



City of Benbrook

CITY COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

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The Westerly Ditch Channel Improvement Project will reshape the ditch and install a turf reinforcing mat and gabion mattresses in the channel to improve flow characteristics. The project will start just south of the culvert at Chapin Road and transition into the channel at Palomino Estates.

The Dawn Drive Channel Improvement Project will install modular block walls necessary to improve stormwater flow within the channel and reduce sediment deposition in the culverts. The project will start at the culvert crossing on Dawn Drive and end approximately 150 feet downstream of the culvert. The project will modify the downstream channel to improve the water flow through the bridge to reduce sedimentation and flooding potential.

To keep costs low, both projects were bid together and will be constructed as one project. The projects are included in the Capital Improvements Program approved by the City Council.



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Bids were received and opened on December 15, 2022, with the following results:

Company	Bid Amount (\$)
Humphrey & Morton	\$567,585.00
Patcon Services, LLC	\$609,453.03
Stoic Civil Construction, Inc	\$619,122.50
Klutz Construction, LLC	\$702,796.00
Blackrock Construction	\$745,890.00

Humphrey & Morton submitted the low bid of \$567,585. Humphrey & Morton is a reputable contractor with the necessary experience and references.

The Westerly Ditch Channel Improvement Project includes a \$31,556 fee to lower a Benbrook Water Authority (BWA) water line that crosses the channel. The BWA Board approved this reimbursement cost to the City during its January 3, 2023 meeting.

FINANCING

The Stormwater Utility will fund the project.

RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends that City Council award the Dawn Drive and Westerly Ditch Drainage Projects contract to Humphrey & Morton for \$567,585.