

Town Council Workshop
December 4, 2024

Commissioner Schmidt called the workshop to order at 4:30 pm. Council members Jeremy Newnam, Michael Sullivan, Rose Potter and Walter Chase were present. Other attendees for the Town: Town Administrator Erin Braband and Town Engineer Jason Lytle.

The Council discussed the 3 options for the influent screen project that Bearing Construction had presented in their bid package with Bearing's representative Frank Carman.

Option 1 is to rehab the current screen by removing the screen, having it shipped to Florida to be rebuilt, shipped back and then reinstalled. The Town would need to do bypass pumping during this process. The warranty for this option is 1 year for all mechanical items. This option costs \$130,154.

Option 2 would be to install a new Parkson screen which would cost \$189,451 and Mr. Carman was unsure of the warranty but would find out.

Option 3 would be to install an alternate screen, Raketek XS screen which would cost \$145,880. The warranty for this option is 3 years.

Jason stated that the Town will not need an MDE construction permit if they chose the rebuild option but would need one for the replacement options.

Additional discussions were held regarding the options and the Council stated they would make a decision at their meeting tonight and let Bearing Construction know which way they would like to proceed.

With no further business to discuss, Commissioner Potter made a motion to close the workshop at 5:43 pm. Commissioner Sullivan seconded the motion and it was unanimously approved.

Respectfully submitted,
Erin Braband, Town Administrator