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# Minutes

# MINUTES OF SPOKANE CITY COUNCIL

Monday, November 15, 2021

### **BRIEFING SESSION**

The Briefing Session of the Spokane City Council held on the above date was called to order at 3:30 p.m. in the Council Chambers in the Lower Level of the Municipal Building, 808 West Spokane Falls Boulevard, Spokane, Washington.

The regularly scheduled Spokane City Council 3:30 p.m. Briefing/Administrative Sessions and the 6:00 p.m. Legislative Session were held virtually and streamed live online and aired on City Cable 5. Pursuant to Governor Jay Inslee's Fifteenth Updated Proclamation 20-28.15, dated January 19, 2021, all public meetings subject to the Open Public Meetings Act, Chapter 42.30 RCW, are to be held remotely and the in-person attendance requirement in RCW 42.30.030 has been suspended until termination of the state of emergency pursuant to RCW 43.06.210, or until rescinded, whichever occurs first. Proclamations 20-28, et seq, were amended by the Washington State Legislature to recognize the extension of statutory waivers and suspensions therein until termination of the state of emergency pursuant to RCW 43.06.210 or until rescinded.

While all public meetings must continue to be held remotely, an option for an additional inperson meeting component is permitted consistent with the business meetings requirements contained in the Miscellaneous Venues guidance incorporated into Proclamation 20-25, et seq. At this time, the City Council has decided to continue its meetings with remote access only and to not include an in-person attendance component.

The public was encouraged to tune in to the meeting live on Channel 5, at <a href="https://my.spokanecity.org/citycable5/live">https://my.spokanecity.org/citycable5/live</a>, or by calling 408-418-9388 and entering an access code when prompted.

# Roll Call

On roll call, Council President Beggs and Council Members Burke, Cathcart, Kinnear, Stratton, and Wilkerson were present. Council Member Mumm joined the meeting at 3:53 p.m. (Council President Beggs was in attendance in the Council Chambers and also participated in the meeting via WebEx. Council Members Burke, Cathcart, Kinnear, Mumm, Stratton, and Wilkerson attended the meeting via WebEx.)

City Attorney Mike Ormsby (WebEx), Director of Policy and Government Relations Brian McClatchey (WebEx), and City Clerk Terri Pfister (in Chambers) were also virtually present for the meeting.

# Advance Agenda Review

The City Council received an overview from staff on the November 22, 2021, Advance Agenda items.

# Action to Approve November 22, 2021, Advance Agenda

Following staff reports and Council inquiry and discussion regarding the November 22, 2021, Advance Agenda items, the City Council took the following action (pursuant to Council Rule 2.1.B):

**Motion** by Council Member Burke, seconded by Council Member Wilkerson, **to approve** the November 22, 2021, Advance Agenda (as modified); **carried unanimously**.

# **ADMINISTRATIVE SESSION**

# **Current Agenda Review**

The City Council considered the November 15, 2021, Current Agenda.

# **CONSENT AGENDA**

# Upon Unanimous Voice Vote (in the affirmative), the City Council approved Staff Recommendations for the following items:

One-Year Value Blanket for the 2022 ammunition order from both San Diego Police Equipment and Dooley Enterprises with four annual renewal options—\$175,000 for both companies. (Council Sponsor: Council Member Cathcart) (OPR 2021-0731 / RFQ 5494-21)

10-year interdepartmental agreement between the Public Works Division and the Parks Department, investing in Parks projects that achieve water savings, allow for better management of Parks landscaping, and support long-term water system needs—\$250,000 annually. (Council Sponsor: Council President Beggs) (OPR 2021-0732)

Memorandum of Understanding between Spokane County, County Sheriff's Office and City Police Department to sub-award WASPC grant funds for the FY2021-2022 Regional Mental Health Field Response Team project—\$833,433. (Relates to Special Budget Ordinance C36134) (Council Sponsor: Council Member Kinnear) (OPR 2021-0733)

Industrial Pretreatment Program Multi-jurisdictional Agreement with Spokane County. (Council Sponsor: Council President Beggs) (OPR 2021-0734)

Acceptance of the Washington Traffic Safety Commission Grant for Municipal DUI Court from October 1, 2021 through September 30, 2022—\$50,000. (Council Sponsor: Council President Beggs) (OPR 2021-0735)

Contract Renewal with Wingfoot Commercial Tire Systems, LLC for the repair of miscellaneous tires for one year, using Washington State Contract 00519—\$150,000. (Council Sponsor: Council Member Kinnear) (OPR 2019-0855)

Contract Renewal with Gall's, LLC for police uniforms for 2021 and 2022—estimated average amount of \$100,000 annually. (Council Sponsor: Council Member Kinnear) (OPR 2018-0526)

Report of the Mayor of pending claims and payments of previously approved obligations, including those of Parks and Library, through November 5, 2021, total \$8,192,496.01 (Check Nos.: 582475 – 582624; ACH Payment Nos.: 96160-96403), with Parks and Library claims approved by their respective boards. Warrants excluding Parks and Library total \$7,874,087.43. (CPR 2021-0002)

City Council Meeting Minutes: November 1 and November 4, 2021. (CPR 2021-0013)

# **Council Recess/Executive Session**

The City Council adjourned at 3:55 p.m. No Executive Session was held. The City Council reconvened at 6:01 p.m. for the Legislative Session.

# **LEGISLATIVE SESSION**

# Roll Call

On roll call, Council President Beggs, and Council Members Burke, Cathcart, Kinnear, Mumm, Stratton, and Wilkerson were present. (Council President Beggs was in attendance in the Council Chambers and also participated in the meeting via WebEx. Council Members Burke, Cathcart, Kinnear, Mumm, Stratton, and Wilkerson attended the meeting via WebEx.)

Director of Policy and Government Relations Brian McClatchey (WebEx) and City Clerk Terri Pfister (in Chambers) were also virtually present for the meeting.

# **MAYORAL PROCLAMATION**

November 2021 Type 1 Diabetes Awareness Month

Council Member Cathcart read the proclamation. Fondra Magee and Sam, Advocacy Team Chair for Eastern Washington, virtually accepted the proclamation and Sam remarked on the event.

# COUNCIL PROCLAMATION

November 15-21, 2021 National Apprenticeship Week in Spokane

Council President Beggs read the proclamation. Brett Wideman, Plumbers and Pipe Fitters, virtually accepted the proclamation and remarked on the event.

# ADMINISTRATIVE REPORT

# **Snow Plan Report**

Public Works Director Marlene Feist introduced Street Director Clint Harris who provided an overview of the Snow Plan Report for the 2021-2022 snow season, and he responded to Council inquiries. Mr. Harris also remarked on today's high winds.

There were no **Boards and Commissions Appointments**.

There were no Council Committee Reports.

# **LEGISLATIVE AGENDA**

# SPECIAL BUDGET ORDINANCES

# Special Budget Ordinance C36133 (Council President Beggs)

Subsequent to an opportunity for public testimony and Council commentary, with no individuals requesting to speak, the following action was taken:

**Upon Unanimous Roll Call Vote,** the City Council **passed Special Budget Ordinance C36133** amending Ordinance No. C35971 passed by the City Council December 14, 2020, and entitled, "An Ordinance adopting the Annual Budget of the City of Spokane for 2021, making appropriations to the various funds of the City of Spokane government for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2021, and providing it shall take effect immediately upon passage," and declaring an emergency and appropriating funds in:

### Solid Waste Fund

- (1) Increase appropriation by \$1,875,330.
- (A) The increase in appropriation is from the Solid Waste Fund's Unappropriated Reserves.
- (B) Of the increased appropriation, \$1,061,284 is provided solely for machinery and equipment.
- (C) Of the increased appropriation, \$814,046 is provided solely for repair and maintenance supplies.

(This action allows for ordering essential parts with long lead times, in November 2021, in preparation for the planned 2022 spring outage at the Waste to Energy Plant.)

Ayes: Beggs, Burke, Cathcart, Kinnear, Mumm, Stratton, and Wilkerson

Nays: None Abstain: None Absent: None

# Special Budget Ordinance C36134 (Council Member Kinnear)

Subsequent to an opportunity for public testimony, with one individual speaking, and the opportunity for Council commentary, the following action was taken:

**Upon Unanimous Roll Call Vote,** the City Council **passed Special Budget Ordinance C36134** amending Ordinance No. C35971 passed by the City Council December 14, 2020, and entitled, "An Ordinance adopting the Annual Budget of the City of Spokane for 2021, making appropriations to the various funds of the City of Spokane government for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2021, and providing it shall take effect immediately upon passage," and declaring an emergency and appropriating funds in:

# Public Safety & Judicial Grant Fund

- 1) Increase revenue by \$833,433
- a. Revenue increase due to awarded grant funding through Spokane County toward the Spokane Regional Mental Health Field Response Team program grant
- 2) Increase appropriations by \$833,433
- a. Increase in appropriations to be used towards funding 6 full-time SPD employees assigned to the Behavioral Health Unit
- i. One Sergeant who will oversee the Unit
- ii. One Mental Health Coordinator
- iii. Four Police Officers

(This action allows acceptance of grant funding for six SPD employees assigned to the Behavior Health Unit.) (Relates to OPR 2021-0733 under 3:30 p.m. Consent Agenda)

Ayes: Beggs, Burke, Cathcart, Kinnear, Mumm, Stratton, and Wilkerson

Nays: None Abstain: None Absent: None

# Special Budget Ordinance C36135 (Council Member Kinnear)

Subsequent to an opportunity for public testimony, with one individual speaking, and Council commentary, the following action was taken:

**Upon 6-1 Roll Call Vote,** the City Council **passed Special Budget Ordinance C36135** amending Ordinance No. C35971 passed by the City Council December 14, 2020, and entitled, "An Ordinance adopting the Annual Budget of the City of Spokane for 2021, making appropriations to the various funds of the City of Spokane government for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2021, and providing it shall take effect immediately upon passage," and declaring an emergency and appropriating funds in:

# Public Safety & Judicial Grant Fund

- 1) Increase revenue by \$69,341
- a. \$69,341 of the increased revenue in the Police department is a distribution from the state to assist with one-time costs related to law enforcement and criminal justice related legislation enacted between January 1, 2020 and June 30, 2021
- 2) Increase appropriations by \$69,341
- a. Increase in appropriations will be used to procure safety equipment for the Spokane Police Hostage Negotiation Team

(This action allows for procuring additional safety equipment and tools to adhere to new state legislation.)

