

Lake County Public Works Capital Improvement Programming

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Background



- Each year the department has a list of capital projects programmed for execution.
- The list may include projects from previous years.
- These projects can be at different states:
 - a) Preliminary engineering study
 - b) Design
 - c) Construction
- In addition, there are a few projects that will require engineering assessment to determine the condition of equipment, systems, and various assets.

Workload



- Traditionally the department manages projects totaling in cost from \$2M to \$5M per year.
- CIP program ramping up since 2020 (\$12M to \$15M) per year.
- With the addition of the ARPA funded projects, the total project cost for this year will be \$35M.
- The funding for ARPA Projects must be obligated by Dec 2024 and fully executed by Dec 2026.
- The goal: getting to the finish line without increasing staffing.

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CIP & ARPA Projects



PW FY'24 CIP

- Grandwood Park Water Main Replacement
- North Chicago Interconnect Meter Pit Rehab
- Countryside Lake Water main investigation
- Countryside Manor Water Main Replacement
- Saunders Road Gravity Main Phase II
- SE Interceptor Drop Chamber Rehab
- Gages Lake Tower

ARPA Projects

- Des Plaines River WRF –Blower Installation
- Mill Creek WRF UV Installation
- Des Plaines River WRF UV Installation
- Des Plaines River WRF Disc Filters Installation
- Oak Terrace Water System Upgrade
- Highland Lake Water System Upgrade
- Pekara Water System Upgrade
- Antioch Sanitary Sewer System

Contract Vehicles



- Competitive selection process
 - 9 contract vehicles
 - Best proposals interviewed
- Agreement Types:
 - Task-order design/analysis
 - On-demand consulting services
 - No minimum use
- Multi-year contracts:
 - Initial term: 2 years
 - Optional extension: 3 annual renewals



Additional Resources



- Using Contracts with Engineering Firms to provide assistance.
- Services secured through Statement of Interest (SOI)
- Selecting consultants based on their specialty and linking their expertise to specific projects:
 - a) Staff augmentation
 - b) Wastewater collection systems
 - c) SCADA
 - d) Treatment plant design
 - e) Construction Services
 - f) Peer review and assessment

Acquisition Toolbox



On-Demand Consulting



General Engineering (\$k)







Utility Relocation (\$k)

General Surveying (\$k)



Task Order Agreements



Facility Master Plan Assessment (\$K)



Sewer Facilities Design (\$k/yr)







Sewer Modeling/ Analysis (\$k/yr)







Sewer Flow Monitoring (\$k/yr) Water Tower & Reservoir Rehab (\$k)





Questions?