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MEMORANDUM

TO: Katheryn Emery, P.E., Program Manager, DWWM

FROM: Michael King, P.E., DWWM

DATE: July 13, 2026

SUBJECT: Town of Marmet
IJDC No. 2024S-2581
Bid Underrun Request

RECOMMENDATION

The bid underrun request prepared by Potesta & Associates, Inc. for the above referenced project has been reviewed and is technically feasible.

DISCUSSION

This project's bid opening resulted in an underrun of \$92,265.00. This request proposes to use \$80,000.00 of the underrun to purchase a portable diesel-powered generator rated at 70kVA, which would be used to maintain service during an extended power outage at the Town's six pump stations that do not have a permanent generator. The request also includes \$4,000 for Assistance with Procurement of Easements and \$445 for additional Construction costs.

The Town does not currently have a portable generator capable of powering these stations. The request also indicates that the generator would be competitively procured and the Town would cover any expenses to install necessary transfer switches.