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REPORTS

Item No. 16 Water Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition (SCADA) Upgrade Financial Status Report No. 5 for the Period from February 1, 2016 to April 30, 2016

STANDING COMMITTEE DECISION:

The Standing Policy Committee on Finance concurred in the recommendation of the Winnipeg Public Service and received the report as information.

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DECISION MAKING HISTORY:

Moved by Councillor Lukes,

That the recommendation of the Winnipeg Public Service be concurred in.

Carried

ADMINISTRATIVE REPORT

Title:WATER SUPERVISORY CONTROL AND DATA ACQUISITION (SCADA)UPGRADE FINANCIAL STATUS REPORT NO. 5 FOR THE PERIOD FROM
FEBRUARY 1, 2016 TO APRIL 30, 2016

Critical Path: The Standing Policy Committee on Finance

AUTHORIZATION

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RECOMMENDATIONS

That this report be received as information.

REASON FOR THE REPORT

Administrative Directive No. FM-004 requires quarterly reporting to the Standing Committee on Finance.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This report provides a quarterly update on the status of the Water Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition (SCADA) Upgrade Project. This capital project is financed from the approved Capital Budget for Water Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition (SCADA) Upgrades. The project is currently on schedule and on budget. The project schedule was evaluated considering the potential risks due to concurrent upgrading of the Regional SCADA and PLCs. The schedule was updated to eliminate the concurrent upgrade and the revised project schedule should be considered the new project baseline schedule.

IMPLICATIONS OF THE RECOMMENDATIONS

None.

HISTORY / DISCUSSION

DISCUSSION:

1. THE PROJECT

The Water Services Division utilizes a Regional SCADA control system to operate, control and monitor processes at the Shoal Lake Intake Facility, regional pumping and booster stations, and the Deacon Chemical Feed Facility. The Regional SCADA provides automated control and visualization of the water supply and distribution system to operators on a 24/7 basis so they can control and monitor these processes. The Regional SCADA system is made up of instrumentation, remote communication equipment and specialized computer hardware with customized software, such as Programmable Logic Controllers (PLCs). The regional pumping and booster stations as well as the water supply intake at Shoal Lake are controlled locally via PLCs and are monitored remotely via the City's Regional SCADA.

The Regional SCADA is comprised of server hardware and software that are approaching end of life. In addition, the PLCs at the aforementioned locations have also reached the end of their useful life and are no longer manufactured.

The Department currently has two water SCADA system providers; Telvent, which is used for the regional water system, and Wonderware, which is used for the water treatment plant. A Regional SCADA Upgrade Life Cycle Cost Analysis was completed in June 2015. The analysis considered two options for upgrading the Regional SCADA system:

- 1. Updating the existing Telvent system
- 2. Replacing the existing Telvent system with a Wonderware system

The analysis considered costs for hardware, software and support agreements over a 25-year period. The report found that Wonderware was the preferred option having the lowest life-cycle cost.

The project objective is to upgrade the Regional SCADA and PLCs to ensure timely replacement of end of life hardware and software. The delivery method for this project is design-build (D-B). The project requires specialized systems integration knowledge. As such, an Owner's Advocate Engineer will be engaged to assist the City in developing the D-B Request for Proposal (RFP) and monitoring construction. Proponents for the D-B RFP will be shortlisted using a Request for Qualifications (RFQ) process.

A preliminary design for the PLC upgrades was completed in 2013. This predesign was undertaken in conjunction with the predesign of power reliability upgrades required at the pumping stations. The Water SCADA Upgrade adopted project includes the following Project Identifications:

Project ID	Project Year	Amended Budget
2005000211	2011	\$367,339 ¹
2005000214	2014	\$432,661 ²
2005000215	2015	\$7,600,000
2005000216	2016	\$3,900,000
Total Amended Budget	\$12,300,000	

¹ Does not appear in the Capital Expenditures Monthly Report as the funds have been expended and it is designated as a closed Project ID

² The amount shown in the Capital Expenditures Monthly Report is \$1,100,000, however \$300,000 was transferred to 552/598 Plinguet Fire Protection (Project ID 2001002914) as approved by Council March 26, 2014. The \$ balance was rebudgeted and was included in the 2016 Capital Budget funds request.

The Executive Project Sponsor is the Director of Water and Waste. The Project Manager is Alison Weiss, P. Eng.

2. MAJOR CAPITAL PROJECT STEERING COMMITTEE

Administrative policy for projects with capital cost exceeding \$20 million requires formation of a Major Capital Project Steering Committee. This threshold was approved by Council on October 28, 2015. Any project reporting to SPC Finance under the previous \$10 million threshold will continue to report. The Committee has been formed and its members are:

Clive Wightman, Director, Community Services John Kiernan, Director, Planning, Property and Development Jason Ruby, Manager of Capital Projects, Corporate Finance Department Moira Geer, Acting Director of Water and Waste Lucy Szkwarek, Acting Manager of Finance and Administration, Water and Waste Geoff Patton, Manager of Engineering, Water and Waste Alison Weiss, Project Manager, Water and Waste

3. RISKS AND RISK MITIGATION STRATEGIES

An ongoing risk management strategy has been implemented for the project encompassing a proactive process of identifying and assessing project risk, defining appropriate risk handling strategies and plans, and monitoring those actions to completion.

