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DEPARTMENT of PUBLIC WORKS

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October 16, 2024

Honorable City Council Members
The City of Mount Vernon
Mount Vernon, New York
(Through the Office of the Mayor)

Re: Emergency Sewer Rehabilitation – Multiple City Locations

Dear Honorable City Council Members,

BACKGROUND

I am writing to urgently request the City Council's approval to authorize the City to retroactively enter into an emergency contractual agreement with PCI Industries, Inc. This request is essential due to a health hazard and the immediate need to remove and replace sections of sanitary and stormwater sewers.

PCI was contacted for the emergency repair of existing catch basins at several city locations including Kingsbridge Road, Oak Street, N. West Street, Devonia Avenue, Packman Avenue, South Street, Beach Street, So. Fulton Avenue, Columbus Ave/Cross County Parkway, and High St/Forster St.

PROCUREMENT POLICY

Section 6. Items Excepted from these Policies and Procedures by the City Council.

B. Emergency Purchases. For purpose of this section, an emergency refers to an occurrence that presents an immediate threat to public property, the life, safety, health, welfare or property of residents or the public, or threatens to curtail or terminate an essential service to residents or the public. Due to the nature of this exception, these goods or services must be purchased immediately and a delay in order to seek alternate proposals may threaten the life, health, safety, property or welfare of the residents or City of Mount Vernon.

FUNDING

The total associated costs for this rehabilitation are **\$61,651.86**.

Funding for these emergency repairs is available via DEC Water Quality Improvement Program \$10,000,000 Grant (H8120.203 C937 & H8140.203 C938) and EFC \$5,000,000 Emergency Grant (H8120.203.C934 & H8140.203 C935).



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Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Damani L. Bush".

Damani L. Bush
Commissioner of Public Works
DLB

Cc: City Engineer
Arcadis of New York
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