GRAND RAPIDS PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION RESOLUTION NO. 10-12-21-10

RESOLUTION SUPPORTING AND AUTHORIZING SUBMISSION OF AN APPLICATION TO MINNESOTA MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET REQUESTING FUNDS FROM THE 2022 STATE APPROPRIATION FUNDED FROM STATE GENERAL BONDS FOR DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION OF THE GRAND RAPIDS PUBLIC UTILITIES WATER TREATMENT PLANT RENOVATION PROJECT IN GRAND RAPIDS, MINNESOTA.

WHEREAS, Minnesota Statutes section 16A.86 sets out the process by which local governments may request state bond appropriations for capital improvement projects; and

WHEREAS, Local governments are invited to submit capital budget requests to Minnesota Management and Budget (MMB); and

WHEREAS, the Grand Rapids Public Utilities Commission has submitted the Project Overview Form to MMB requesting funds be included in the 2022 bonding bill for the design and construction of the Grand Rapids Public Utilities Water Treatment Plant Renovation Project; and

WHEREAS, the Grand Rapids Public Utilities Water Treatment Plant serves the region by providing public water for approximately 3,400 residential and commercial customers, one industrial customer, the City of LaPrairie, and Itasca Community College/University of Minnesota campus; and

WHEREAS, the Grand Rapids Public Utilities Commission has determined that improvements will have a positive economic impact on the community and our region; and

WHEREAS, requests for appropriations funded from state general obligation bonds must be accompanied by a resolution of the governing body of the applicant;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Grand Rapids Public Utilities Commission authorizes the submission of a request for 2022 state appropriations funded from state general obligation bonds to assist with this project of state and regional significance and assigns it the top priority.

Adopted this 12th day of October, 2021.
Thomas G. Shoule,
President Grand Rapids Public Utilities Commission
Attest: Secretary
Commissioner Grand Rapids Public Utilities Commission