# FAYETTEVILLE ARKANSAS

# **CITY COUNCIL MEMO**

2023-1021

## **MEETING OF SEPTEMBER 5, 2023**

**TO:** Mayor Jordan and City Council

THRU: Susan Norton, Chief of Staff

FROM: Tim Nyander, Utilities Director

DATE:

SUBJECT: Laura Gray Water Damage Claim

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

Staff recommends approval of joint payments to Laura Gray and various repair companies for water damage at 1284 East Shadow Ridge Drive, and approval of a budget adjustment.

#### **BACKGROUND:**

On October 14, 2022, the City experienced an 8-inch water main break on East Shadowridge Drive. Laura Gray owns the home located at 1284 E Shadowridge Drive. This water main break caused flooding to the Gray residence. Laura Gray's insurance company denied her claim, so she filed a damage claim with the City after the incident. Estimates were received for foundation repairs, landscaping repairs, painting and drywall repairs, and pool and spa repairs.

#### **DISCUSSION:**

The estimates are attached, and total up to \$69,746.86.

### Damage Estimates:

- Foundation Recovery Systems \$50,811.81
- Ecograss Landscaping \$5,000.00
- CR Painting and Drywall \$3,600.00
- Burton Pools \$349.01
- The Pool and Spa Store \$493.88
- Spa Replacement (depreciated using NWA Claims) \$9,492.16

Total - \$69,746.86

Staff recommends joint payments to Laura Gray and the repair vendors to allow for the damage repairs to be completed to restore the home, landscaping, pool and spa.

#### **BUDGET/STAFF IMPACT:**

Staff requests approval to reimburse Laura Gray for the maximum amount allowed by Section §39.10 of the City Code.

Mailing address:

ATTACHMENTS: 2023-1021 SRF_Laura Gray Water Damage Claim, 2023-1021 BA_Laura Gray Water Damage Claim, Estimates and Receipts	