COUNTY AGENDA REQUEST

Department:	Water System	Presenter(s):	Tony Parrott
Meeting Date:	Thursday, May 24, 2012	Type of Request:	Old Business

Wording for the Agenda:

Consideration of staff's recommendation to allow Mallett Consulting to prepare specifications and to issue bids for the Flint River Pump Station at a cost of $19,750.

Background/History/Details:

At the time the Flint River pump station was designed, it's permitted withdrawal rate was about 8 million gallons a day. Today, the Flint River pump station is withdrawing14 million gallons daily, meaning raw water is being withdrawn from the creek at a higher velocity and with more debris. Although the original design has worked well in the past, it is now causing an overburden of debris into the base of the pump station. Strainer baskets on the bottom of the pumps clog up and collapse due to the pump trying to pull water with too much debris in it.

A long term solution to this problem is to install a traveling screen that will continuously remove debris from the water flow. It would be mounted up at the floor level of the pump station and would extend into the wet well. It would be in constant movement any time the pump is running, and the debris would be pulled along the screen. At the top of the screen there is a wash system that would wash the debris off into a drain pipe which would flow back to the creek.

There is an equipment cost estimate that ranges from between $200,000 to $225,000. A second estimated cost, ranging from between $100,000 to $150,000, has been factored for installation of the equipment, an electrical upgrade, and other related work.

What action are you seeking from the Board of Commissioners?

Approval of staff's recommendation to allow Mallett Consulting to prepare specifications and to issue bids for the Flint River Pump Station at a cost of $19,750.

If this item requires funding, please describe:

Funding for this request is available in the Renewal & Extension Fund. Mallett Consulting's Design Fee for this request is $19,750.00.

Has this request been considered within the past two years?	Yes	If so, when?	May 2, 2012, May 10, 2012
Is Audio-Visual Equipment Required for this Request?*	No	Backup Provided with Request?	Yes

**** All audio-visual material must be submitted to the County Clerk's Office no later than 48 hours prior to the meeting. It is also your department's responsibility to ensure all third-party audio-visual material is submitted at least 48 hours in advance.***

Approved by Finance	Yes	Reviewed by Legal	Yes
Approved by Purchasing	Not Applicable	County Clerk's Approval	Yes
Administrator's Approval	Yes		

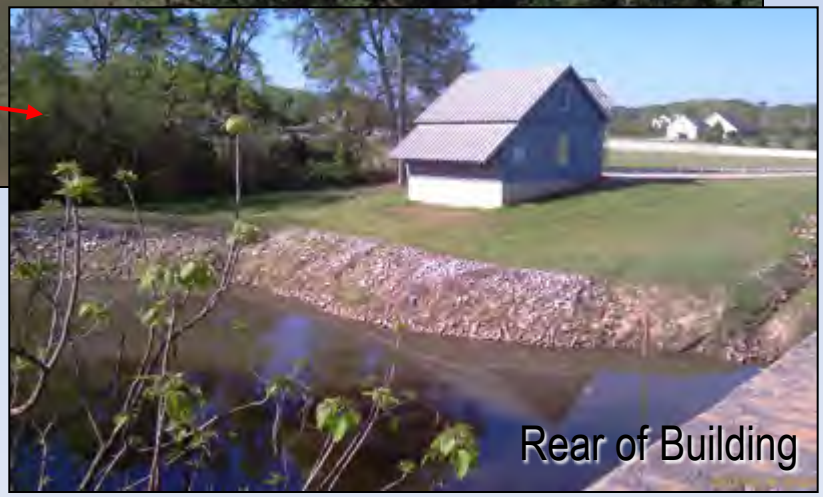
Staff Notes:

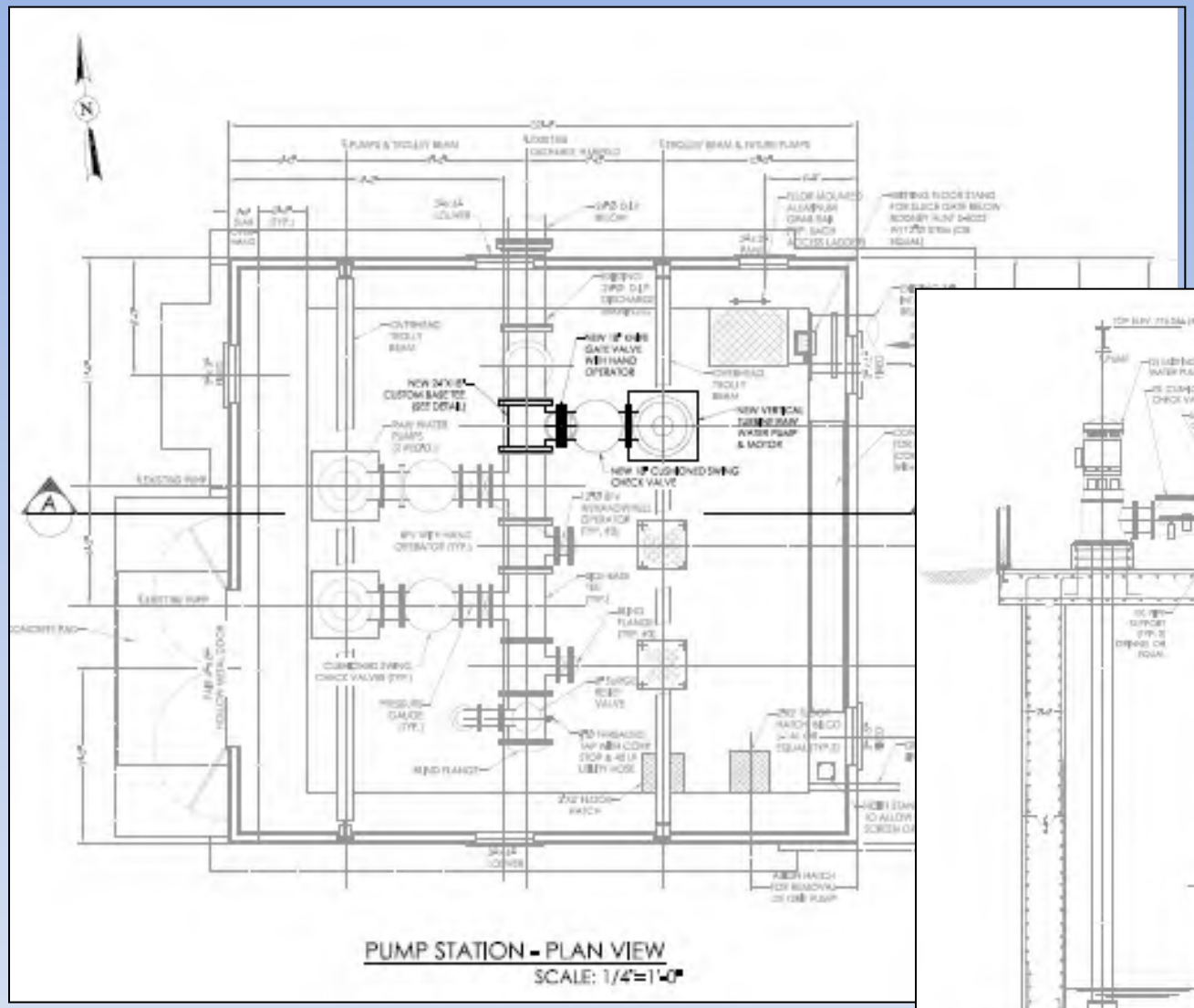
This request was voted upon at the May 10, 2012 Board of Commissioners meeting resulting in a 2-2-0 decision, meaning no action was taken. Chairman Frady was not present and did not vote on this item. Staff respectfully requests that it be reconsidered by the full Board.

