

Appropriations Requests for Legislatively Directed Spending Items

- 1. The sponsoring representative's first name: Pat
- 2. The sponsoring representative's last name: Outman
- The cosponsoring representatives' names. All cosponsors must be listed. If none, please type 'n/a.' A signed letter from the sponsor approving the co-sponsorship and a signed letter from the member wishing to co-sponsor are required. Attach letters at question #9 below.
- 4. Name of the entity that the spending item is intended for: City of Belding
- 5. Physical address of the entity that the spending item is intended for: 120 S. Pleasant St., Belding, MI 48809
- 6. If there is not a specific recipient, the intended location of the project or activity: City of Belding
- Name of the representative and the district number where the legislatively directed spending item is located: Rep. Pat Outman, District 91
- 8. Purpose of the legislatively directed spending item. Please include how it provides a public benefit and why it is an appropriate use of taxpayer funding. Please also demonstrate that the item does not violate Article IV, S 30 of the Michigan Constitution. The City of Belding has been mandated by the Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy (EGLE) to replace its long-standing lagoon system with an entirely new wastewater treatment facility. Updated regulations on environmental protections and modernization have put this rural community in a financial bind. This has forced the city to increase utility rates on their residents. State funding would alleviate these pressures while also helping to update a much-needed water system.

Not only would state funding help the city bring down utility rates on their residents, but it would also be a long-term investment in their health and infrastructure. Maintaining a high level of public health is one of the best ways to help keep the cost of healthcare down. Other parts of the state have dealt with poor water issues that have resulted in sickness for their residents. Upgrading outdated water systems is a great investment in our state and our residents.

- 9. Attach documents here if needed: Attachments added to the end of this file.
- 10. The amount of state funding requested for the legislatively directed spending item. 2000000
- 11. Has the legislatively directed spending item previously received any of the following types of funding? Check all that apply.["None"]
- 12. Please select one of the following groups that describes the entity requesting the legislatively directed spending item: Local unit government
- 13. For a non-profit organization, has the organization been operating within Michigan for the preceding 36 months? Not applicable
- 14. For a non-profit organization, has the entity had a physical office within Michigan for the preceding 12 months? Not applicable
- 15. For a non-profit organization, does the organization have a board of directors? Not applicable
- 16. For a non-profit organization, list all the active members on the organization's board of directors and any other officers. If this question is not applicable, please type 'n/a.' n/a
- 17. "I certify that neither the sponsoring representative nor the sponsoring representative's staff or immediate family has a direct or indirect pecuniary interest in the legislatively directed spending item." Yes, this is correct
- 18. Anticipated start and end dates for the legislatively directed spending item: October 1, 2025 - September 30, 2026

19. "I hereby certify that all information provided in this request is true and accurate." Yes

