

AGENDA



Thursday, April 24, 2008

**Purchasing Office
RECOMMENDATION FOR COUNCIL ACTION****Item No. 41**

Subject: Authorize execution of Amendment No. 7 to a contract with INSITUFORM TECHNOLOGIES, INC., Chesterfield, MO, for the continuation of rehabilitation of large diameter wastewater lines through trenchless Cured In Place Piping (CIPP) Technology under the Austin Clean Water Program for the Austin Water Utility in an estimated amount not to exceed \$1,213,506, for a revised total estimated contract amount not to exceed \$19,286,249.

Amount and Source of Funding: Funding in the amount of \$1,213,506 is included in Fiscal Year 2007–2008 Capital Budget of the Austin Water Utility.

Fiscal Note: A fiscal note is attached.

For More Information: Steve Aden, Supervising Sr. Buyer, 974-2021.

Purchasing Language: Contract Amendment.

MBE/WBE: This contract will be awarded in compliance with Chapter 2-9C of the City Code (Minority-Owned and Women-Owned Business Enterprise Procurement Program) with 2.12% MBE and 4.54% WBE subcontractor participation to date.

Boards and Commission Action: Recommended by the Water and Wastewater Commission.

Prior Council Action: 10/30/2003 – Approved 12-month contract with three 12-month extension options.

On October 30, 2003, City Council approved the award and execution of a contract with Insituform Technologies, Inc. for the rehabilitation of large diameter wastewater lines through trenchless Cured In Place Piping (CIPP) Technology in support of the Austin Clean Water Program (AWCP). ACWP was developed by the City of Austin in response to an Administrative Order issued to the City by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) in 1999, directing the elimination of Sanitary Sewer Overflows (SSOs) by December 2007. In order to meet this mandate by the EPA, the City is required to rehabilitate deteriorated wastewater lines identified by the Cleaning and TV Inspection Service Agreement (approved by Council on 9/25/2003) and by City crews to prevent future SSOs.

This proposed amendment will provide necessary additional funds to allow for the continuation of services for an additional 120 days while new specifications and bid documents are being prepared for a new solicitation to award a replacement contract. The current contract will expire on September 23, 2008.