



Item Number: 5

**City Council / Board of Directors**

**Consent Calendar**

**Meeting of: September 19, 2023**

**Submitted By:**

Fredy Bonilla, Acting City Engineer

**Subject:**

Notice of Completion – Pipeline Replacement Project – Area 1 & 2

**Recommendation:**

That the Honorable Board of Directors for the Victorville Water District accept as complete and approve the Notice of Completion for Pipeline Replacement Project – Area 1 & 2 and authorize the City Manager to execute the Notice of Completion.

**Fiscal Impact:**

There is no fiscal impact associated with this item. Retention in the amount of five percent was withheld from each pay estimate during construction. Retention will be released after Board approval and the recordation of the Notice of Completion. The retention account number, account description, and amounts withheld are shown in the table below:

Retention Account Number	Account Description	Amount Withheld
410-20110-74290	Pipeline Replacement Project – Area 1	\$110,718.62
410-20110-74461	Pipeline Replacement Project – Area 2	\$129,019.63

**Total: \$239,738.25**

**Strategic Plan Goal:**

This item aligns with “Goal E Invest in Infrastructure” in the City of Victorville Strategic Plan 2023-2026 by providing a more robust domestic water system in Old Town Victorville.

**Background:**

The purpose of this Capital Improvement Plan (CIP) project was to replace approximately 11,072 lineal feet of aging, leak-prone, fire flow deficient, mainly small diameter pipelines, including water services and other necessary appurtenances within the Old Town area of

the City of Victorville. This project is considered the final phase of the water system improvement projects that began and were completed during calendar years 2015 and 2017 within the Old Town area.

The Board of Directors awarded a construction contract to DDH Apple Valley Construction in the amount of \$5,291,906.00 on August 16, 2022. By completing the construction of this project in conjunction with the improvements completed in previous years, the Victorville Water District has created a robust, long-lasting water system infrastructure with greatly increased available fire-flow and eliminated future costly watermain repairs.

**Discussion:**

The project was completed at a final contract price of \$4,794,765.05. The final inspection occurred on August 14, 2023, when the project was substantially completed. The one-year warranty on the improvements began the date the work was accepted as substantially complete. Per California Public Contract Code § 7107(c), within 60 days after the recordation of the Notice of Completion, the City/District can release the final retention monies withheld on this project, provided there are no claims or unreleased liens against the contract.

Staff recommends that the Board of Directors accept as complete and approve the Notice of Completion for Pipeline Replacement Project – Area 1 & 2.

Staff is available to answer any questions the Board may have.

**Attachments:**   A. Location Map  
                          B. Notice of Completion