RESOLUTION NO. 265-2019

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS, AWARDING THE BID TO DOWTECH SPECIALTY CONTRACTORS, INC. FOR THE OVALO TANK SEDIMENT REMOVAL.

WHEREAS, the City of Abilene (City) owns and operates the Ivie Raw Water Pipeline System that includes the Intake Pump Station, the Booster Pump Station and 6.0 MG storage tank, and the Ovalo 10.0 MG terminal storage tank; and

WHEREAS, over the course of time the Booster and Ovalo raw water storage tanks accumulate a significant layer of sediments on the bottom of the tanks consisting of silt and organic materials, and occasionally the sediment must be removed from the tank bottoms; and

WHEREAS, the removal of the sediments is slow and burdensome, the geodesic dome of the Ovalo tank further complicates the removal process, and a private contractor is better equipped and capable or removing the sediments in a timely manner; and

WHEREAS, the City hired Jacob and Martin, LLC to provide design plans and contract documents, bidding assistance, general supervision, and contract administration for the removal of the sediment; and

WHEREAS, it is recommended that the Abilene City Council award the bid to Dowtech Specialty Contractors, Inc. for the Ovalo Tank Sediment Removal project in the amount of $158,600.00; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS:

That the Abilene City Council awards the bid to Dowtech Specialty Contractors, Inc. for the Ovalo Tank Sediment Removal project in the amount of $158,600.00.

ADOPTED this 19th day of December, 2019.

ATTEST:

Shawna Atkinson, City Secretary

Anthony Williams, Mayor

APPROVED:

Stanley E. Smith, City Attorney