KIRKSVILLE CITY COUNCIL REPORT

Council Meeting Date: February 3, 2014

Agenda Item: 8

Report Prepared by: Alan Griffiths, Public Works Director

Recommended Motion: To approve the quote from Cabot Norit Americas, Inc., of Marshall, Texas for powdered activated carbon.

Background: Each year the City purchases powdered activated carbon for use in the production of potable water at the Water Treatment Plant. This product helps alleviate the possibility of taste, odor and coloration in the City's drinking water supply. The specific product the City uses is proprietary to Cabot Norit Americas, Inc. The City has, over the years, used several different powdered activated carbon products from different manufacturers only to find that due to the composition of our water supply, this product works best.

Fiscal Impact: The price quoted for Powdered Activated Carbon is \$0.69 per pound, and the 2014 FY budget contains \$91,476.00 under line 8150-4930 (Water Treatment Plant Chemicals).

Respectfully Submitted,

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