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City of Mt. Vernon, Illinois Public Hearing PRELIMINARY ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS DETERMINATION (PEID) Lift Station #14 Monday, April 1, 2019 6:15 p.m.

Mayor John Lewis called the April 1, 2019 Public Hearing to order at 6:15 p.m. in the Rolland W. Lewis Community Building at Veterans Park.

Present at the Public Hearing were Mayor John Lewis, Council Member Jeff May, Council Member Donte Moore, Council Member Jim Rippy, Council Member Mike Young, City Manager Mary Ellen Bechtel, Assistant City Manager Nathan McKenna, Administrative Asst. Lindsay Burris, City Engineer Brad Ruble, and Lindsey Bowlin from Heneghan & Associates P.C.

PUBLIC HEARING

City Engineer Brad Ruble reported that this is the Preliminary Environmental Impacts Determination (PEID) for Lift Station #14 and Force Main Project.

The Project description is: "This project will include the replacement of Lift Station #14 and the installation of an emergency back-up generator for Lift Station #14. The project will also include the rerouting and replacement of Lift Station #14 Force Main. This force main will be upgraded from a 14-inch diameter force main to an 18-inch force main." Ruble explained that basically this means that the City has a large sump pump south of Continental Tire that carries most of the sewerage from the west side of Interstate 57/64 and Woodglen Acres. From there the sewerage is pumped to the Sewer Treatment Plant for treatment. The current route of the force main goes behind Continental Tire. The rerouting will take the main, north on the east side of current Industrial Park, through a farm field, along State Route 142, and then to the Sewer Treatment Plant.

Project cost estimate is \$2,989,817.00.

A copy of the PEID may be obtained from Brad Ruble, City of Mt. Vernon Engineering Department, 1100 Main Street, Mt. Vernon between the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday-Friday. Citizens wishing to make comments via writing may do so during the next 10-day period by writing to the City of Mt. Vernon, City Clerk's Office, 1100 Main Street, Mt. Vernon, IL 62864 or Heidi Allen, IEPA, P.O. Box 19276, Springfield, IL 62794-9276.

Mayor John Lewis asked if there were any questions. No comments were heard.

Mayor Lewis closed the Public Hearing at 6:20 p.m. Motion by Council Member Jeff May to adjourn this Public Hearing. Seconded by Council Member Donte Moore. Yeas: Council Member Jeff May, Council Member Donte Moore, Council Member Jim Rippy, Council Member Mike Young, and Mayor John Lewis.

Respectfully submitted,

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