

**BOARD OF GARRETT COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
PUBLIC MEETING**

Monday, November 30, 2020

Meeting was Held via Video Conference

IN ATTENDANCE

**Chairman Paul C. Edwards
Commissioner James C. Hinebaugh
Commissioner S. Larry Tichnell**

County Administrator Kevin G. Null

CALL TO ORDER OF PUBLIC SESSION at 3:05 PM

PUBLIC SESSION

1. The Board of County Commissioners, on a motion by Commissioner Hinebaugh, which was seconded by Commissioner Tichnell, and made unanimous by Chairman Edwards, approved the Public Meeting for November 30, 2020.

2. The Garrett County Purchasing Department presented the following recommendation:

Bid #20-1119 – McHenry Thayerville Water System Connection

Seven (7) Bids were received for this Bid: BYCO Enterprises, Inc. (\$2,482,888.80), Carl Belt, Inc. (\$2,518,216.20), Excavating Associates (\$2,714,220.00), Triple R Construction (\$3,020,924.00), J.F. Allen Company (\$3,198,910.65), D&M Contracting (\$3,717,000.00), Garney Companies (\$3,923.284.00).

After reviewing the Bids for compliance with administrative requirements and based on the feedback from the Department of Public Works – Utilities Division and recommendation from A. Morton Thomas and Associates, Inc., the Garrett County Purchasing Department recommended awarding the Bid to BYCO Enterprises, Inc. for \$2,842,888.80.

Bobby Witt, Project Manager, Garrett County Department of Public Works – Utilities Division, provided an overview of the project. The project will consist of installing a new 12” water main that will connect the McHenry Water System to the Thayerville Water System as well as replacing the existing sewer line lake crossing with a new 10” sewer line. The new line will be tied into the McHenry Water System on Deep Creek Drive in the vicinity of Gravelly Run Road and travel South along Deep Creek Drive to Route 219 to Deep Creek Lake and will tie-in to the existing Thayerville System on Leo Friend Road South of the bridge over Deep Creek Lake. The work in the lake will be performed in the vicinity of the Route 219 Bridge. The lake crossing portion of this project needs to be completed in the months of December and January.

The Board of County Commissioners, on a motion by Commissioner Tichnell, which was seconded by Commissioner Hinebaugh, and made unanimous by Chairman Edwards, approved the Bid Award as recommended.

3. Chairman Edwards reminded everyone to wear a mask and social distance.
4. The Board of Garrett County Commissioners announced that the next Public Meeting will be held on Monday, December 7, 2020 at 4:00 p.m. via live stream.

ADJOURNMENT: The Board of County Commissioners, on a motion by Commissioner Hinebaugh, which was seconded by Commissioner Tichnell, and made unanimous by Chairman Edwards, adjourned the Public Meeting at 3:15 P.M.

Attest:

By Order of the Board,

KEVIN G. NULL
County Administrator

PAUL C. EDWARDS, Chairman
Board of County Commissioners