**Ayes:** Beggs, Cathcart, Kinnear, Mumm, Stratton, and Wilkerson

Nays: Burke Abstain: None Absent: None

# Special Budget Ordinance C36136 (Council Member Kinnear)

Subsequent to an opportunity for public testimony and Council commentary, with no individuals requesting to speak, the following action was taken:

**Upon Unanimous Roll Call Vote,** the City Council **passed Special Budget Ordinance C36136** amending Ordinance No. C35971 passed by the City Council December 14, 2020, and entitled, "An Ordinance adopting the Annual Budget of the City of Spokane for 2021, making appropriations to the various funds of the City of Spokane government for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2021, and providing it shall take effect immediately upon passage," and declaring an emergency and appropriating funds in:

# General Fund

- (1) Decrease the appropriation for Assistant Prosecutor in Legal by \$28,000.
- (2) Increase the appropriation for the Interpreter Costs in Legal by \$28,000.
- (3) There is no change to the appropriation level in the General Fund.

(This action allows for covering increased interpreter costs in 2021.) (Council Sponsor: Council Member Kinnear)

Ayes: Beggs, Burke, Cathcart, Kinnear, Mumm, Stratton, and Wilkerson

Nays: None Abstain: None Absent: None

There were no Emergency Ordinances.

# RESOLUTIONS

# Resolution 2021-0095 (Council Sponsor: Council President Beggs)

Subsequent an opportunity for public testimony and Council commentary, with no individuals requesting to speak, the following action was taken:

**Upon Unanimous Roll Call Vote,** the City Council **adopted Resolution 2021-0095** regarding an update to Appendix "A" of the Public Rule for the City of Spokane Riverside Park Water Reclamation Facility & Industrial Pretreatment Program & Lab Analysis Fees.

Ayes: Beggs, Burke, Cathcart, Kinnear, Mumm, Stratton, and Wilkerson

Nays: None Abstain: None Absent: None

# FINAL READING ORDINANCES

# Final Reading Ordinance C36132 (Council Sponsor: Council Member Kinnear)

Subsequent to an opportunity for public testimony, with none provided, and Council commentary, the following action was taken:

**Upon Unanimous Roll Call Vote,** the City Council **passed Final Reading Ordinance C36132** reducing fees for construction of accessory dwelling units; amending sections 8.02.031, 8.02.066, 13.04.2042, and 13.03.0732 of the Spokane Municipal Code.

Ayes: Beggs, Burke, Cathcart, Kinnear, Mumm, Stratton, and Wilkerson

Nays: None Abstain: None Absent: None

There were no First Reading Ordinances.

There were no Special Considerations.

# **HEARINGS**

# Continuation of Hearing on Proposed 2022 Budget (continued from November 8, 2021) (FIN 2021-0001)

The City Council continued its hearing on the Proposed 2022 Budget. There was an opportunity for public testimony, with no individuals requesting to speak. Subsequent to commentary by Council President Beggs, the following action was taken:

**Motion** by Council Member Burke, seconded by Council Member Mumm, **to continue** the Public Hearing on the 2022 Proposed Budget to November 22; **carried unanimously.** 

# **OPEN FORUM**

The following individuals spoke during Open Forum:

- Cherrie Barnett
- Nicolette Ocheltree
- Anwar Peace
- Kim Schmidt

# **ADJOURNMENT**

There being no further business to come before the City Council, the Regular Legislative Session of the Spokane City Council adjourned at 6:46 p.m.

STANDING COMMITTEE MINUTES
City of Spokane
Finance & Administration Committee
October 18, 2021

# **Attendance**

Council Member Betsy Wilkerson, Council Member Candace Mumm, Council President Breean Beggs, Council Member Karen Stratton, Council Member Kate Burke, Council Member Lori Kinnear, Council Member Michael Cathcart, Tonya Wallace, Hannahlee Allers, Ariane Schmidt, Amanda Beck, Mark Carlos, Eric Finch, Alexander Gibilisco, Jacob Hensley,

Paul Ingiosi, Dr. Kelley Cullen, Mark Richard, Michelle Murray, Dr. Patrick Jones, Johnnie Perkins, Mike Piccolo, Erik Poulsen, Phillip Tencick, and Amie Blain

CM Kinnear: Left meeting at 2:46 PM.

# Call to Order

This meeting started at 1:15p.m. and was conducted through Webex.

# II. Approval of Minutes

Meeting Minutes for September 20, 2021 were approved.

# III. Consent Items Approved without Discussion:

- A. Council Confirmation of Mayoral Appointee
- B. Ordinance for 2022 Downtown BID Assessment
- C. Ordinance for East Sprague BID Assessment
- D. Purchase of Hydro Excavator
- E. Purchase of Used Roll Off Truck
- F. Settlement of Claim for Erin Stacey
- G. Settlement of Claim for Stephen Kessler
- H. Treasury Emergency Rent Assistance 2 Grant Acceptance

# IV. Discussion Requests

A. Business License Fees (Added by CM Mumm)

CM Cathcart requested to continue with reduction for initiating business, and hold off on fee increases for others. Discussion will continue at the Briefing Session later today.

B. Home ARP Grant Agreement – Ariane Schmidt

Ariane presented the details regarding the grant agreement and requested direction going forward. Please see documents submitted to the committee.

C. Ordinance for Rental Assistance – CP Beggs

This ordinance prevents eviction if a renter has applied for rental assistance for unpaid rent incurred due to the COVID pandemic, and there is a delay with the paperwork. CM Cathcart requested the City Council to take additional cuts experienced by landlords into consideration when reviewing this ordinance. Please see documents submitted to the committee.

D. Ordinance for REET and Intermodal Fund Housekeeping – Michelle Murray

Setup new fund for 1<sup>st</sup> quarter percent of REET funds. Proposal is to eliminate fund for Under Freeway parking and combine with Asset Management. Change Asset Management name to Facilities Management. CP Beggs asked whether this fund is the fund that can be used for homelessness expenses. Michelle explained that is for the REET 2 fund. Please see documents submitted to the committee.

E. SBO for Accounting Salary Savings - Michelle Murray

There are three vacancies in the Accounting Department. This SBO would allow for a temporary employee while the process for hiring a permanent position is underway. Please see documents submitted to the committee.

F. SBO for VOYA Deferred Comp Fund – Phillip Tencick

Please see documents submitted to the committee.

G. Ordinance for SERS SMC Code Changes – Phillip Tencick

Please see documents submitted to the committee.

H. Resolution for SERS Contribution Rate Change – Phillip Tencick

Please see documents submitted to the committee.

# V. Committee Briefs

A. Benefit Plans Annual Review – Phillip Tencick

CM Mumm asked if there is an option to infuse a one-time monetary amount into the fund in order to reduce the percentage being paid by employees. Phillip advised increasing staffing would be more effective. Please see documents submitted to the committee.

B. Resolution to Establish an Equity Subcommittee – Alexander Gibilisco

Alexander is requesting to form an ad hoc subcommittee to the Finance and Administration Committee. CM Cathcart asked for clarification on subcommittee duties. Alexander explained that the Finance and Administration influences all of the other committees, and the subject of equity also falls within the realm of the various committees. So, it made sense to house it within the Finance and Administration committee. CM Wilkerson explained there is a gap with the communities of color, and we cannot continue to wait as our citizens work to participate in our government. Please see attached presentation and documents submitted to the committee.

- C. Quarterly Economic Brief Dr. Patrick Jones and Dr. Kelley Cullen Dr. Patrick Jones and Dr. Kelley Cullen presented, after which CM Mumm and Dr. Patrick Jones discussed Amazon's effect on unemployment. Please see attached presentation.
- D. Quarterly Investment Brief Jacob Hensley Please see documents submitted to the committee.
- E. SIP Loan Update Jacob Hensley
  Please see documents submitted to the committee.

# VI. Standing Topic Discussions

A. Monthly Financial Reports – Paul Ingiosi Please see documents submitted to the committee.

# VII. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 3:04 p.m. The next meeting is scheduled for November 15, 2021 at 1:15 p.m.

Referenced attachments on file in the Office of the City Clerk.

# STANDING COMMITTEE MINUTES City of Spokane Finance & Administration Committee September 20, 2021

# **Attendance**

Council Member Betsy Wilkerson, Council Member Candace Mumm, Council President Breean Beggs, Council Member Karen Stratton, Council Member Kate Burke, Council Member Lori Kinnear, Council Member Michael Cathcart, Hannahlee Allers, Mark Carlos, Tonya Wallace, Paul Ingiosi, Jessica Stratton, Michael McNab, Mike Piccolo, Chief Schaeffer, Meghann Steinolfson, and Amie Blain

# I. Call to Order

This meeting started at 1:16 p.m. and was conducted through Webex.

# II. Approval of Minutes

Meeting Minutes for August 16, 2021 were approved.

# III. Consent Items Approved without Discussion:

- A. Finalizing Gonzaga University RW Vacation
- B. Purchase of Dump Body
- C. Purchase of F250 Diesel
- D. Purchase of F550 Diesel

# IV. <u>Discussion Requests</u>

A. Contract for BID Management – CM Kinnear

The initial proposal includes wages and benefits for four people through three phases per year at the rate of \$250k per year. Overhead and supplies are also included in the estimate. City Council will be discussing and working to determine the rates and amounts before moving forward. Please see documents submitted to the committee.

