

ERIE COUNTY WATER AUTHORITY

INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM

April 3, 2024

To: Terrence D. McCracken, Secretary to the Authority

From: Michael J. Quinn, PE, Senior Distribution Engineer

Subject: 2024 Capital Budget Transfer ECWA Project No. 202100032 BL-002 – Water System Improvements, Town of Amherst

The Engineering Department is requesting the re-establishment of a 2024 budget item and transfer of funds to the 2024 capital budget for the above referenced distribution system improvement project.

When originally budgeted, the design and construction of the project was originally anticipated to be completed in 2023. However, due to a later than anticipated construction start and unforeseen delays, the project could not be completed and billed as anticipated. These issues were not identified until after the 2024 budget was prepared. As such, funding is required to account for the completion of construction design phase services which were completed in late 2023 and early 2024.

A total of \$100,000.00 is being requested to be transferred to Contract BL-002 from Contract W-030. Funds are available in this item due to design delays related to work in National Grid Rights of Way resulting in less construction anticipated to be completed in 2024.

MJQ:jmf Attachments cc: J.Tomaka L.Kowalski L.Lester S.D'Amico

ERIE COUNTY WATER AUTHORITY AUTHORIZATION FORM For Approval/Execution of Documents (check which apply)

Contract:BL-002Project No.:2021000Project Description:2024 Capital Budget Amendment (see attached))32
BL-002.	
Item Description: Agreement Professional Service Contract X Amendment BCD NYSDOT Agreement Contract Document Recommendation for Award of Contract Recommendation Request for Proposals Other	
Action Requested:	
X Board Authorization to Execute Legal Approval Board Authorization to Award Execution by the Characteria	airman retary to the Authority
Approvals Needed: APPROVED AS TO CONTENT:	
X Sr. Distribution Engineer	Date: <u>4/3/2024</u>
X Chief Operating Officer	Date: 04/04/2024
X Executive Engineer	Date: 4/5/2024
Director of Administration	Date: Date:
X Chief Financial Officer	Date: $04/05/2024$
Legal	Date:
APPROVED FOR BOARD RESOLUTION:	
X Secretary to the Authority	Date:4/5/2024
Remarks:	
Resolution Date: Item No:	

Budget Transfer Authorization

Budget Transfer No:

Date:

April 3, 2024

Transfer From:

Unit	Dept	Capital / O&M Item No.	Description	Amount
2595	250	101362	W-030 Transmission Main Replacement	\$100,000

Transfer To:

Unit	Dept	Capital / O&M Item No.	Description	Amount
2590	250	101592	BL-002 Waterline Replacement	\$100,000

Statement as to Necessity of Budget Transfer:

Reactivation of budget item and transfer of funds required for compensation for construction and

engineering services that were anticipated to be completed in late 2023. Funds are available in contract

W-030 due to delays in the project design and advertisement for bids.

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<u>Required Approvals</u>*

Unit Head:	
Dept. Head	4/3/2024
Business Office Manager:	Steven 1/ D'amile 4/3/2024
Executive Engineer:	
Comptroller:	Jessica R Bioun 4/3/2024
Chief Financial Officer:	ρ
Chief Operating Officer:	Mullet 04/04/2024
Board Resolution Date:	

* See Back of Form for "Outline of Approvals Required for Budget Transfers", Schedule A and "Approvals Require for Creation of New Budget Items", Schedule B

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Schedule "A"

Outline of Approvals Required for Budget Transfers

Necessary Approvals:									
	Unit	Department	Budget/Financial	Executive		Deputy	Executive	ECWA	
If the Budget Transfer is:	Head	Head	Analyst	Engineer	<u>Comptroller</u>	Director	Director	Board	
Transfer of up to \$75,000 (\$100,000 in Capital) Within the Same Unit	Х	Х	Х						
Transfer of up to \$75,000 (\$100,000 in Capital) Between Units in Same	Dept								
Units in Production Department	Х	Х	X	Х					
Units in Distribution Department	Х	X	X	Х					
Units In Engineering Department	Х	Х	X	Х					
Water Quality Unit	Х	Х	X	Х					
Transfer of up to \$75,000 (\$100,000 in Capital) Between Units in Same Dept:									
Administrative Departments	Х	Х	X		Х				
Transfer of up to \$75,000 (\$100,000 in Capital) Between Depts	Х	X	X	Х	Х	Х	X		
Excess of \$75,000 (\$100,000 in Capital)	Х	Х	X	Х	Х	Х	X	Х	

Schedule "B"

Approvals Required for Creation of New Budget Items:

	Necessary Approvals:							
	Unit	Department	Budget/Financial	Executive		Deputy	Executive	ECWA
If the New Budget Item is:	Head	Head	Analyst	<u>Engineer</u>	Comptroller	Director	Director	Board
Under \$10,000	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	
\$10,000 and over	Х	X	Х	Х	Х	X	Х	Х

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