Contract and Land Management RECOMMENDATION FOR COUNCIL ACTION

Item No. 15

Subject: Authorize execution of a construction contract with INSITUFORM TECHNOLOGIES, INC., Chesterfield, MO for Annual Service Agreement for Rehabilitation of Wastewater Lines Through Trenchless Process – Indefinite Delivery/ Indefinite Quantity in the amount of \$3,323,865 for the first year with two 12 month extension options in an amount not to exceed \$4,021,876 for the first extension, and in an amount not to exceed \$4,424,064 for the second extension for a total contract amount not to exceed \$11,769,805.

Amount and Source of Funding: Funding in the amount of \$3,323,865 is available in the Fiscal Year 2009-2010 Capital Budget of the Austin Water Utility. Funding for the extension options are contingent upon available funding in future budgets.

Fiscal Note: A fiscal note is attached.

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Purchasing Language: Lowest bid of four (4) bids received.

MBE/WBE: This contract will be awarded in compliance with Chapter 2-9A of the City Code (Minority Owned and Women Owned Business Enterprise Procurement Program) with 1.25% MBE and 0.74% WBE subcontractor participation.

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

The request is for rehabilitation of wastewater pipelines through trenchless process, commonly called Cured In Place Pipe (CIPP). When appropriate to use, this method is less expensive with reduced traffic impact when compared to the more traditional open trench method.

The contract allows 365 calendar days for completion of this project with two 12-month annual extension options.