

AGENDA # G.2
Scio Township Board of Trustees
Purchase of Cummins Standby Gas Generator

FOR MEETING DATE OF: November 28, 2023

PREPARED ON: 11/20/23

PREPARED BY: Brandon McNiel

SUBMITTED BY: Utilities

ITEM TYPE: Possible Action

SUGGESTED ACTION:

Action to approve the purchase of Cummins Standby Gas Generator for the price of \$69,300 to be paid by General fund/ARPA funds.

BACKGROUND:

I recommend the Cummins Gas Standby Generator for our replacement generator for Township Hall. Its competitively bid through Sourcewell, requiring a 50% down payment for order placement with a year lead time. The inclusive cost covers the generator, docking station, and transfer switch. The generator has a 2-year warranty, and the transfer switch has a 1 year warranty. An optional 5-year warranty is available for an additional \$3,200. Currently Cummins generators are being used at the Jackson Road Pump Station, as well as the water booster stations. Maintaining consistency with generators is the sensible choice for this project and the future. We built in a contingency for up to \$100,000 because the lead time is so far ahead, introducing more uncertainty about final costs.

FISCAL IMPACT: \$69,300; not to exceed \$100,000 in ARPA funding.

RECOMMENDATION:

Utility Director- Approved

Joyce Parker- Approved

MODEL MOTION:

To approve an expenditure of up to \$100,000 for the purchase of Cummins Standby Gas Generator, payable

through ARPA funds.

ATTACHMENTS:

[Cummins_Proposal_Scio_Township_Hall_SOURCEWELL_092222_-_CMM__1_.pdf](#)

[Sourcewell Contract 2023.pdf](#)

[C150kW NG Genset Data Sheets_Draawings_Fuel Requirements.pdf](#)

QUESTION: Shall this Motion be APPROVED?