- B. Business Registration Annual Fee Adjustment Tonya Wallace
  - A fee increase was not proposed last year for 2021, due to the COVID-19 crisis. The fee is being proposed for year 2022, effective January 1, 2022. This rate increase is only for one year's worth of fee increases. The fee would generate approximately \$144,000 in revenues for the City of Spokane. Tonya Wallace will review to determine if neighboring cities are increasing fees. Please see documents submitted to the committee.
- C. SBO for Colville Vaccination Clinic Recovery Chief Schaeffer

The City of Spokane sent resources to assist with vaccination efforts put on by the NE Tri-County Health District in Colville, WA. This would provide reimbursement to Spokane's Fire Department for those services. Chief Schaeffer will provide a follow-up report to City Council regarding the resources used and the number of vaccinations provided. Please see documents submitted to the committee.

D. SBO for Vehicle Insurance Recovery - Chief Schaeffer

This request is for reimbursement of insurance expenses. Please see documents submitted to the committee.

E. SBO for Range Changes – Meghann Steinolfson

The Human Resources reviewed the range classifications for the Police Ombudsman and Deputy Police Ombudsman, as well as the Police Guild contract. It was determined that range changes were needed. These employees have been receiving out-of-grade pay. Please see documents submitted to the committee.

F. SBO for Gardner Detective Building Remodel – Major McNab

This request is for adding offices to the Gardner Detective Building. Funding is available, and this SBO will increase the budget to allow for the expansion and bring employees from the same department into the same space. The new offices will also provide closed spaces for supervisors needing the space for confidential conversations. Please see documents submitted to the committee.

# V. Committee Briefs

- A. 2022 Priorities and Process Review Tonya Wallace
  - Administration and City Council will work to ensure budget proposals correctly incorporate corresponding budget priorities. City Council is requesting focus on filling positions to eliminate the unsustainable heavy workloads current employees are enduring. Administration will provide more information regarding homeless shelter funding. Please see attached presentation and documents submitted to the committee.
- B. 2022-2027 Capital Improvement Program (CIP) Draft Overview Paul Ingiosi and Jessica Stratton Please see documents submitted to the committee.

# VI. Standing Topic Discussions

A. Monthly Financial Reports – Paul Ingiosi Please see documents submitted to the committee.

### VII. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 2:21 p.m. The next meeting is scheduled for October 18, 2021 at 1:15 p.m.

Referenced attachments on file in the Office of the City Clerk.

# Ordinances

These ordinances are published in this issue of the Official Gazette pursuant to passage by the Spokane City Council. It should be noted that these ordinances may be subject to veto by the Mayor. If an ordinance is vetoed by the Mayor, the Mayoral veto will be published in a subsequent issue of the Official Gazette.

# **ORDINANCE NO. C36132**

An ordinance reducing fees for construction of accessory dwelling units; amending sections 08.02.031, 08.02.066, 13.04.2042, and 13.03.0732 of the Spokane Municipal Code.

**WHEREAS**, the Spokane City Council unanimously passed Resolution No. 2021-0065 on August 2<sup>nd</sup> 2021, establishing a list of City-sponsored development incentives in order to promote housing development in areas of the community that allow for better health outcomes; and

**WHEREAS**, included in the addendum of that resolution was a goal to adopt and implement permit fee reductions for ADUs constructed within ½ mile of a Center or Corridor.

**NOW THEREFORE**, the City of Spokane does ordain:

Section 1. That section 08.02.031 of the Spokane Municipal Code is amended to read as follows:

# Section 08.02.031 Building Code

A. Building Permit.

Building permit fees are based on the value of the work to be done as follows:

# VALUE OF WORK (in dollars)

# FEE

(in dollars)

1 - 500

28.00

501 - 2,000

28.00 plus 3.00 for each 100 over 500

2,001 - 25,000

73.00 plus 13.00 for each 1,000 over 2,000

25,001 - 50,000

372.00 plus 10.00 for each 1,000 over 25,000

50,001 - 100,000

622.00 plus 7.00 for each 1,000 over 50,000

100,001 - 500,000

972.00 plus 5.00 for each 1,000 over 100,000

500,001 - 1,000,000

2,972.00 plus 4.00 for each 1,000 over 500,000

1,000,001 - 99,999,999

4,972.00 plus 3.00 for each 1,000 over 1,000,000

# B. Valuation.

- 1. The value of construction for purposes of calculating the amount of the fee is determined by using the:
  - a. most current building valuation data from the International Code Council (ICC) as published and updated by the ICC twice annually; or
  - b. contract valuation, whichever is greater.
- 2. "Gross area" when used in conjunction with the ICC building valuation data to determine valuation of a project is the total area of all floors, measured from the exterior face, outside dimension, or exterior column line of a building, including basements and balconies but excluding unexcavated areas.
- 3. The fee is based on the highest type of construction to which a proposed structure most nearly conforms, as determined by the building official.
- 4. For roofing permits, the value is determined to be:
  - a. one hundred fifty dollars per square for recovering roofs;
  - two hundred dollars per square for roofing projects when existing layers of roofing are torn off and a new layer is installed;
  - c. two hundred fifteen dollars per square for roofing projects when existing layers of roofing are torn off, new sheeting is installed, and a new layer of roof is installed;
  - d. or the contract valuation if it is greater.

# C. Building Plan Review.

- 1. Plan review fees are sixty-five percent of the building permit fee as calculated from the table rounded up to the next whole dollar amount for:
  - a. all commercial building permits;
  - b. all industrial building permits;
  - c. all mixed use building permits; and
  - d. new multi-family residences with three or more units.
- 2. Plan review fees are one hundred percent of the building permit fee as calculated from the table for fast-track projects.
- 3. Plan review fees are twenty-five percent of the building permit fee as calculated from the table rounded up to the next whole dollar amount for new:
  - a. single-family residences; and
  - b. duplexes.
- 4. Plan review fees are twenty-five dollars for:
  - a. new buildings that are accessory structures for single-family residences and duplexes to include garages, pole buildings, greenhouses, sheds that require a permit, etc.; and
  - b. additions to existing single family residences and duplexes to include living space, garages, sunrooms, decks, etc.
- Plan review fees for additional review required by changes, additions, or revisions to plans are seventy-five dollars per hour or fraction thereof.

6. The building official may elect to assess plan review for remodeling single family residences and duplexes when required. This amount will be not be higher than the twenty-five percent of the building fee as calculated in the table rounded to the nearest whole dollar charged on a new single-family residence or duplex.

# D. Demolition

Demolition permit fees are:

- 1. Single-family residence, duplex and accessory structures: Thirty-five dollars each.
- 2. Other structures: Thirty-five dollars for every thousand square feet, to a maximum fee of three hundred fifty dollars.
- 3. The processing fee is twenty-five dollars.
- 4. For historic landmarks and contributing buildings within an historic district or located within the Downtown Boundary Area: five hundred dollars.
- 5. All demolition permit fees received by the city are to be deposited in the historic preservation incentives fund established by SMC 07.08.152.

# E. Fencing.

- 1. The permit fee is twenty dollars per one hundred linear feet, or fraction thereof.
- 2. The processing fee and review fee is twenty-five dollars.

# F. Grading.

1. Grading permit fees are as follow:

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VOLUME (in cubic yards)
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# FEE

(in dollars)

100 or less

28.00

101 - 1,000

28.00 plus 12.00 for each 100 over 100

1,001 - 10,000

136.00 plus 10.00 for each 1,000 over 1,000

10,001 - 100,000

226.00 plus 45.00 for each 10,000 over 10,000

100,001 and more

631.00 plus 25.00 for each 10,000 over 100,000

2. Grading plan review fees are as follow:

# VOLUME (in cubic yards)

# **FEE**

(in dollars)

50 or less

None

51 - 100

20.00

101 - 1,000

25.00

1,001 - 10,000

35.00

10,001 - 100,000

35.00 plus 17.00 for each 10,000 over 10,000

100,001 - 200,000

188.00 plus 10.00 for each 10,000 over 100,000

200,001 and more

288.00 plus 5.00 for each 10,000 over 200,000

- 3. Failure to obtain a grading permit is a class one infraction under SMC 1.05.150.
- 4. The processing fee is twenty-five dollars.

# G. Sign Permits.

- 1. Sign permit fees are:
  - a. thirty dollars for each wall sign, projecting sign and incidental sign; or
  - b. seventy-five dollars for each pole sign, including billboards and off-premises signs.
- 2. The building services plan review fee is fifty dollars and is in addition to the sign permit fee for pole signs in excess of one hundred square feet or more than thirty feet high.
- 3. The planning services review fee is fifty dollars for all signs.
- 4. The processing fee is twenty-five dollars.

# H. Factory-built Housing.

- 1. The installation fee for factory-built housing is fifty dollars per section.
- 2. A foundation or basement requires a separate building permit.
- 3. Decks, carports and garages require a separate building permit.
- 4. The development services review fee is fifty dollars.
- 5. The processing fee is twenty-five dollars.
- I. Manufactured (Mobile) Home.
  - 1. The installation fee for a manufactured (mobile) home is fifty dollars per section.
  - 2. A basement requires a separate building permit.
  - 3. Decks, carports and garages require a separate building permit.

- 4. The development services review fee is fifty dollars.
- 5. The processing fee is twenty-five dollars.
- J. Temporary Structures.

Permit fees for temporary structures are:

- 1. One hundred dollars for the first one hundred eighty days; and
- 2. Five hundred dollars for the second one hundred eighty days.
- 3. No third session will be allowed.
- 4. The development services review fee is fifty dollars.
- 5. The processing fee is twenty-five dollars.

### K. Relocation.

- 1. The fee for a building relocation inspection for bond determination is seventy-five dollars.
- 2. The development services review fee is fifty dollars.
- 3. The processing fee is twenty-five dollars.
- 4. Any repairs or alterations required for relocation are handled by various building permits and the fees for such building permits are in addition to the relocation permit fee.
- L. Early Start and Fast Track Approval.

The fee for an early start or fast track building permit approval is twenty-five percent of the building permit fee rounded to the next whole dollar amount and is in addition to any other required fees.

