

From: David B. Koch, P.E.

17 April, 2023

To: City of Bexley, Ohio, Board of Control

Subject: City of Bexley Grandon Avenue and Chelsea Avenue Water Main and Sewer Improvements

Members of the Board,

I have completed the analysis of the bids received for the City of Bexley Grandon Avenue and Chelsea Avenue Water Main and Sewer Improvements Project. The attached bid tabulation shows the lowest and best bid for the work is from Danbert, Inc. at a bid price of \$3,699,844.64 for the work described in the bid documents for the base bids for the Water Main Improvements and the alternate bid for the Chelsea Avenue Sewer Improvements. The bid by Danbert, Inc. is approximately three percent lower than the Engineer's Estimate of \$3,831,562.50 for this work and appears to be fair and reasonable.

Danbert Inc.'s bid was complete, and all information requested was provided and properly filled in.

Danbert, Inc. has previously worked for the City of Bexley and many surrounding cities in Central Ohio. Specifically, they have successfully completed the following projects for the City of Bexley: NE Quadrant Improvements 2014, E. Broad Street Water Main Improvements 2015, S. Roosevelt Avenue Improvements (Broad to Main) 2017, Stanwood Road Improvements 2018, S. Roosevelt Avenue Improvements (Main to Livingston) 2019, S. Cassingham Improvements (Fair to Broad) 2020, S Drexel Avenue 2022. They appear to be qualified to perform this type and size of project and have displayed acceptable performance and conduct on these projects. Please note this bid package includes both water main and sanitary sewer work only. Street Resurfacing work will be bid and awarded separately.

Contingent on the Board of Control's review and approval, I recommend the contract be awarded to Danbert, Inc. for the total amount of Three Million, Six Hundred Ninety Nine Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Four Dollars and Sixty Four Cents (\$3,699,844.64) for the base bid and sewer alternate bid.

Upon receiving your approval, a Notice of Award will be prepared for the signature of the Public Service Director. The contract documents will then be prepared and forwarded to Danbert, Inc. After receiving their signatures, I will then forward the contracts documents for your review and approval.

Please call me at (614) 949-8102 if you have any questions.

David B. Koch, P.E.
City Engineer

Approved By: City of Bexley Board of Control

Benjamin Kessler
Chair