Formal risk and opportunity analyses of the project are scheduled to be performed by the project team at major milestones as the project progresses. Global project risks of significance include:

Risk Matrix ¹							
Risk Statement and Explanation	Mitigation						
PLC components to be replaced are at the end of their intended service life and may fail prior to project completion. These components are no longer manufactured.	An inventory of spare PLC components has been obtained by the Department. D-B has been selected as the delivery method for this project, allowing for design and construction to occur simultaneously, resulting in earlier replacement of PLC components.						

Risk Matrix ¹							
Risk Statement and Explanation	Mitigation						
D-B reduces the City's control during detailed design, resulting in a sub-optimal final design.	Project requirements will be specified as detailed as possible in the D-B RFP. The RFP will include strict performance requirements.						
Bid prices for the D-B RFP exceed budget resulting in inability to award and schedule delay.	Ongoing discussion with the Owner's Advocate Engineer on any significant cost impacts, obtain an updated cost estimate of D-B RFP as early as possible.						
An unqualified/inexperienced contractor bids on the D-B RFP with a low price that skews the evaluation.	Bidders for the D-B RFP will be pre-qualified using an RFQ.						
D-B reduces the City's ability to control risks associated with tie-ins to existing equipment and coordination of work.	Project constraints will be clearly defined in the D-B RFP. D-B proponents will be required to submit a detailed implementation plan.						

¹Risk Matrix is arranged vertically from higher to lower assessed risk

4. CHANGES SINCE THE LAST REPORT

The RFP for the Owner's Advocate Engineer is currently in development and is anticipated to be issued and awarded by November 2016.

5. ISSUES/RISKS REQUIRING FURTHER ATTENTION

Cost Risk

The cost estimate of \$9 million for engineering and construction for the PLC upgrade work is based on a Class 3 estimate, prepared as part of the preliminary design, with an expected accuracy range of -20% (\$7.2 million) to +30%.(11.7 million). The cost estimate of \$9 million includes a 20% contingency (\$1.5 million).

The cost estimate for the Regional SCADA upgrade has been refined from a Class 5 estimate of \$3.3 million to a Class 4 estimate of \$3.1 million based on the results of the life cycle cost analysis completed during the previous reporting period. The current estimate is slightly lower than the original estimate, however the Department is not recommending a change in the requested budget at this time due to the class of the estimate. The updated cost estimate has an expected accuracy range of -30% (\$2.17 million) to +60% (\$4.96 million). The cost estimate of \$3.1 million includes a 20% contingency (\$0.5 million).

It is AACE International accepted practice that cost estimates are adjusted as design progresses.

Schedule

The SCADA and PLC upgrades will be undertaken in conjunction with power reliability upgrades required at the pumping stations in order to reduce pumping station shut-down times and potentially reduce design and construction costs. Any design or construction delays related to the power reliability upgrades have the potential to affect the schedule of the SCADA and PLC upgrades. As station shut downs will only be permitted during periods of low demand and, as no more than two stations will be upgraded at one time (to minimize potential risk to the distribution system), design issues can be dealt with in advance of, or between, station

upgrades. Construction issues will be minimized through careful construction planning including the development of an overall construction schedule, implementation/changeover planning, and preparation of shutdown protocols. Further, lessons learned through the sequential station upgrading will be applied to succeeding upgrades.

6. SCHEDULE

Current key schedule milestones are:

Milestone Description	Timeline			
	Previous Report	This Report		
Issue RFP for Owner's Advocate Engineer	June 2016	August 2016 ¹		
Start D-B RFQ/RFP Development	September 2016	November 2016 ¹		
Issue D-B RFQ	December 2016	March 2017 ¹		
Issue D-B RFP	May 2017	September 2017 ¹		
Start SCADA Detailed Design/Upgrading	August 2017	December 2017 ¹		
Start PLC Upgrading Phase 1 (Tache/Shoal Lake)	November 2017	November 2018 ¹		
Complete SCADA Upgrading/Commissioning	May 2018	September 2018 ¹		
Start PLC Upgrading Phase 2 (McPhillips/Hurst)	October 2018	October 2019 ¹		
Start PLC Upgrading Phase 3 (MacLean/Deacon)	October 2019	October 2020 ¹		
Complete Commissioning of all project components	May 2020	May 2021 ¹		

The timeline presented in the previous report included overlap between the SCADA upgrade and the PLC upgrades at Tache/Shoal Lake. The schedule has been revised to eliminate this overlap so that the systems can be installed, tested and commissioned one at a time. Commissioning of the SCADA will involve the verification of objects, graphics, scripting and reporting against the operational system. The simultaneous upgrade of the PLCs at Tache/Shoal Lake would add significant complexity to the verification of the SCADA operation.