# M. Certificate of Occupancy.

- 1. There is no separate fee for the issuance of a certificate of occupancy following final inspection under a permit so long as the fee for the permit is at least fifty dollars; otherwise, the minimum fee for a building permit and certificate of occupancy is fifty dollars plus a twenty-five dollar processing fee.
- 2. The fees for the issuance of a certificate of occupancy not resulting from work done under permit are as provided in SMC 8.02.060.
- 3. The building official will assess a fee not to exceed one hundred percent of the building permit fee for the issuance or extension of any temporary certificate of occupancy. The minimum fee will be:
  - a. two hundred twenty-five dollars plus a twenty-five dollar processing fee when the building permit fee exceeds this amount;
  - b. equal to the amount of the building permit fee when the building permit fee is less than two hundred fifty dollars.

# N. Swimming Pools.

- 1. The building and plumbing permit fee for a swimming pool is:
  - a. seventy-five dollars for those accessory to a single-family residence; and
  - b. one hundred dollars for all others.
- 2. The planning services review fee is twenty-five dollars.
- 3. The processing fee is twenty-five dollars.
- 4. Mechanical, electrical and fence permits are additional.

O. Parking Lot and Site Work Permits.

The fee for a site work permit is charged in accordance with the fee table in subsection (A) of this section.

P. Reinspections.

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The fee for reinspections for work that was not ready, or corrections previously identified but remain uncorrected, or site not accessible is seventy-five dollars per incident.

Q. Inspections Outside Normal Inspector Working Hours.

The fee for inspections outside normal inspector working hours is seventy-five dollars per hour or fraction of an hour. A minimum of two hours is payable at the time the request is made and before an inspection can be scheduled.

R. Work Done Without a Permit/Investigation Fees.

Where work has commenced without first obtaining the required permit(s), a work without permit fee equivalent to the greater of:

- 1. twice the inspection fee, or
- 2. the permit fee plus one hundred fifty dollars,

must be paid prior to the issuance of the permit(s).

S. Safety Inspections.

The fees for safety inspections are:

- 1. Commercial Buildings: Seventy-five dollars per hour or fraction of an hour with a prepaid minimum of one hundred fifty dollars.
- 2. Single-family Residence Electrical only: Seventy-five dollars.
- 3. Single-family Residence Two or more trade categories: One hundred fifty dollars.
- 4. Two-family Residence: One hundred seventy-five dollars.
- 5. Multifamily Three to six units: Two hundred fifty dollars.
- 6. Multifamily Seven to fifty units: Two hundred fifty dollars plus twenty-five dollars for each unit over six.
- 7. Multifamily Over fifty units: One thousand three hundred fifty dollars plus ten dollars for every unit over fifty.
- 8. Electrical Service Reconnect Residence Twenty-five dollars
- 7. Electrical Service Reconnect Commercial Fifty dollars
- 8. Processing fee: Twenty-five dollars.
- T. Recording Fee Use of Public Right-of-way and Large Accessory Building Agreement.

The property owner shall be charged a pass-through fee equal to the amount assessed by Spokane County when erecting a fence, retaining wall or other structure in a public right-of-way. This is a recording fee for the acknowledged agreement whereby the property owner covenants to remove the encroachment upon notice by the City. An additional twenty-five dollar processing fee is required when a permit is not issued in conjunction with the recording.

- U. Expired Permits Over Six Months.
  - 1. Building Permits.
    - a. No inspections have been made: Permits require full resubmittal, and if a commercial project, plan review. Original valuation shall be contained in description of new permit.
    - b. Footings and foundations only have been inspected and approved: Minimum of seventy-five percent of the original assessed permit fee plus new processing fees. Original valuation shall be contained in description of new permit.
    - c. All rough-in inspections approved: Minimum of twenty-five percent of original permit fee plus new processing fees. Original valuation shall be contained in description of new permit.

d. Additional work done not on original permit: New valuation shall be calculated based upon either square footage if new construction, or valuation if remodel.

# 2. Plumbing Permits.

- a. No inspections: A full new permit for all fixtures is required.
- b. Partial inspections approved: If water tests, top outs and ground plumbing have been approved, then twenty-five percent of the original itemized permit fees plus new processing fee.
- 3. Mechanical Permits.
  - a. No inspections: A full new permit is required.
  - b. Partial inspections: If all rough-in inspections and air tests have been approved, then twenty-five percent of the original permit fee plus new processing fee.
- 4. Electrical Permit.
  - a. No inspections: A full new permit is required.
  - b. Partial inspections: If all rough-in inspections and service inspections have been approved, then twenty-five percent of the original fees plus new processing fee.
- V. Processing Fee.

In addition to all of the fees identified in SMC 8.02.031, the processing fee for each permit is twenty-five dollars, unless specifically stated otherwise.

# W. Temporary Accessory Dwelling Unit (ADU) Fee Waivers.

- 1. In response to the ongoing local and national housing crisis, the City Council has decided to provide relief to residents and businesses by waiving all applicable fees within this section 08.02.031 associated with the construction of ADUs on lots located at least partially within ½ mile of a Center or Corridor, Context Area, or Downtown zone or CC3 zoning overlay. Distances are measured in a straight line between the zone/overlay boundary to the lot line of the site containing the development.
- 2. The fee waiver described in this subsection 08.02.031(W) shall expire at 5:00 p.m. on December 31, 2024.

Section 2. That section 08.02.066 of the Spokane Municipal Code is amended to read as follows:

# Section 08.02.066 Zoning

Unless an action is initiated by the city council, the fees for approvals under the zoning code are:

- A. Staff preparation of a notification district map and associated documents: One hundred fifty dollars.
- B. Type I application: One thousand eighty-five dollars. In the case of building and construction permit applications, the fee is based on Article III of this chapter.
- C. Type II application: Four thousand three hundred twenty-five dollars plus sixty dollars per each additional acre.
- D. Type III application: Four thousand five hundred ninety dollars plus one hundred ten dollars per each additional acre.
- E. Site plan review and/or modification: Eight hundred fifteen dollars plus five hundred fifty dollars per each additional increment of ten acres of site or portion thereof.
- F. Optional consolidated project review: Four thousand three hundred twenty-five dollars plus two hundred fifteen dollars for each additional acre.
- G. Planned unit development bonus density or final planned unit development:
  - 1. Bonus density: Additional eight hundred eighty dollars if bonus density is sought.
  - 2. Final planned unit development: Three thousand two hundred ninety-five dollars.

- H. Any temporary use permit: Six hundred seventy-five dollars.
- I. Floodplain development permit: Nine hundred dollars plus fifty-five dollars per each additional acre.
- J. Establishment of a front yard setback that is more or less than the depth required by the zoning code: Eight hundred ten dollars.

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- K. Accessory dwelling unit permit: Six hundred fifty-five dollars.
  - In response to the ongoing local and national housing crisis, the City Council has decided to provide relief to residents and businesses regarding accessory dwelling unit (ADU) applications by waiving the permit fees for the construction of ADUs on lots located at least partially within ½ mile of a Center or Corridor, Context Area, or Downtown zone or CC3 zoning overlay. Distances are measured in a straight line between the zone/overlay boundary to the lot line of the site containing the development. This fee waiver shall expire at 5:00 p.m. on December 31, 2024.
- L. Accessory dwelling unit permit (Type II): One thousand dollars.
  - 1. In response to the ongoing local and national housing crisis, the City Council has decided to provide relief to residents and businesses regarding accessory dwelling unit (ADU) applications by waiving the permit fee associated with the construction of ADUs on lots located at least partially within ½ mile of a Center or Corridor, Context Area, or Downtown zone or CC3 zoning overlay. Distances are measured in a straight line between the zone/overlay boundary to the lot line of the site containing the development.
  - 2. This fee waiver shall expire at 5:00 p.m. on December 31, 2024.
- M. Formal written interpretation of the zoning code: Five hundred eighty dollars.
- N. Any other matter not listed above that requires a public hearing before the hearing examiner: One thousand eight hundred ninety-five dollars.
- O. A fee of eighty-five dollars per hour may be charged to cover the cost of a particular planning staff service for the applicant that greatly exceeds the above fee or is not covered by the fees listed above.
- P. Short Term Rental Permit Type A: One hundred fifty dollars. The annual renewal for a Type A permit is one hundred dollars.
- Q. Short Term Rental Permit Type B: Four thousand five hundred ninety dollars. The annual renewal for a Type B permit is one hundred dollars.
  - Section 3. That section 13.04.2042 of the Spokane Municipal Code is amended to read as follows:

# Section 13.04.2042 Water General Facilities Charge – Schedule of Charges

- A. Findings General Facilities Charge (GFC).
   The City Council finds:
  - 1. under the previous system providing for collection of latecomer connection charges under chapter 35.91 RCW or special connection changes under RCW 35.92.025, customers happening to connect in certain areas must pay extra costs, although the primary benefit of access to the public water system is the same to a new customer, whether the customer is within or outside an area subject to such special connection charges. Additionally, upgraded customers moving from a smaller to a larger connection capacity gain additional system benefits, but may otherwise escape paying a special connection or latecomer charge, once having connected and paid an initial connection charge based on a smaller size connection.
  - 2. undue administrative burdens and costs are created in administering various connection and latecomer charges, each of which may have differing trigger dates and which may also have differing limits in terms of allowable interest accruing on such payments as well as the period or periods such charges may be collected.
  - 3. there is a system-wide benefit, served by a uniform, adjustable GFC, in encouraging system growth through infilling certain unserved areas and considering that expanding the overall customer ratebase and customer densities will reduce fixed costs which must otherwise be spread over all classes of ratepayers.

