



# CITY OF SACRAMENTO

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September 23, 1981

City Council  
Sacramento, California

Honorable Members in Session:

**SUBJECT:** Bids for Chemical and Control System Modifications at  
Sacramento River Water Treatment Plant

### SUMMARY

Seven bids were opened on September 22. Each exceeded the consultant's estimate. It is recommended that Council action be delayed until low bids are studied and a recommendation to reject or award may be formulated.

### BACKGROUND

On August 18, 1981, the City Council approved plans and specifications for the subject project. Bids were received and opened by the City Clerk in the City Council Chambers on September 22, 1981. Bids received are as follows:

Amos & Andrews, Plumbing, Inc.	\$1,043,000
Robert J. Collins	1,110,000
T. & S Construction	1,119,000
Pacific Mechanical Corp.	1,191,000
Lawson Mechanical Contractors	1,200,000
Monterey Mechanical Co.	1,205,000
C. W. Roen Construction Co.	1,258,540

Consultant's estimate was \$764,000. Since the low bid exceeds the consultant's estimate, a detailed breakdown of the low bid has been requested and will be studied to determine the cause and potential alternatives.

### FINANCIAL

This project is included in the Water Production Capital Improvements Budget, 4-13-3020-1501-4820. The present balance in this budget is \$903,647.

**APPROVED**  
BY THE CITY COUNCIL


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RECOMMENDATION

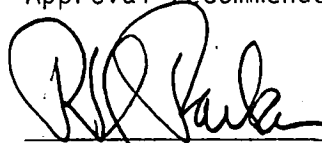
It is recommended the Council's decision to award a contract or reject all bids be postponed until staff reviews low bids as received.

Respectfully submitted,



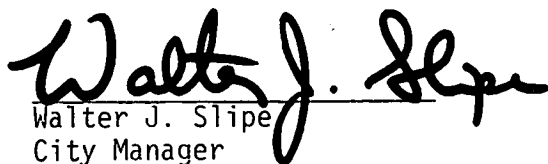
Robert W. Johnston  
Acting Manager

Approval recommended,



R. H. Parker  
City Engineer

Recommendation approved,



Walter J. Slipe  
City Manager