



Rochelle Municipal Utilities
Water/Water Reclamation
Interoffice Memorandum

To: David Plyman

From: Adam Lanning

Date: February 17, 2015

Re: Council Approval for Airport Water Service

The City of Rochelle Airport currently provides water to its users through a production well located on site separate from the RMU system. This well is located proximal to a leaking underground storage tank (LUST) as determined by the Illinois EPA. Coupled with the proximity to a LUST site, the well itself has presented water quality issues in the past due to its shallow depth. Due to these factors, the Airport is required to take action to mitigate the water quality issues.

After careful review, it is recommended that RMU extend a water service from our existing line near the I88 overpass to the airport to supply City water. This solution will eliminate the risk of the LUST site and the water quality issues associated with the existing production well. Upon completion, the city will be reimbursed from the Illinois EPA Corrective Action Plan budget in the amount of \$90,271.16

On February 9th this project went out for public bid and Martin Inc. provided the only bid at \$99,222.16. Martin is a reputable contractor that is capable of completing this project. Also, considering that a deadline must be followed to qualify for the reimbursement, Adam Lanning Superintendent of water and water reclamation recommends awarding Martin Inc. the following bid.