

CITY OF WASILLA

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COUNCIL MEMORANDUM NO. 90-30

FROM:

City Engineer

DATE:

April 19, 1990

RE:

Storm Water Pump Station

Geotechnical Investigation

This memorandum is to provide a status report on the site evaluation for site selection for the storm water pump station proposed near Lake Lucille.

During the April 9, 1990 City Council meeting, Council directed the City Engineer to perform a geotechnical investigation on Block 9, Kennedy Addition to the Wasilla Townsite Addition. This property is owned by Mrs. Troseth of Wasilla. The purpose of the geotechnical investigation was to obtain subsurface information for determining the feasibility of constructing a pump station on this property.

On April 13, 1990 a 38.5-feet deep test boring was drilled on the northern end of Mrs. Troseth's property. The findings of the test boring is described in a geotechnical report that will be handed out to Council during the April 23, 1990 meeting. The geotechnical report will also include a description of the test boring work that was completed on Mr. Gissler's Lot 53, Snider Subdivision.

Based on the findings of the above geotechnical investigations and discussions with Mr. John Chapman of Tryck, Nyman & Hayes (TNH), Mrs. Troseth's property has subsurface conditions that are considerably more favorable for the construction of the pump station as compared to the conditions found on Mr. Gissler's lot. Placement of the pump station on Mr. Troseth's property may necessitate some changes to TNH's engineering plans.

We recommend Council direct the City Administration to initiate negotiations with Mrs. Troseth for the purchase of approximately 40,000 square feet on the north end of Block 9, Kennedy Subdivision.

approved 4/23/90

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