



CITY OF MOUNT VERNON, N.Y.
DEPARTMENT of PUBLIC WORKS

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DAMANI L. BUSH
Commissioner

June 6, 2024

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

Re: Repair of Roundabout Fountain

Dear Honorable City Council Members:

I am writing to request your support to remit payment for the retroactive repair of the water fountain at the Gramatan Avenue roundabout. The Department of Public Works is responsible for maintaining and repairing all city owned property as well as the beautification of the city. The water fountain on Gramatan Avenue was very badly damaged and rendered unusable prior to its repair. In order to restore the structure, the existing fountain liner needed to be removed, the concrete needed to be power washed, and the sealant had to be removed and replaced in several areas. We have researched various options and found a suitable vendor, Crown Waterproofing Inc. to complete the work effectively and meet the budget requirements.

Contractor/Vendor	Price	Proposal Status
Crown Waterproofing Inc.	\$41,200.00	Submitted
Structural Contracting Services	\$35,970.00	Submitted
Mechanical Epoxy	\$128,000.00	Submitted

When this necessary repair was completed in 2023, the department did not have the available funding to complete the project. We now have the amount available this year to pay the vendor for this work as well as the additional repairs that will need to be done in the near future, as we expect to have to contact them again for additional work.

Funding for this repair is available through the Building Maintenance – Repairs to Plant and Equipment (A1620.414) line. The total cost of this repair was \$41,200.00.

Thank you for considering our request. Kindly have the necessary legislation enacted upon your acceptance and acquiescence of this transaction.

Respectfully,


Damani L. Bush
Commissioner of Public Works

DB/lp

Cc: Comptroller's Office

Attachments: Crown Waterproofing Inc. Invoice

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