Exhibit to Agenda Item # 1

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Board Finance & Audit Committee and Special SMUD Board of Directors Meeting
Wednesday, April 14, 2021, scheduled to begin at 5:30 p.m.
Virtual Meeting (online)
Project History

Completion of the Union Valley Bike Trail (UVBT) is a FERC License Compliance Requirement, which when done will consist of 12+ miles of continuous Class V bike trail around the reservoir from Jones Fork Campground to West Point Campground.
Project Background

The Union Valley Bike Trail (UVBT) currently consists of two segments of paved bike trail at Union Valley Reservoir in the Crystal Basin of the Upper American River Project, totaling 6.3 miles. Expansion and connection of the bike trail will be completed in two phases:

• Wench Creek Campground to Yellowjacket Campground
• Wolf Creek Campground to West Point Campground

SMUD staff has worked closely with the Forest Service and adjacent landowners in the development of the project since 2010

• Requested and received two timeline extensions
• Examined 5 separate alignments, various designs and materials to determine best value
• Reduced estimated costs by >30%
Union Valley Bike Trail - Phase I

- Connects existing Bike trail segments from Wench Creek Campground to Yellowjacket Campground
- 1.2 miles of paved 8’ wide Class V bike trail
- ~1,100 linear feet of Fiber Reinforced Polymer (FRP) boardwalk
- 80-foot bridge spanning Tells Creek
- 40-foot bridge spanning Ian’s Creek
Tells Creek Crossing

- 80-foot clear span
- Drilled & poured foundations
- Bridge span placed by Helicopter
Union Valley Bike Trail - Phase II
Union Valley Bike Trail – Phase II

- ~3.8 miles of paved 8’ wide bike trail
- 100-foot clear span bridge crossing Wolf Creek
- Numerous wet meadow crossings
- ~1.2 miles of FRP boardwalk
- Parking area near West Point Campground
- Rest stop with picnic tables
Best Value Design Solutions

• U.S. Forest Service Class V Multi-use Trail
• Alignment meets current accessibility standards
• FRP Boardwalk Materials
  • Low maintenance
  • Long Service Life
  • Fire-resistant
  • Natural Look and Texture
  • Allows for “field-fit” or design/build approach
  • Minimizes environmental impacts
Boardwalk Construction Challenges

6,300+ piles to be installed in both wet meadows and rocky terrain
- Driven (Less costly)
- Drilled (More costly)
Construction Access Challenges

Linear Access – space-limited ingress/egress

Limited Access to install bridges – requires Skycrane
Procurement Strategy – Two Phase

- **RFQ - issued November 2019**
  - Pass/Fail Criteria
  - Mandatory Pre-bid and Job walk
  - Nine Contractors Pre-Qualified

- **RFP - issued December 2020**
  - Complex construction
  - Environmental concerns
  - Contractor strategy and proposed team
  - Process emphasized schedule impacts
  - 4 responsive bids received
  - Best and Final Offers requested
    - Commercial terms
    - Weighted value engineering solutions

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## RFP Evaluation Results

**RFP NO. Doc2763582351 BAFO**

**Union Valley Bike Trail Extension (2 Year Project)**

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Requested Action

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