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March 15, 2022

TO: Mahesh Sharma
County Administrator

FROM: Tammy Speidel, FMP
Director, Facility & Support Services

RE: Jail Sewage Grinder

Mahesh

As we discussed previously, FSS was contacted by the City of Davenport with regards to some sewer work they were performing in the downtown 4th Street area, downline of the Jail sewer line. They indicated that they were pulling items from the sewer that they believe originated from the jail.

We immediately called for service on the sewer grinder, as the previous failure of that equipment resulted in raw sewage flooding the Sheriff, IT and common areas of the lower level of the courthouse and a large claim through Risk Management for mitigation and repairs.

It was determined that the grinder cartridge assembly, which is the part that does the grinding of materials entering from the jail into the city sewer was in need of repair.

Although we reached out to several vendors we only received two bids back for this work as listed below:

Modern Piping	\$16,157.75
Ragan Mechanical	\$21,009.46

Due to lead time on the parts needed for repair and potential impact to the Courthouse we authorized the low bidder, Modern Piping to proceed with ordering the parts needed on an emergency basis. We have worked with Modern Piping before and they have performed well for us.

This purchase will be funded from the Jail General Remodeling and Replacement line item of FY 22 Capital Plan.

I will be at the next Committee of the Whole to answer any questions that you or the board may have.

CC: FSS Management Team
Major Bryce Schmidt
Captain Stefanie Bush

THE COUNTY AUDITOR'S SIGNATURE CERTIFIES
THAT THIS RESOLUTION HAS BEEN FORMALLY
APPROVED BY THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS ON

DATE

SCOTT COUNTY AUDITOR

R E S O L U T I O N _____ - 2022

SCOTT COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

March 31, 2022

A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE REPAIR COST FOR THE JAIL SEWAGE GRINDER TO MODERN
PIPING IN THE AMOUNT OF \$16,157.75.

BE IT RESOLVED BY the Scott County Board of Supervisors as follows:

Section 1. That the repair costs for the jail sewage grinder by Modern Piping in the amount
of \$16,157.75 is hereby approved.

Section 2. This resolution shall take effect immediately.