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**Conveyor Belt Replacement Parts**

**Action:**

- A. Approve the purchase of conveyor belt replacement parts by the sole source exemption,**
- B. Approve a contract with Serpentix Conveyor Corp. for the purchase of conveyor belt replacement parts, and**
- C. Authorize the City Manager to amend the contract consistent with the purpose for which the contract was approved.**

**Staff Resource(s):**

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**Sole Source Exemption**

- NC General Statute Section 143-129(e)(6) provides that formal bidding requirements do not apply when:
  - Performance or price competition are not available;
  - A needed product is available from only one source or supply; or
  - Standardization or compatibility is the overriding consideration.
- Sole sourcing is necessary for this contract because a needed product is available from only one source.
- City Council approval is required for any purchases made under the sole source exception.

**Explanation**

- This contract will provide replacement parts for the repair and rehabilitation of existing conveyor belts at the Mallard Creek Wastewater Treatment Plant (Council District 4).
- The conveyor belts were previously installed within the plant through competitively bid construction projects. Compatible parts are only available from the manufacturer, Serpentix Conveyor Corp.
- Estimated cost of the replacement parts is \$117,000.

**Charlotte Business INCLUSION**

This is a sole source contract and is exempt (Part A, Appendix 1, Section 27 of the Charlotte Business INCLUSION Policy).

**Fiscal Note**

Funding: Charlotte Water Capital Investment Plan