- 4. it is in the public interest to provide for a more uniform rate structure and to replace individual area connection or latecomer fees with a single GFC rate, except only as may be distinguished by the size of connection or connection upgrade, as provided hereafter.
- 5. it is further in the public interest that those adding additional costs or burdens to the City water system by creating need and demand for new system growth and infill needs in the City water system should pay a GFC therefore. Such customers should be treated and classified in common with customers formerly also subject to a special connection or latecomer connection charge, so that only one uniform GFC should be paid by all customers with new or upgraded utility service.
- B. Findings; Central Incentives Area. The City Council finds:
  - 1. Washington State's growth management laws, including RCW 36.70A.110, encourage development first within existing urban areas before moving to other areas.
  - the City of Spokane's comprehensive plan and state growth management policies encourage the "infilling" of developed areas that still have some growth capacity. A consequence of not doing this is sprawling development out in long corridors or scattered areas, making the extension of needed urban services more expensive and less efficient for the public.
  - 3. costs of encouraging development in more densely populated areas already served by existing utility lines is lower than extending new lines to more remote undeveloped areas. Existing utility lines are installed and designed to serve the full growth potential of an area, so it is an unwise use of resources to continue extending lines where some growth can still occur in developed areas.
  - 4. the Central Incentives Area (CIA) established herein is in the category of a more densely populated area rather than a more remote, undeveloped area. The savings that City sewer and water utilities realize by encouraging development in the CIA, through not assessing a GFC to customers located there, is roughly proportional to the loss of the GFC revenues.
  - 5. properties within the CIA are identified as generally of lower value investment than other areas served. The opportunity for new development in the CIA to recover acceptable investment value is of a more marginal, doubtful and unlikely character than customers connecting in areas outside the CIA. Adding a GFC charge to the class of customers in the CIA would make it significantly more difficult for further development or new connections in such areas. This result is contrary to public policy, growth management laws, and responsible utility system management for the overall benefit of the ratepayers. Encouraging development in the CIA will benefit the City sewer and water utilities by new customer revenues, which would otherwise be lost if a GFC were assessed because such development would be less likely to occur.
  - 6. the CIA as an area substantially deficient in development and heavily populated with low income and fixed income, poor or elderly customers.
  - 7. there is a reasonable basis to classify customers seeking connections to premises in an CIA not to be subject to GFC charge.
- C. The boundaries of the CIA are:

On the west, the Spokane River;

On the south, a line running from Latah Creek to 9th Avenue, then east on 9th Avenue to Lincoln Street, then north on Lincoln Street to 5<sup>th</sup>

Avenue, then east on 5th Avenue to Sherman Street, then south on Sherman Street to 9th

Avenue, then east on 9th Avenue from Sherman Street to Havana Street;

On the east, a line running north on Havana Street from 9th Avenue to Francis Avenue, excluding Minnehaha Park and Esmerelda Golf Course;

On the north, a line running west along Francis Avenue from Havana to Division Street, then south on Division Street to Indiana Avenue, then west on Indiana Avenue to Monroe Street, then north on Monroe Street to Garland Avenue, then west on Garland Avenue to Ash Street, then south on Ash Street to Fairview Avenue, then west on Fairview Avenue to Cochran Street, then south on Cochran Street and T.J. Meenach Drive to the Spokane River; and

All land within the City Limits of the City of Spokane which is owned or controlled by, or which is subject to proprietary interest of, the Spokane Airport Board.

The Director of Public Works shall maintain a copy of the map of the CIA (Attachment A to this ordinance) for public inspection.

- D. Charge for new service or new upgrades inside the CIA: No charge.
  - E. Service Outside CIA.
  - For new service or new upgrades of existing service to the City water system, a GFC is assessed as provided hereafter. The charge will be based upon the tap size required for the facility. If the size of a previous connection is upgraded to a larger connection, only the difference between the charges for the size of a connection, as shown at the time of connection, is charged.

TYPE	WATER TAP SIZE	GFC
House*	NA	\$1,232
Duplex	NA	\$2,464
Multi-family**	2-inch or less	\$3,485
Multi-family	3-inch	\$6,402
Multi-family	4-inch	\$9,857
Multi-family	6-inch	\$18,108
Multi-family	8-inch	\$27,878
Multi-family	10-inch	\$38,961
Multi-family	12-inch	\$51,216
Commercial	1-inch or less	\$1,232
Commercial	2-inch	\$3,485
Commercial	3-inch	\$6,402
Commercial	4-inch	\$9,857
Commercial	6-inch	\$18,108
Commercial	8-inch	\$27,878
Commercial	10-inch	\$38,961
Commercial	12-inch	\$51,216
* In a PUD, each house is charged individually the rate listed for "house."		
** Multi-family represents three or more living units.		

- 2. The water GFC is intended to supersede all prior special connection capital charges assessed to defray an equitable share of the cost of the City water system, except for such charges the City may be bound to continue pursuant to chapter 35.91 RCW (developer latecomer charges), or which the City remains legally bound to collect.
  - a. Except for such charges, it is the intent of the City Council to supersede all previous special connection capital charges of any form or nature, replacing all such charges with a single water GFC for any new connections or connection or service demand upgrades to the City water system at any location served by said system.
  - b. The GFC is to be used to finance new system growth and infill needs created by new or upgraded customers. In the case of latecomer contracts entered into under chapter 35.91 RCW and the like, the GFC herein supersedes the amount to be collected from a party seeking connection.

- c. However, any GFC collected does not increase or decrease amounts the City may previously have contracted to reimburse to a third party at the time of allowing a connection, said parties to be paid by the City as provided under the preexisting contract.
- d. Hereafter, consistent with this ordinance, the Director of Public Works may make provision for reimbursement of third parties for facility construction costs, but hereafter, the amount of reimbursement per connection shall not exceed the GFC amount collected, which may change from year to year as the City may adjust the GFC.

# 3. Adjustments.

The charge for a water connection can be adjusted upon a showing of prior payment of similar charges, or for other sound considerations of fairness, as determined by the Director of Public Works.

- a. To be eligible for such adjustment, a party required to pay a water GFC must submit a written application to the Director of Public Works, together with any supporting materials and explanation.
- b. The Director of Public Works must receive such materials no later than the time of connection of the subject premises.
- c. No adjustment may exceed the amount of the water GFC applicable to the connection requested.
- 4. The water GFC applies, in addition to all other non-capital connection, permit or other fees required by this code or elsewhere. The charge is due and payable in full at or before the time of connection or as otherwise ordered by the Director of Public Works.
- 5. The Director of Public Works may record appropriate notice with the county auditor concerning areas subject to the water GFC pursuant to the requirements of RCW 65.08.170 and RCW 65.08.180, as applicable, reserving the possibility of upgrade charges.
- 6. In response to the ongoing local and national housing crisis, the City Council has decided to provide relief to residents and businesses by waiving all applicable fees within this Section 13.04.2042(6) for the construction of ADUs on lots located at least partially within ½ mile of a Center or Corridor, Context Area, or Downtown zone or CC3 zoning overlay. Distances are measured in a straight line between the zone/overlay boundary to the lot line of the site containing the development. This fee waiver shall expire at 5:00 p.m. on December 31, 2024.

**Section 4.** That section 13.03.0732 of the Spokane Municipal Code is amended to read as follows:

# Section 13.03.0732 Wastewater General Facilities Charge (GFC) - Schedule of Charges

A. Findings – General Facilities Charge. The City Council finds:

- 1. under the previous system providing for collection of latecomer connection charges under chapter 35.91 RCW or special connection changes under RCW 35.92.025, customers happening to connect in certain areas must pay extra costs, although the primary benefit of access to the public sewer system is the same to a new customer, whether the customer is within or outside an area subject to such special connection charges.
  - a. Additionally, upgraded customers moving from a smaller to a larger connection capacity gain additional system benefits, but may otherwise escape paying a special connection or latecomer charge, once having connected and paid an initial connection charge based on a smaller size connection;
- undue administrative burdens and costs are created in administering various connection and latecomer charges, each of which may have differing effective dates and which may also have differing limits in terms of allowable interest accruing on such payments as well as the period or periods such charges may be collected;
- there is a system-wide benefit, served by a uniform, adjustable GFC, in encouraging system growth through infilling certain unserved areas and considering that expanding the overall customer rate base and customer densities will reduce fixed costs which must otherwise be spread over all classes of ratepayers;
- it is in the public interest to provide for a more uniform rate structure and to replace individual area connection or latecomer fees with a single GFC rate, except only as may be distinguished by the size of connection or connection upgrade, as provided hereafter;
- it is further in the public interest that those adding additional costs or burdens to the City sewer system by creating need and demand for new system growth and infill needs in the City sewer system should pay a GFC

therefor. Such customers should be treated and classified in common with customers formerly also subject to a special connection or latecomer connection charge, so that only one uniform GFC should be paid by all customers with new or upgraded utility service.

- B. Findings Central Incentives Area (CIA). The City Council finds:
  - 1. Washington State's growth management laws, including RCW 36.70A.110, encourage development first within existing urban areas before moving to other areas.
  - 2. the City of Spokane's comprehensive plan and state growth management policies encourage the "infilling" of developed areas that still have some growth capacity. A consequence of not doing this is sprawling development out in long corridors or scattered areas, making the extension of needed urban services more expensive and less efficient for the public;
  - 3. costs of encouraging development in more densely populated areas already served by existing utility lines is lower than extending new lines to more remote undeveloped areas. Existing utility lines are installed and designed to serve the full growth potential of an area, so it is an unwise use of resources to continue extending lines where some growth can still occur in developed areas:
  - 4. the CIA established herein is in the category of a more densely populated area rather than a more remote, undeveloped area. The savings that City sewer and water utilities realize by encouraging development in the CIA, through not assessing a GFC to customers located there, is roughly proportional to the loss of the GFC revenues;
  - 5. properties within the CIA are identified as generally of lower value investment than other areas served. The opportunity for new development in the CIA to recover acceptable investment value is of a more marginal, doubtful and unlikely character than customers connecting in areas outside the CIA. Adding a GFC to the class of customers in the CIA would make it significantly more difficult for further development or new connections in such areas. This result is contrary to public policy, growth management laws and responsible utility system management for the overall benefit of the ratepayers. Encouraging development in the CIA will benefit the City sewer and water utilities by new customer revenues, which would otherwise be lost if a GFC were assessed because such development would be less likely to occur;
  - 6. the CIA as an area substantially deficient in development and heavily populated with low income and fixed income, poor or elderly customers;
  - 7. there is a reasonable basis to classify customers seeking connection to premises in an CIA not to be subject to a GFC.
- C. Empowerment Zone The boundaries of the CIA are:

On the west, the Spokane River;

On the south, a line running from Latah Creek to 9th Avenue, then east on 9th Avenue to Lincoln Street, then north on Lincoln Street to 5th Avenue, then east on 5th Avenue to Sherman Street, then south on Sherman Street to 9th Avenue, then east on 9th Avenue from Sherman Street to Havana Street;

On the east, a line running north on Havana Street from 9th Avenue to Francis Avenue, excluding Minnehaha Park and Esmerelda Golf Course;

On the north, a line running west along Francis Avenue from Havana to Division Street, then south on Division Street to Indiana Avenue, then west on Indiana Avenue to Monroe Street, then north on Monroe Street to Garland Avenue, then west on Garland Avenue to Ash Street, then south on Ash Street to Fairview Avenue, then west on Fairview Avenue to Cochran Street, then south on Cochran Street and T.J. Meenach Drive to the Spokane River; and

All land within the City Limits of the City of Spokane which is owned or controlled by, or subject to a proprietary interest of, the Spokane Airport Board.

