Report: November 19, 2024

Date of Board Meeting: November 21, 2024

**NEW ADMINISTRATION BUILDING**

Project has been advertised and bid documents are on the market. Bids will be received  
December 12th.

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## Project Status Report

**To:** Lafourche Parish Water District No. 1  
**From:** T. Baker Smith, LLC  
**Date:** November 21, 2024  
**RE:** Project Update

T. Baker Smith is pleased to present you with the following project status report:

### **Kraemer Waterline Improvements – Phase 2- FP&C 2021 Capital Outlay Project No. 50-ND5-20-01 – Waterline Replacement Along Hwy 307**

The NTP was issued on October 28<sup>th</sup>. Southern Underground began installation work on Monday. The total contract amount is \$1,130,806.40.

We would like to thank you for the opportunity to continue to provide professional services on your project. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

**T. BAKER SMITH, LLC**

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**Jack E. Plaisance**  
Sr. Project Manager

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LAFOURCHE PARISH WATER DISTRICT NO. 1

## ENGINEERING REPORT

November 21, 2024

<u>PROJECT NO.</u>	<u>PROJECT NAME</u>	<u>COMMENTS</u>
1002-2102	Leeville Booster Station	The contractor for the project is Sealevel Construction, Inc. The Notice to Proceed was issued on August 7th. The contractor has completed the project, and the lien period has expired. The contractor has provided the clear lien certificate and we recommend payment of the retainage.

Submitted By:

  
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Marco J. Picciola, P.E.