



## Legislation Text

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**Purchasing Type:** Ratification (RA)

**Public Hearing:** YES  NO

**Department:** Purchasing & Contracting

**AGENDA ITEM:**

**Commission District(s):** 3

RA - Purchase Order No. 1175974 for Winters Chapel Camera Removal and Sewer Line Repair (Emergency): for use by the Department of Watershed Management (DWM). This emergency purchase consisted of removing a camera that was stuck in a sewer line while conducting an assessment. Recommend approval to ratify emergency expenditure made for the removal of camera and repair services. Awarded to The Renee Group, Inc. Amount Not To Exceed: \$536,715.70.

**Information Contact:** Talisa Clark, CPPO

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**PURPOSE:**

On April 22, 2019 during the televising of a sewer line located on Winters Chapel Road near Doraville Georgia, a CCTV camera became stuck in a 10" sewer line. In order to remove the camera, an external point repair was required. As a result, and in efforts to prevent the manhole from overflowing, the County's on-call contractor was notified to immediately mobilize and remove the camera as quickly as possible. This area was flooded, making it mandatory for various valves to be turned off in the area. During this process, a 6" valve broke and caused additional flooding. The on-call contractor was requested to perform valve repair services in this area to alleviate possible threat to health, welfare and safety to citizens. Additional work included removing truckloads of unsuitable soil, installing large rocks, contacting Georgia Power to stabilize a power pole, site restoration and maintaining emergency bypass pumping around the clock.

**RECOMMENDATION:**

Recommend approval of the ratification with:

The Renee Group, Inc., 305 Selig Drive SW, Atlanta, GA 30336

Amount Not To Exceed: \$536,715.70

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:**

1. LSBE-DeKalb Participation: 100%
2. Funding: Renewal and Extension (DWM) CIP Line No. 82
3. Justification: Non-Competitive Procurement Request for the emergency removal of a camera and necessary repairs to stop flooding and possible threat to the health, welfare, safety of constituents and community.