The Director of Public Works shall maintain a copy of the map of the CIA (Attachment A to this ordinance) for public inspection.

D. Charge for new service or new upgrades inside the CIA: No charge.

# E. Service Outside the CIA.

- 1. For new service or new upgrades to existing service from the City sewer system, a wastewater GFC is assessed as provided hereafter. The charge will be based on the water tap size that would otherwise be required for the facility without fire flow and/or irrigation flow.
  - a. Upgrades are charged at the current difference between the old and new connection size charges.

TYPE	WATER TAP SIZE	CHARGE
House*	NA	\$2,400
Duplex	NA	\$4,800
Multi-family**	2 inches or less	\$6,767
Multi-family	3 inches	\$12,468
Multi-family	4 inches	\$19,194
Multi-family	6 inches	\$35,265
Multi-family	8 inches	\$54,299
Multi-family	10 inches	\$75,876
Multi-family	12 inches	\$99,753
Commercial	1 inch or less	\$2,400
Commercial	2 inches	\$6,787
Commercial	3 inches	\$12,468
Commercial	4 inches	\$19,194
Commercial	6 inches	\$35,265
Commercial	8 inches	\$54,299
Commercial	10 inches	\$75,876
Commercial	12 inches	\$99,753
* In a PUD, each house is charged individually the rate listed for "House".		
** Multi-family repre- sents three or more living units.		

- The wastewater GFC is intended to supersede all prior special connection capital charges assessed to defray an
  equitable share of the cost of the City sewer system, except for such charges the City may be bound to continue
  pursuant to chapter 35.91 RCW (Developer Latecomer Charges) or which the City otherwise remains legally
  bound to collect.
  - a. Except for such charges, it is the intent of the City Council to supersede all previous special connection capital charges of any form or nature, replacing all such charges with a single wastewater GFC for any new connections or connection or service demand upgrades to the City sewer system at any location served by said system.
  - b. The GFC is to be used to finance new system growth and infill needs created by new or upgraded customers.
  - c. In the case of latecomer contracts entered into under chapter 35.91 RCW and the like, the GFC herein supersedes the amount to be collected from a party seeking connection. However, any GFC collected does not increase or decrease amounts the City may previously have contracted to reimburse to a third party at the time of allowing a connection, said parties to be paid by the City as provided under the pre-existing contract.

d. Hereinafter consistent with this ordinance, the Director of Public Works may make provision for reimbursement of third parties for facility construction costs, but hereafter, the amount of reimbursement per connection shall not exceed the GFC amount collected, which may change from year to year as the City Council may adjust the GFC.

# 3. Adjustments.

The charge for a wastewater connection can be adjusted for facilities with water tap sizes two inches and greater when the tap size also accounts for fire flow and/or irrigation flow upon a showing of prior payment of similar charges, or for other sound considerations of fairness, as determined by the Wastewater Management Director.

- a. To be eligible for such adjustment, a party required to pay a wastewater GFC must submit a written application to the Wastewater Management Director, together with any supporting materials and explanation. The Wastewater Management Director must receive such materials at the time of application for connection of the subject premises.
- b. No adjustment may exceed the amount of the GFC applicable to the connection requested.
- 4. The wastewater GFC applies in addition to all other non-capital connection, permit or other fees required by this code or elsewhere, to parties seeking to connect premises who have not paid an equitable share of the cost of the City's sewer system as determined by the Wastewater Management Director.
  - The charge is due and payable in full at the time of application for connection or as otherwise ordered by the Director of Public Works.
- 5. The Wastewater Management Director may record appropriate notice with the county auditor concerning areas subject to the wastewater GFC in accord with RCW 65.08.170 and RCW 65.08.180, as applicable.
- 6. In response to the ongoing local and national housing crisis, the City Council has decided to provide relief to residents and businesses by waiving all applicable fees within this section 13.04.2042 which are associated with the construction of ADUs on lots located at least partially within ½ mile of a Center or Corridor, Context Area, or Downtown zone or CC3 zoning overlay. Distances are measured in a straight line between the zone/overlay boundary to the lot line of the site containing the development. This fee waiver shall expire at 5:00 p.m. on December 31, 2024.

Passed by City Council November 15, 2021 Delivered to Mayor November 19, 2021

# **ORDINANCE NO. C36133**

An ordinance amending Ordinance No. C35971, passed by the City Council December 14, 2020, and entitled, "An ordinance adopting the Annual Budget of the City of Spokane for 2021, making appropriations to the various funds of the City of Spokane government for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2021, and providing it shall take effect immediately upon passage," and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, subsequent to the adoption of the 2021 budget Ordinance No. C35971, as above entitled, and which passed the City Council December 14, 2020, it is necessary to make changes in the appropriations of the Solid Waste Fund, which changes could not have been anticipated or known at the time of making such budget ordinance; and

WHEREAS, this ordinance has been on file in the City Clerk's Office for five days; - Now, Therefore,

The City of Spokane does ordain:

Section 1. That in the budget of the Solid Waste Fund, and the budget annexed thereto with reference to the Solid Waste Fund, the following changes be made:

- (1) Increase appropriation by \$1,875,330.
- (A) The increase in appropriation is from the Solid Waste Fund's Unappropriated Reserves.
- (B) Of the increased appropriation, \$1,061,284 is provided solely for machinery and equipment.
- (C) Of the increased appropriation, \$814,046 is provided solely for repair and maintenance supplies.

Section 2. It is, therefore, by the City Council declared that an urgency and emergency exists for making the changes set forth herein, such urgency and emergency arising from the need to order the essential parts with long lead times in November 2021 in preparation for the planned 2022 spring outage at the Waste to Energy Plant, and because of

such need, an urgency and emergency exists for the passage of this ordinance, and also, because the same makes an appropriation, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage.

Passed by City Council November 15, 2021 Delivered to Mayor November 19, 2021

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An ordinance amending Ordinance No. C35971, passed by the City Council December 14, 2020, and entitled, "An ordinance adopting the Annual Budget of the City of Spokane for 2021, making appropriations to the various funds of the City of Spokane government for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2021, and providing it shall take effect immediately upon passage," and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, subsequent to the adoption of the 2021 budget Ordinance No. C35971, as above entitled, and which passed the City Council December 14, 2020, it is necessary to make changes in the appropriations of the Public Safety & Judicial Grant Fund, which changes could not have been anticipated or known at the time of making such budget ordinance; and

WHEREAS, this ordinance has been on file in the City Clerk's Office for five days; - Now, Therefore,

The City of Spokane does ordain:

Section 1. That in the budget of the Public Safety & Judicial Grant Fund, and the budget annexed thereto with reference to the Public Safety & Judicial Grant Fund, the following changes be made:

- 1) Increase revenue by \$833,433
  - a. Revenue increase due to awarded grant funding through Spokane County toward the Spokane Regional Mental Health Field Response Team program grant
- 2) Increase appropriations by \$833,433
  - a. Increase in appropriations to be used towards funding 6 full-time SPD employees assigned to the Behavioral Health Unit
    - i. One Sergeant who will oversee the Unit
    - ii. One Mental Health Coordinator
    - iii. Four Police Officers

Section 2. It is, therefore, by the City Council declared that an urgency and emergency exists for making the changes set forth herein, such urgency and emergency arising from the acceptance of grant funding for six SPD employees assigned to the Behavior Health Unit and because of such need, an urgency and emergency exists for the passage of this ordinance, and also, because the same makes an appropriation, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage.

Passed by City Council November 15, 2021 Delivered to Mayor November 19, 2021

# **ORDINANCE NO. C36135**

An ordinance amending Ordinance No. C35971, passed by the City Council December 14, 2020, and entitled, "An ordinance adopting the Annual Budget of the City of Spokane for 2021, making appropriations to the various funds of the City of Spokane government for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2021, and providing it shall take effect immediately upon passage," and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, subsequent to the adoption of the 2021 budget Ordinance No. C35971, as above entitled, and which passed the City Council December 14, 2020, it is necessary to make changes in the appropriations of Public Safety & Judicial Grant funds, which changes could not have been anticipated or known at the time of making such budget ordinance; and

WHEREAS, this ordinance has been on file in the City Clerk's Office for five days; - Now, Therefore,

The City of Spokane does ordain:

Section 1. That in the budget of the Public Safety & Judicial Grant Fund, and the budget annexed thereto with reference to the Public Safety & Judicial Grant Fund, the following changes be made:

1) Increase revenue by \$69,341

- a. \$69,341 of the increased revenue in the Police department is a distribution from the state to assist with one-time costs related to law enforcement and criminal justice related legislation enacted between January 1, 2020 and June 30, 2021
- 2) Increase appropriations by \$69,341
  - Increase in appropriations will be used to procure safety equipment for the Spokane Police Hostage Negotiation Team

Section 2. It is, therefore, by the City Council declared that an urgency and emergency exists for making the changes set forth herein, such urgency and emergency arising from the need to procure additional safety equipment and tools to adhere to new state legislation and because of such need, an urgency and emergency exists for the passage of this ordinance, and also, because the same makes an appropriation, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage.

