## **Memorandum**



To: Dale Berman, Village President & Board of Trustees

Cc: Steven Bosco, Village Administrator

From: John Laskowski, Public Works Director

Date: August 15, 2018

Re: Award of Bid for LED Light Fixture Replacement Project

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The Village of North Aurora has the opportunity to reduce its electricity consumption and improve the environment by replacing its existing light fixtures with LED fixtures. The project consists of the replacement of 362 existing metal halide/ high pressure sodium fixtures with LED fixtures and the replacement of 1 pole in poor condition.

Last year the construction documents were prepared by consulting engineer Kluber Inc., this year's project were prepared by Village Staff. The project was advertised in the IDOT Contractor's Bulletin and the Daily Herald on Thursday July 26, 2018 and contract documents made available the same day. A pre-bid meeting was held on August 8, 2018 and bids were received on August 15, 2018. If the project is awarded at the August 20, 2018 Village Board meeting, it will be substantially complete by November 15, 2018. The results of the project letting can be seen in Table 1 below.

Table 1. Bid Tabulation

| No. | Company  | Bid              |
|-----|--|------------------|
| 1   | Meade Electric, Inc., McCook, Illinois               | \$<br>128,520.97 |
| 2   | Utility Dynamics Corporation, Oswego, Illinois       | \$<br>132,850.00 |
| 3   | Broadway Electric, Inc., Elk Grove Village, Illinois | \$<br>167,169.00 |

The low bid for both the Village project was Meade Inc. from McCook, Illinois in the amount of \$128,520.97. The Village had budgeted \$145,000 for Street Light and Repair Budget from the Motor Fuel Tax Fund. The Village is also eligible for reimbursement from ComEd in the amount of \$38,382.00 upon completion of the project and fulfilling the reimbursement requirements. This could reduce the overall cost to \$90,138.97.

Meade Electric has worked in the Village of North Aurora in the past responding to routine and emergency traffic signal maintenance. They have also worked with the Illinois Department of Transportation, County of DuPage, City of Naperville, and the Cook County Highway Department. It is the staff recommendation to award the bid for LED fixture and pole replacement to Meade Inc. in the amount of \$128,520.97.