Loan Project Cost Summary

Project Number: 5830-01

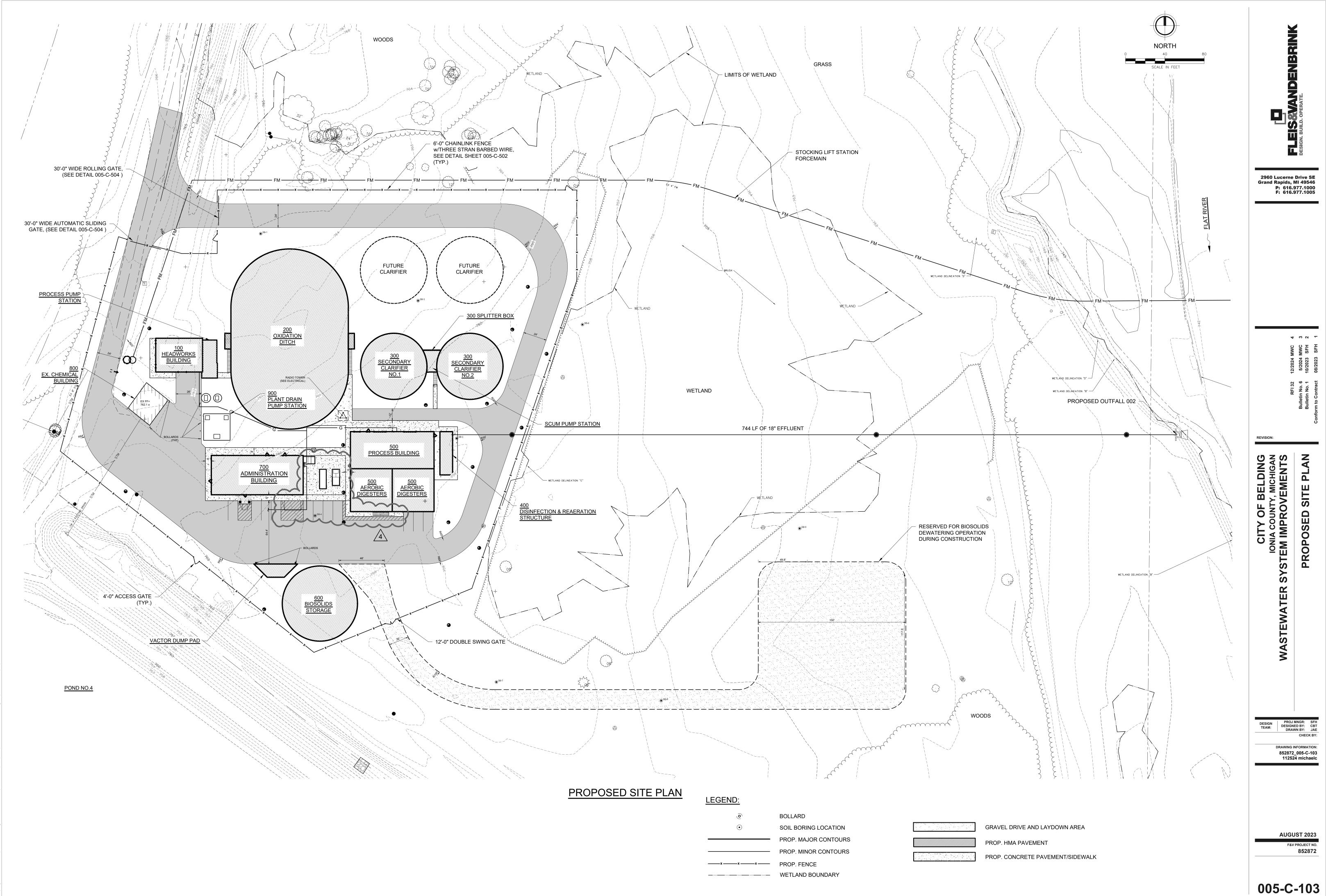
Applicant: City of Belding

Location: Ionia County

Budget Item	Applicant's Requested Cost	Accepted Cost	Allowable Percent (Proration)	MDEQ Approved Costs
1. Asset Management Program / Fiscal Sustainability Costs	\$0	\$0	100.00%	\$0
2. Planning Costs	\$0	\$0	100.00%	\$0
3. Rate Methodology Development Costs	\$0	\$0	100.00%	\$0
4. Design Engineering Costs	\$0	\$0	100.00%	\$0
5. Legal / Financial Service Fees	\$84,232	\$84,232	100.00%	\$84,232
6. Administrative Costs	\$1,450	\$1,450	100.00%	\$1,450
7. Bond Counsel Fees	\$62,756	\$62,756	100.00%	\$62,756
8. Bond Advertisement Costs	\$0	\$0	100.00%	\$0
9. Bid Advertisement Costs	\$0	\$0	100.00%	\$0
10. Capitalized Interest				\$0
11. Land Acquisition / Relocation Costs	\$0	\$0	100.00%	\$0
12. Land Purchase Costs	\$0	\$0	100.00%	\$0
13. Construction Engineering Costs	\$0	\$0	100.00%	\$0
14. Construction Costs (bid contracts)	\$47,399,000	\$47,399,000		\$47,399,000
15. Construction Costs (force account)	\$0	\$0		\$0
16. Equipment Costs	\$0	\$0	100.00%	\$0
17. Other Project Costs	\$0	\$0	100.00%	\$0
18. Non-SRF Funding				(\$2,000,000)
19. Project Cost Subtotal (sum of lines 1 through 17)				\$45,547,438
20. Contingency (6% of line 19 plus or minus the amount need	\$452,562			
21. Approved Total Project Cost (sum of lines 19 and 20)				\$46,000,000

MDEQ Reviewer: Sara Brown

Date: 07/24/2023



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