Passed by City Council November 15, 2021 Delivered to Mayor November 19, 2021

# **ORDINANCE NO. C36136**

An ordinance amending Ordinance No. C35971, passed by the City Council December 14, 2020, and entitled, "An ordinance adopting the Annual Budget of the City of Spokane for 2021, making appropriations to the various funds of the City of Spokane government for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2021, and providing it shall take effect immediately upon passage," and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, subsequent to the adoption of the 2021 budget Ordinance No. C35971, as above entitled, and which passed the City Council December 14, 2020, it is necessary to make changes in the appropriations of the Legal Fund - City Prosecutor's Office budget, which changes could not have been anticipated or known at the time of making such budget ordinance; and

WHEREAS, this ordinance has been on file in the City Clerk's Office for five days; - Now, Therefore,

The City of Spokane does ordain:

Section 1. That in the budget of the General Fund, and the budget annexed thereto with reference to the General Fund, the following changes be made:

- (1) Decrease the appropriation for Assistant Prosecutor in Legal by \$28,000.
- (2) Increase the appropriation for the Interpreter Costs in Legal by \$28,000.
- (3) There is no change to the appropriation level in the General Fund.

Section 2. It is, therefore, by the City Council declared that an urgency and emergency exists for making the changes set forth herein, such urgency and emergency arising from the need to cover increased interpreter costs in 2021, and because of such need, an urgency and emergency exists for the passage of this ordinance, and also, because the same makes an appropriation, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage.

Passed by City Council November 15, 2021 Delivered to Mayor November 19, 2021

# Job Opportunities

We are an equal opportunity employer and value diversity within our organization. We do not discriminate on the basis of race, religion, color, national origin, gender identity, sexual orientation, age, marital status, familial status, genetic information, veteran/military status, or disability status.

# PERMIT TECHNICIAN I SPN 009 OPEN ENTRY

DATE OPEN: Monday, November 22, 2021 DATE CLOSED: Tuesday, December 14, 2021 at 4:00 p.m.

SALARY: \$37,959.84 annual salary, payable bi-weekly, to a maximum of \$59,645.81

# **DESCRIPTION:**

Performs difficult clerical and technical processing work in the issuance of a wide variety of construction-related permits.

### **DUTIES:**

- Interacts with the public to provide a full range of customer service related support activities, which includes providing information, handling or obtaining details of permitting needs, and receiving payments.
- Receives and responds to a high volume of telephone inquiries and web requests, representing the City to the public over the telephone and through written correspondence, in a professional and effective manner.
- Reviews and approves applications for minor residential construction projects, such as the addition or alteration of fences, garages, sheds and swimming pools. Issues permits for approved applications.
- Issues trade and street obstruction permits. Issues construction-related permits including but not limited to building, sewer, and water.
- Assists applicants in preparing permit applications. Provides assistance to applicants for electronically submitted applications and plans for online submittals.
- Explains basic permit requirements, procedures and fees to the public. Answers code-related questions regarding residential and commercial construction. Responds to other inquiries from customers and citizens.
- Calculates fees for applications and permits. Receives money from the public, gives change, and issues receipts. Processes refunds and balances daily receipts.
- Researches and provides information regarding public and private sewer and water utilities and services.
- Assigns appropriate addresses for new parcels.
- Operates standard office machines, computer programs, and mapping software. Obtains information from plans and maps.
- Updates records and databases; prepares reports.
- Performs related work as required.

# **MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:**

# **Open Entry Requirements:**

(Open-entry applicants must meet all requirements when they apply.)

- *Education:* Completion of one year of college (45 quarter or 30 semester credit hours) to include mathematics, science and English.
- Experience: One year of experience in building/engineering plan review or in issuing construction-related permits.
- Substitution: Additional education may substitute for experience, or vice versa, on a year-for-year basis.

# **EXAMINATION DETAILS:**

Applicants must meet the minimum qualifications and pass the examination for this position to be eligible for hire. The examination will consist of a Training and Experience Evaluation (T&E) and Multiple-Choice Examination, with scoring weights assigned as follows:

- T&E: 20%
- Multiple-Choice Examination: 80%

Upon request, at time of application, the City will provide alternative accessible tests to individuals with disabilities that impair manual, sensory, or speaking skills needed to take the test, unless the test is intended to measure those skills.

# TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE EVALUATION DETAILS

You will receive a link to the Permit Technician I Training and Experience evaluation with instructions, via email, on the morning of Thursday, December 16, 2021. Please note that this email will be sent from FastTest (noreply@fasttestweb.com). This link will be available for log-in until 4:00 p.m. Pacific Time on Tuesday, December 21, 2021.

- Responses to your T&E questions should be consistent with the information given in your application details and are subject to verification.
- Failure to complete all of the questions or incomplete responses will result in a lower score; therefore, it is advantageous for you to provide a full and complete response to each T&E question.
- Resumes or questionnaires uploaded as attachments to the application will not be accepted in lieu of completing each question online.
- "See Resume" or "See above", etc. are not qualifying responses and will not be considered.
- Changes or corrections to your responses cannot be made once your T&E has been submitted.
- **TIP:** It may be more efficient to develop your responses in a word processing document and then paste them into the online questionnaire to be submitted.

# **MULTIPLE-CHOICE EXAMINATION DETAILS**

You will receive a link to the Permit Technician I multiple-choice examination with instructions, via email, on the morning of Thursday, January 6, 2022. Please note that this email will be sent from FastTest (noreply@fasttestweb.com). This link will be available for log-in until 4:00 p.m. Pacific Time on Tuesday, January 11, 2022.

If you do not have access to a personal computer, you may schedule to test in the Civil Service Test Room, on a provided computer, on Thursday, January 6, 2022 at 9:00 a.m. or 1:00 p.m.

The approximate duration of the test is 2 hours. The multiple-choice examination may include such subjects as:

- Attention to Detail
- Cash Handling
- Computer Skills
- Customer Service
- Interpersonal Relations
- Mathematics
- Problem Solving
- Reading Comprehension
- Written Communication

We encourage you to apply immediately. Online applications must be completed and submitted before 4:00 p.m. on the closing date.

# TO APPLY:

**An application is required for promotional applicants.** Applications must be completed online at: <a href="http://my.spokanecity.org/jobs">http://my.spokanecity.org/jobs</a> by 4:00 p.m. on the filing cut-off date. Copies of required additional documents may be attached to your application or submitted via any of the following:

- Email: <a href="mailto:civilservice@spokanecity.org">civilservice@spokanecity.org</a> with <a href="mailto:Job Title">Job Title</a> Applicant <a href="mailto:Name">Name</a> in the subject line of the emailto:
- In person or mail to: Civil Service Commission, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor-City Hall, 808 W. Spokane Falls Blvd., Spokane, WA 99201
- Fax: (509) 625-6077

Please contact our office at 509-625-6160 immediately if you have any difficulties submitting your application.

By order of the SPOKANE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, dated at Spokane, Washington, this 18th day of November 2021.

MARK LINDSEY

KELSEY PEARSON
Chair

Chief Examiner

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# **EDUCATION COORDINATOR**

**SPN 064** 

(Announcement of 11/15/2021)

The above titled announcement is hereby amended to read:

Minimum Qualifications:

Combinations of education and experience that are equivalent to the following minimum qualifications are acceptable.

# **Open Entry Requirements**

(Open-entry applicants must meet all requirements when they apply.)

- Education: Graduation from an accredited four-year college or university with a degree in Education or Communications.
- Experience: Three years of classroom teaching experience and/or experience in implementation of community involvement, public relations, or related programs. Must have computer skills.
- *Licenses:* Incumbents must possess a valid driver's license, to be maintained throughout employment, or otherwise demonstrate ability to get to and from multiple work locations, as required.

NEW: In compliance with the Washington State Governor's Proclamation 21-14-1, all employees in this classification shall be fully vaccinated against COVID-19, unless the employee is granted a medical or religious exemption that the City can reasonably accommodate.

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# SIGNAL MAINTENANCE TECHNICIAN

**SPN 272** 

(Announcement of 10/18/2021)

The above titled announcement is hereby amended to read:

EXAMINATION DETAILS: Closing Date/Time: Monday, January 10, 2022 at 4:00 p.m. Pacific Time

# PROMOTIONAL

DATE OPEN: Monday, November 22, 2021 DATE CLOSED: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 at 4:00 p.m.

SALARY: \$37,849.18 annual salary, payable bi-weekly, to a maximum of \$59,090.40

# **DESCRIPTION:**

Performs semi-skilled manual work in various departments which requires some previous experience and special knowledge acquired on the job.

# **DUTIES:**

- Work performed varies with department to which assigned.
- May supervise small labor crew. Participate in loading, unloading and similar operations. Assists in setting up and dismantling playground equipment.
- Receives calls, investigates and dispatches night crews to remedy routine complaints, reports major complaints to supervisor. Checks excavations for compliance with safety regulations.
- Acts as helper or assigned as apprentice to Craft Specialist and skilled trade workers in maintenance and repair of assigned buildings. May assist in minor maintenance of an assigned heating plant.
- Performs various tasks in support of solid waste disposal operations including, but not limited to, attending household hazardous waste and recycling facility, removing refrigerants from appliances, and directing the public.
- Operates compressors, jack hammers, cement mixers, brush chippers, chain saws, post-hole diggers, sewer augers and other similar power-driven equipment related to the job.
- Drives various trucks, operates rubber-wheeled tractors with attachments, front-end loaders and forklifts. May be required to operate equipment of the next higher class on occasion. Assists in snow removal operations. Mounts sander boxes and tanks. Performs minor maintenance on street cleaning equipment.
- Services assigned equipment. Makes minor field repairs. Reports major defects. Prepares necessary reports.

- Assists in installation, repair and disconnection of water mains, hydrants and valves. Operates pipe and leak locating equipment or performs other operations peculiar to the assigned job.
- Assists in maintenance and construction of sanitary sewer and storm water infrastructure.
- Supervises crew engaged in installation, repair and maintenance of traffic signs and markers. Operates lane and crosswalk painting machines, and fabricates traffic signs using silk screens.
- Performs related work as required.

