

ORDINANCE NO. 807

AN ORDINANCE DECLARING A PUBLIC EMERGENCY WAIVING THE REQUIREMENT OF PUBLIC BIDDING ON A WATER SYSTEM REPAIR; DIRECTING THE ACCEPTANCE OF AN ESTIMATE FOR WATER SYSTEM REPAIRS; REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES OR PARTS OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HEREWITH AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GOTHENBURG, DAWSON COUNTY, NEBRASKA AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The City has received from Sargent Irrigation, Inc. (Sargent) an estimate to reline one of the City's water wells, the need for which relining was not known until Sargent had disassembled the well and inspected the same. The estimate received from Sargent is the sum of \$ 24,819<sup>51</sup>/. Said estimate exceeds the maximum expenditure that the City can make without public bidding of \$20,000.00, as set forth in Nebraska Statute, Section 17-568.01.

Section 2. The City Council and Mayor believe that an emergency exists resulting from pressing necessity or unforeseen need calling for action, which justifies the waiver of the requirement that the well relining be put out for public bid, as allowed in Nebraska Statute Section 17-568.01(6). The pressing necessity or unforeseen need is that the City is approaching peak water use and therefore it is necessary that the water well be placed into service sooner than will be possible if the repairs are put out for public bidding.

Section 3. The City hereby accepts the estimate from Sargent to reline the water well for \$ 24,819<sup>51</sup>/.

Section 4. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 5. This ordinance shall become effective from and after its passage, approval and

publication as required by law.

Passed and approved this 6<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2006.

CITY OF GOTHENBURG,  
DAWSON COUNTY, NEBRASKA

BY Larry Franzen  
Larry Franzen, Mayor

ATTEST:

Connie Dalrymple  
Connie Dalrymple, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Michael L. Bacon, City Attorney