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Memorandum 20-200

TO: Mayor and Homer City Council

THROUGH: Rob Dumouchel, City Manager

FROM: Janette Keiser, Director of Public Works

DATE: November 30, 2020

SUBJECT: Proposal for Replacing High Energy Light Fixtures at Water Treatment Plant

Issue: There are still some high energy light fixtures at the Water Treatment Plant. We propose to replace these with low energy LEDs.

Background:

The City's Water Treatment Plant still has some high energy light fixtures, which were not replaced as part of the City's lighting retrofit programs, enacted in prior years. We propose to replace these fixtures with low energy LED fixtures, funding this work through the Water Reserves, rather than the Revolving Energy Loan Fund, to reduce administrative costs.

Some of the fixtures are in challenging locations and require special equipment to get to them. We requested quotes from 3rd party contractors to help us access/install the lights. The lowest responsive, responsible quote is from Liberty Electric, Inc., in the amount of \$16,546.

The Water Reserve Fund is:

Balance as of March 31, 2020: \$2,844,934

Allocated by Ordinance 20-56 for urgent projects \$ 550,000

City's share of Seawall SAD allocated to Water Reserves \$ 39,364

Balance \$2,255,569

Action Recommended:

That the City authorize expenditure of \$16,546 from the Water Reserve Fund to retrofit high energy light fixtures at the Water Treatment Plant with low energy LED fixtures.