



# City of Fayetteville, Arkansas

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## Legislation Text

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**File #:** 2024-1638

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### **Evans Enterprises, Inc. – Hamestring Pump Motor No. 4 Repair**

A RESOLUTION TO ACCEPT A QUOTE IN THE AMOUNT OF \$54,300.00 PLUS APPLICABLE TAXES AND FREIGHT CHARGES FROM EVANS ENTERPRISES, INC. FOR THE REPAIR OF A PUMP USED AT THE HAMESTRING SEWER LIFT STATION

**WHEREAS**, a pump used at the Hamestring Sewer Lift Station was recently shipped to Evans Enterprises, Inc. to disassemble, inspect, and provide a quote for repair of the pump; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Ark. Code Ann. §14-58-104(6), formal competitive bidding is not necessary for “replacement parts and labor for repairs of machinery and equipment.”

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FAYETTEVILLE, ARKANSAS:**

Section 1: That the City Council of the City of Fayetteville, Arkansas hereby determines that, pursuant to Ark. Code Ann. §14-58-104(6), the repair of the pump does not require formal competitive bidding and, therefore, accepts the quote in the amount of \$54,300.00 (plus any applicable taxes and freight charges) from Evans Enterprises, Inc. for the repair of a pump used at the Hamestring Sewer Lift Station.



**MEETING OF FEBRUARY 6, 2024**

**TO:** Mayor Jordan and City Council  
**THRU:** Susan Norton, Chief of Staff  
**FROM:** Tim Nyander, Utilities Director  
**DATE:**  
**SUBJECT:** **Evans Enterprises, Inc. – Hamestring Pump Motor No. 4 Repair**

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**RECOMMENDATION:**

Staff recommends approval of a quote from Evans Enterprises, Inc. in the amount of \$54,300.00 plus applicable taxes and freight charges for the repair of a pump motor for the Hamestring Sewer Lift Station.

**BACKGROUND:**

In November 2023, pump no. 4 at the Hamestring sewer lift station started experiencing problems. Jacobs Engineering staff pulled the pump's motor and sent it to Evans Enterprises for a hidden-damages inspection. Evans Enterprises found that the motor had suffered major damage and the pump's rotor was also damaged.

**DISCUSSION:**

Evans Enterprises, Inc. submitted a quote to repair the 350-horsepower pump motor and its rotor in the amount of \$54,300.00 plus freight and tax. The other option is to purchase a new pump motor, but staff received a quote for a new motor in the amount of \$124,039.45. A new motor is not economical at this time to its cost, so staff recommends approval of the quote from Evans Enterprises to repair the pump motor and its rotor in the amount of \$54,300.00 plus applicable taxes and freight charges. Freight is estimated at \$1,000.00 and taxes are estimated at \$5,391.75, for an estimated total of \$60,691.75.

Because it was necessary to have the repair facility disassemble the units to determine the extent of the damage to equipment already purchased and make repairs, a bid waiver and/or formal sealed bidding is not necessary according to Ark. Code Ann. §14-58-104(6).

**BUDGET/STAFF IMPACT:**

Funds are available in the Upgrade/Replace Lift Stations account within the Water & Sewer fund.

**ATTACHMENTS:** SRF (#3), Evans Enterprises Quote (#4)