

Recommendation re: Award of Purchase Order to DWR Aquatics for Simpson Pool Repair

Simpson Pool was built in 1988 as a marcite pool. In 2000 a PVC liner was installed to eliminate the leaking in the original marcite shell. When that liner failed in 2013 it was replaced with a pre-engineered modular laminated steel panel and buttress system including a new PVC liner on the pool floor which is exclusive technology to Myrtha Pools. The Myrtha system provided a 15-year warranty to the City of Lakeland for the pool for materials only.

Myrtha technicians have examined the condition of the current system and due to the degradation of the PVC liner it is recommended that it be replaced. The quote for the materials and installation is \$461,488, warranty reduced the material cost to a total cost of material and installation to \$408,435. DRW Aquatics, a certified Myrtha installer, was selected by Myrtha to perform the repair and installation.

Funds for the pool repair are available in FY 2024 Public Improvement Fund.

The pool repair will begin the first week of September and will take approximately one month to complete.

Staff recommends the City Commission authorize the issuance of a Purchase Order to DRW Aquatics for a not to exceed price of \$408,435 for the Simpson Pool repair.