# **MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:**

# **Promotional Requirements:**

(Current employees of the City of Spokane may meet the promotional requirements. All promotional requirements must be met at the date of the examination.)

- Experience: Six months of work experience with the City in a lower laboring type classification. Specialized experience within a department may be required for assignment to certain positions.
- *License*: Possession of a valid driver's license. Must obtain a Class B Commercial Driver's License (CDL) with air brake endorsement, within six months of appointment.

**Note:** Current non-probationary City of Spokane employees within the line of progression who meet the open entry requirements may apply on a promotional basis, pursuant to Civil Service Rule VI, Section 5.

# Open Entry Requirements:

(Open-entry applicants must meet all requirements when they apply.)

- Education: High School diploma or equivalent.
- Experience: Two years of laboring experience.
- License: Possession of a valid driver's license. Must possess a Class B Commercial Driver's License (CDL) with air brake endorsement

### **EXAMINATION DETAILS:**

You must pass the examination for this classification to be eligible for promotion by the City of Spokane.

Qualified applicants are encouraged to apply immediately. All applicants must complete and submit a City of Spokane employment application online by 4:00 p.m. on the filing cut-off date.

Upon request, at time of application, the City will provide alternative accessible tests to individuals with disabilities that impair manual, sensory or speaking skills needed to take the test, unless the test is intended to measure those skills.

This exam will consist of a multiple choice examination and performance evaluation (PAR), with scoring weights assigned as follows:

- Multiple-Choice Examination: 80%
- PAR: 20%.

# **MULITPLE CHOICE EXAMINATION DETAILS:**

- Test Date/Time: Thursday, December 16, 2021 @ 1:00 p.m.
- Test Location: TBD, dependent upon number of applicants and test space available. Applicants will be notified of the location, via email, upon closure of recruitment.
- Approximate Duration of Exam: 1 hour and 30 minutes

# The written test may include such subjects as:

- Applied Technology
- Interpersonal Skills
- Organizational Awareness
- Safety & Occupational Hazards
- Teamwork
- Technical Competence
- Vehicle Operations.

# PROMOTIONAL EVALUATION DETAILS:

The PAR should be administered by the employee's supervisor within the past year.

- The employee's most recent PAR is the Promotional Evaluation for this position.
- If the most recent PAR is expired (older than one year), the employee's payroll clerk and supervisor are notified. The supervisor is responsible for submitting an updated PAR to the HR department for approval prior to the closing date.
- If an updated PAR is not received by the closing date, the most recent PAR on file will be used, regardless of date administered.

Please contact our office at 509-625-6160 immediately if you have any difficulties submitting your application

### TO APPLY

**An application is required for promotional applicants.** Applications must be completed online at: <a href="http://my.spokanecity.org/jobs">http://my.spokanecity.org/jobs</a> by 4:00 p.m. on the filing cut-off date. Copies of required additional documents may be attached to your application or submitted via any of the following:

- Email: <a href="mailto:civilservice@spokanecity.org">civilservice@spokanecity.org</a> with <a href="mailto:Job Title">Job Title</a> Applicant Name in the subject line of the email.
- In person or mail to: Civil Service Commission, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor-City Hall, 808 W. Spokane Falls Blvd., Spokane, WA 99201
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# Notice for Bids Paving, Sidewalks, Sewer, etc.

Havana Well Station – Phase 1 Engineering Services File No. 2019171

This project consists of the construction of one approximately 40' x 80' CMU buildings to house 3 vertical turbine pumps and motors, as well as the associated electrical and mechanical appurtenances to support the function of the well stations. Site improvements will include connections to existing water transmission mains, grading, paving, and landscaping. This project will take place within the City of Spokane Valley.

This a rebid of a scaled down version of the same project bid in June of this year.

The City of Spokane will receive bids until 1:00 p.m. Dec. 6, 2021, for the above project located in Spokane, Washington, in accordance with the Contract Documents on file at the Department, Engineering Services. Hand-delivered bids shall be delivered between noon and 1:00 p.m. to the first floor, City Hall, 808 W. Spokane Falls Blvd, Spokane WA 99201-3316. The bids will be publicly opened and read at 1:15 p.m. on the first floor of City Hall. In order to comply with the "Stay Home, Stay Safe" order as much as possible, please utilize one of the following options to participate in the bid opening. To watch, go to our website: <a href="https://my.spokanecity.org/business/bid-and-design/current-projects/">https://my.spokanecity.org/business/bid-and-design/current-projects/</a> click on the link to the Microsoft Teams meeting on the right-hand side of the page. Alternatively, it may be simpler to listen by phone, which can be done as follows: call (323) 618-1887, then enter the access code 533 854 149 followed by #.

Copies of the Contract Documents are available at <a href="https://www.cityofspokaneplans.com">www.cityofspokaneplans.com</a>. The Planholders list is also available at this website. Additional project information including the Engineer's estimated cost range for the project, bid results (after bid opening), as well as information about other City projects are available by following the appropriate links at the following website: <a href="https://my.spokanecity.org/business/bid-and-design/current-projects/">https://my.spokanecity.org/business/bid-and-design/current-projects/</a>.

The City of Spokane, in accordance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, 78 Stat. 252, 42 U.S.C. 2000d to 2000d-4 and Title 49, Code of Federal Regulation, Department of Transportation, subtitle A, Office of the Secretary, Part 21, Nondiscrimination in Federally-Assisted Programs of the Department of Transportation issued pursuant to such Act, hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively ensure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, disadvantaged business enterprises as defined at 49 CFR Part 26 will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color or national origin, or sex in consideration for an award.

Bids shall be submitted on the forms provided in accordance with the provisions of the Specifications. Irregular bid proposals will be rejected in accordance with the specifications.

Cashier's check, a certified check or surety bond in the sum of five percent (5%) of the Total Project Bid must accompany the copy of the bid filed with the City Clerk. Successful bidder shall execute the Contract within TEN (10) calendar days after receiving the Contract. Should the successful bidder fail to enter into such contract and furnish satisfactory performance bond within the time stated herein, the bid proposal deposit shall be forfeited to the City of Spokane.

The City of Spokane will normally award this Contract or reject bids within FORTY FIVE (45) calendar days after the time set for the bid opening. If the lowest responsible Bidder and the City of Spokane agree, this deadline may be extended. If they cannot agree on an extension by the 45-calendar day deadline, the City of Spokane reserves the right to Award the Contract to the next lowest responsible Bidder or reject all Bids.

Publish: November 10, 17 & 24, 2021.

# Notice for Bids

# Supplies, Equipment, Maintenance, etc.

**Northeast Spokane Stormwater Study** 

**City of Spokane Integrated Capital Management** 

RFQu #5532-21

<u>Description</u>: The City of Spokane is soliciting electronic Qualification Proposals for a Northeast Spokane Stormwater Study

All Proposal documents shall be submitted electronically through the City of Spokane's online procurement system **no** later than 1:00 p.m. on MONDAY, DECEMBER 20, 2021. Hard copy and/or late submittals will not be accepted. The City of Spokane is not responsible for Proposals submitted late.

Sealed Proposals will be unsealed and acknowledged at the 1:15 p.m. public bid opening meeting via **Microsoft Teams** on **MONDAY**, **DECEMER 20**, **2021**. To watch the City of Spokane Bid Opening Meeting, go to our City Purchasing Department website: <a href="https://my.spokanecity.org/administrative/purchasing/">https://my.spokanecity.org/administrative/purchasing/</a> and then click on the "join meeting" link on the right-hand side of the page. Alternatively, it may be simpler to listen by phone which can be done as follows: call (323) 618-1887 then enter the access code 533 854 149 followed by #.

The Request for Qualifications document is available for download through the City of Spokane's online procurement system <a href="https://spokane.procureware.com">https://spokane.procureware.com</a>. Registration is required to view and download this solicitation. Solicitation documents will not be mailed, e-mailed, or provided in person.

It is the responsibility of Proposers to check the City of Spokane's online procurement system identified above for Addenda or other additional information that may be posted regarding this Request for Qualifications.

Questions from potential Proposers will be accepted through the "Clarifications" tab under the associated project number in the online procurement system.

The right is reserved to reject any and all Proposals and to waive any informalities.

Connie Wahl, C.P.M., CPPB City of Spokane Purchasing

Publish: November 24, December 1 & 8, 2021

PERIODICAL

# **MISCELLANEOUS WATERWORKS PRODUCTS**

Water & Hydroelectric Services

# ITB #5546-21

<u>Description</u>: The City of Spokane is seeking electronic bids for products to be used by the Water & Hydroelectric Services department in support of their 2022 construction and maintenance season.

<u>Bid Opening</u>: Sealed electronic bids will be accepted until **Monday, December 13, 2021 at 1:00pm.** Bids will be publicly opened at 1:15pm. To participate in bid opening, please visit the City's website at <a href="https://my.spokanecity.org/administrative/purchasing/">https://my.spokanecity.org/administrative/purchasing/</a> for the link to attend virtually and the number to attend by telephone. All bid responses must be submitted electronically through the City of Spokane's bidding portal at <a href="https://spokane.procureware.com">https://spokane.procureware.com</a> before the aforementioned deadline. Hard copy and/or late bids will not be accepted.

To view this solicitation and submit a bid response, you must be a registered supplier on the City's bidding portal at <a href="https://spokane.procureware.com">https://spokane.procureware.com</a>. Solicitation documents will not be mailed, e-mailed, or provided in person. Once registered, you will also be added to the solicitation's distribution list for changes and/or modifications via email notification.

Please submit any questions on our bidding portal to the 'Clarifications' tab under the applicable project number.

The City reserves the right to reject any and all submissions and to waive any informalities in the bidding. Special attention will be directed to the qualifications of the proposer when considering this contract. **Only firm submissions completed and submitted electronically will be tabulated**.

Samantha Johnson Purchasing Department

Publish: November 17 & 24, December 1 & 8, 2021