

**RESOLUTION NO. 2018-115**

**A RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE A CONTRACT WITH CONSUMERS ENERGY ES SERVICES FOR THE REPLACEMENT OF THE TIRRELL LIFT STATION GENERATOR**

**WHEREAS**, the generator at the Tirrell Lift Station was originally installed in 1979 and has been budgeted for replacement in the current fiscal year; and

**WHEREAS**, the diesel generator will be replaced with a natural gas powered generator eliminating the need for an underground storage fuel tank that incurs annual MDEQ and insurance costs; and

**WHEREAS**, Consumers Energy ES Services has provided design/ build services for the Reynolds Road Lift Station and the Chad Lift Station backup generators with great success; and

**WHEREAS**, a Consumers Energy ES Services has visited the site, performed preliminary load testing, and provided calculations for sizing the generator; and

**WHEREAS**, a Consumers Energy ES Services has presented a proposal for \$78,900 which includes their fee, the purchase and installation of the generator, a receptacle for the backup generator, and the automatic transfer switch for the generator; and

**WHEREAS**, a Consumers Energy will have an additional charge estimated at \$5,000.00 for upgrading the gas service to allow proper operation of the generator; and

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** That the City enter into a contract with Consumers Energy ES Services to provide the above mentioned services and that the Mayor or Clerk be directed to sign said contract on behalf of the City pending the attorney's review of the contract.