¹ The revised project schedule is considered the new project baseline schedule.

7. FINANCIAL ANALYSIS

The status of current RFPs and Bid Opportunities are as follows:

RFP or Bid Opportunity	Description	Current Status	Contract Value (GST and MRST extra as applicable)	
RFP 224-2012	PLC Replacement and Power Reliability Upgrades Preliminary Design	Completed by SNC Lavalin Inc.	\$315,563	
Sole Source Consultant Assignment 307-2012	Equipment Identification Standard and Electrical Design Guide Development	Completed by SNC Lavalin Inc.	\$46,948	
Consultant assignment at or under \$35,000	Regional SCADA Life Cycle Cost Analysis	Completed by Dillon Consulting Ltd.	\$35,000	

Future major RFQs, RFPs and Bid Opportunities include:

- RFP Owner's Advocate Engineer for PLC, Regional SCADA and Power Reliability Upgrades
- RFQ Design & Build PLC, Regional SCADA and Power Reliability Upgrades
- RFP Design & Build PLC, Regional SCADA and Power Reliability Upgrades

Project funding

The approved capital budget is as follows:

Year	Capital Program	Actual and Projected Cash Flows	Cumulative Capital Budget Remaining
Up to 2015	\$8,400,000	\$402,339	\$7,997,661
2016	\$3,900,000	\$88,000	\$11,809,661
2017		\$613,000	\$11,196,661
2018		\$4,236,000	\$6,960,661
2019		\$2,745,000	\$4,215,661
Beyond 2019		\$4,215,661	\$0
Total	\$12,300,000	\$12,300,000	

A summary of the budget to forecast comparison is contained in Appendix 1 (attached).

The Water SCADA upgrade project is funded by retained earnings.

The variance in spending up to 2015 from this report to the Capital Expenditure Monthly Report is \$367,339, which is equivalent to the expenditure in the closed 2011 budget. These funds were spent on preliminary engineering.

8. ANTICIPATED PROGRESS DURING NEXT REPORTING PERIOD

The RFP for an Owner's Advocate Engineer will be further developed and finalized during the next reporting period. It is anticipated that this RFP will be posted in August 2016 and awarded in November 2016.

Financial Impact Statement Date: May 17, 2016

Project Name:

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COMMENTS:

As this report is submitted for informational purposes only, there is no financial impact associated with this recommendation.

"Original signed by L. Szkwarek, CPA, CGA" Lucy Szkwarek, CPA, CGA Acting Manager of Finance and Administration

CONSULTATION

In preparing this report there was consultation with:

N/A

OURWINNIPEG POLICY ALIGNMENT

01-1b Key Directions for Building a City That Works

>Provide clean, safe, reliable, sustainable drinking water.

SUBMITTED BY

Water and Waste				
Engineering Services				
A.M. Weiss, P. Eng.				
June 2, 2016				
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ATTACHMENTS:

Appendix 1 – SCADA Upgrade Estimated Costs and Project Costs to Complete

WATER SUPERVISORY CONTROL AND DATA ACQUISITION (SCADA) UPGRADE WATER AND WASTE DEPARTMENT - ENGINEERING DIVISION

APPENDIX 1 As at April 30, 2016

			COSTS			PROJECTED COSTS TO COMPLETE			TOTAL	VARIANCE	NOTE	
	Components	Approved Budget To Date ¹	Costs submitted this report	Total Costs Incurred to Date (to April 30, 2016)	2016	2017	2018	2019	Total Costs Remaining to Complete	Total Project Cost	Variance from Budget (Unfavourable)	
Α	PROFESSIONAL SERVICES	\$5,600,000	\$0	\$402,339	\$88,000	\$613,000	\$719,000	\$1,512,000	\$2,265,661	\$5,600,000	0	2
В	CONSTRUCTION	\$6,700,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$3,517,000	\$1,233,000	\$1,950,000	\$6,700,000	0	
	TOTALS	\$12,300,000	\$0	\$402,339	\$88,000	\$613,000	\$4,236,000	\$2,745,000	\$4,215,661	\$12,300,000	0	-

Percentage Complete 3%

¹ Total budget of \$12,300,000 for the Water SCADA Upgrade Project; Distribution of costs to Components A and B was done by the Water and Waste Department. The budget included \$9 million for PLC upgrades and \$3.3 million for SCADA upgrades. The cost estimate for the SCADA upgrades has been refined to \$3.1 million, however a change in budget is not recommended at this time.

² Professional Services include Professional Engineering Services (preliminary design, life cycle cost analysis, detailed design, programming and contract administration), overhead and administration charges.