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## Public Works Department Solid Waste Division

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Public Works Committee/Common Council

RE: Request Authorization to Seek Proposals for Engineering Services for Solid Waste Division Project #SW 13-2147.

The Rapid City Public Works Department Solid Waste Division is preparing to expand its current Gas Collection and Control System (GCCS) to cover the closed Cell 12 area. This is a requirement of our South Dakota Department of Environment and Natural Resources Title V Air Quality Permit, Permit #28.1101-02.

Section 8.5.1.B states the owner or operator shall install and operate an active collection system that "collects gas from each area, cell, or group of cells in which the initial solid waste has been placed for a period of five years or more if active or two years or more if closed or at final grade." Cell 12 was capped and closed in 2011, so we have exceeded the timeframe to install a GCCS system.

Staff proposes to hire a Consultant to provide professional services for the design and construction administration of this system.

The project is funded from the Solid Waste Division Enterprise Funds.

Sincerely,

Justin Vangraefschepe, PE  
Solid Waste Project Manager

Cc: Terry Wolterstorff, Public Works Director



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