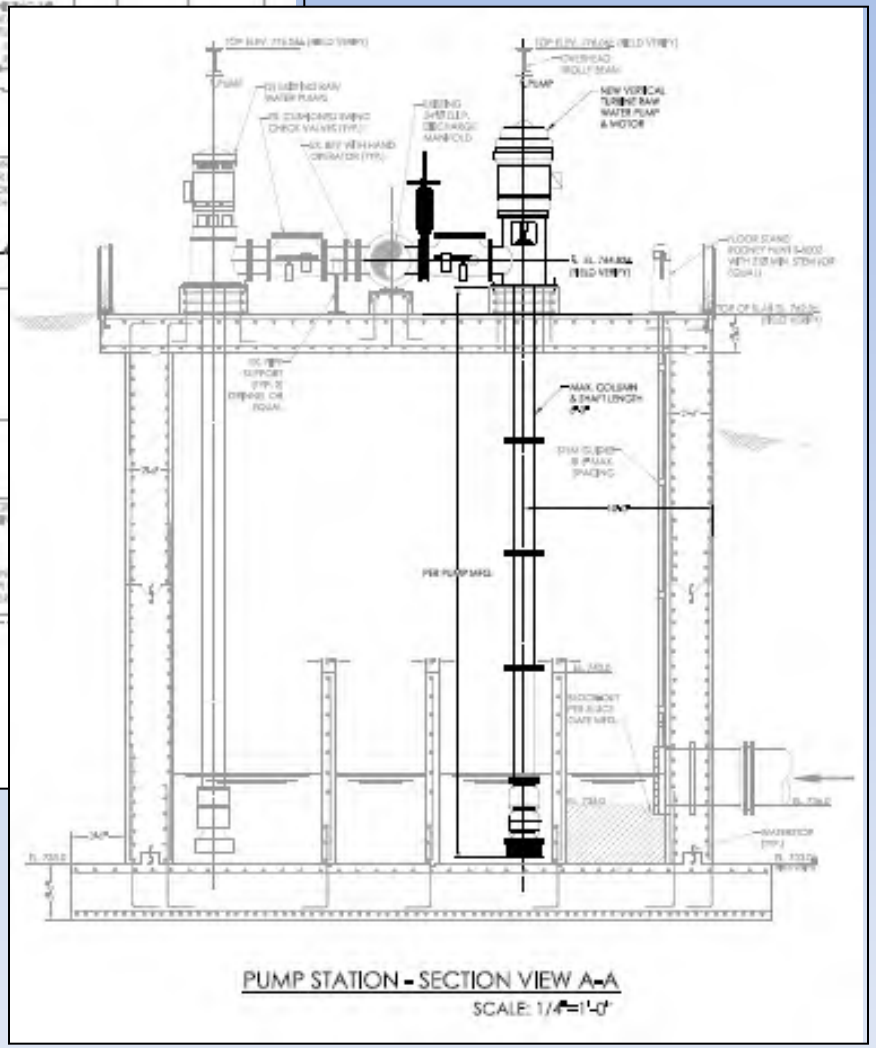
Flint River Pump Station

From Bridge

Front







Flint River Pump Station Floor Plan

Flint River Pump Station

Triden™ Screens

- Low headloss
- All stainless steel construction
- Grid opening options from 1 to 75 mm

No submerged drive parts

Large particle removal

Continuously cleaned

Excellent for prison applications

Easy installation and maintenance with all mounting and access above channel

Low profile bottom shoe and brush limit headloss and screen bypass

Low friction UHMWPE surfaces reduce wear and operation costs

Stainless steel links and panels are significantly stronger than plastic hooks or molded panels

STANDARD - Features & Benefits

Practical design and material selection provide reliable and efficient operation

Direct drive uses no chains or sprockets

No rotating brushes required

Pivots from channel for easy flow bypass

Neoprene channel seals

Only two grease fittings per screen

Fully enclosed for operator safety

Custom designed per application

OPTIONAL - Products & Accessories

Low Flow, Original, Heavy Duty and Super Duty models

T316 and specialty stainless steel construction

Stainless steel laced links, wire mesh, and perforated panel or UHMWPE perforated panel grid openings

Cold weather protection

Spray wash or dry unloading

Controls are offered from basic operation to sophisticated automation

Electric, hydraulic, or explosion proof drives

ADDITIONAL - Compactors & Conveyors for dewatering and conditioning of screenings

Slatted and shaftless flights

Returns organics and wash water to channel

Collects and conveys screenings for disposal

Compactors reduce disposal weight and volume, while bagging units can contain odor

Screenings meet strict landfill requirements

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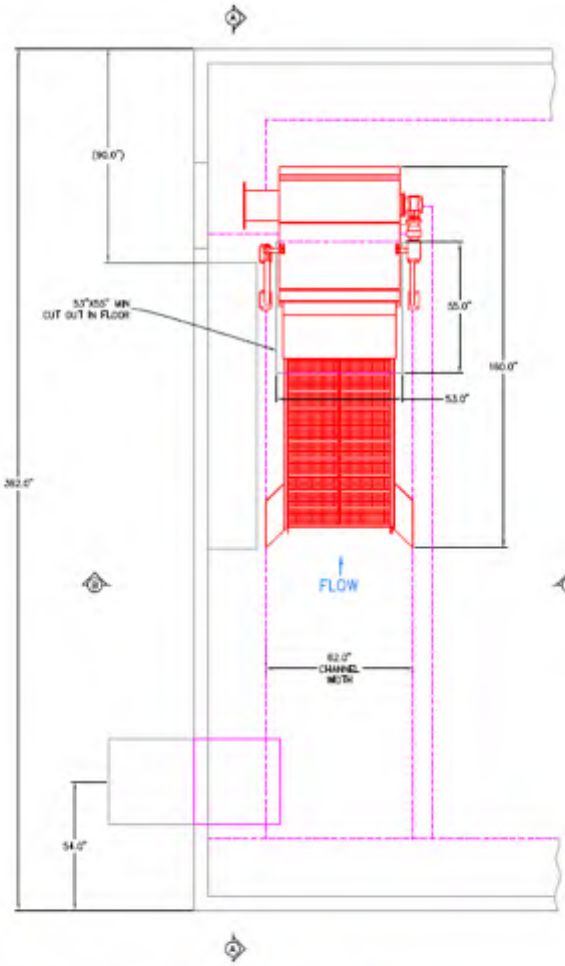

PLAN VIEW

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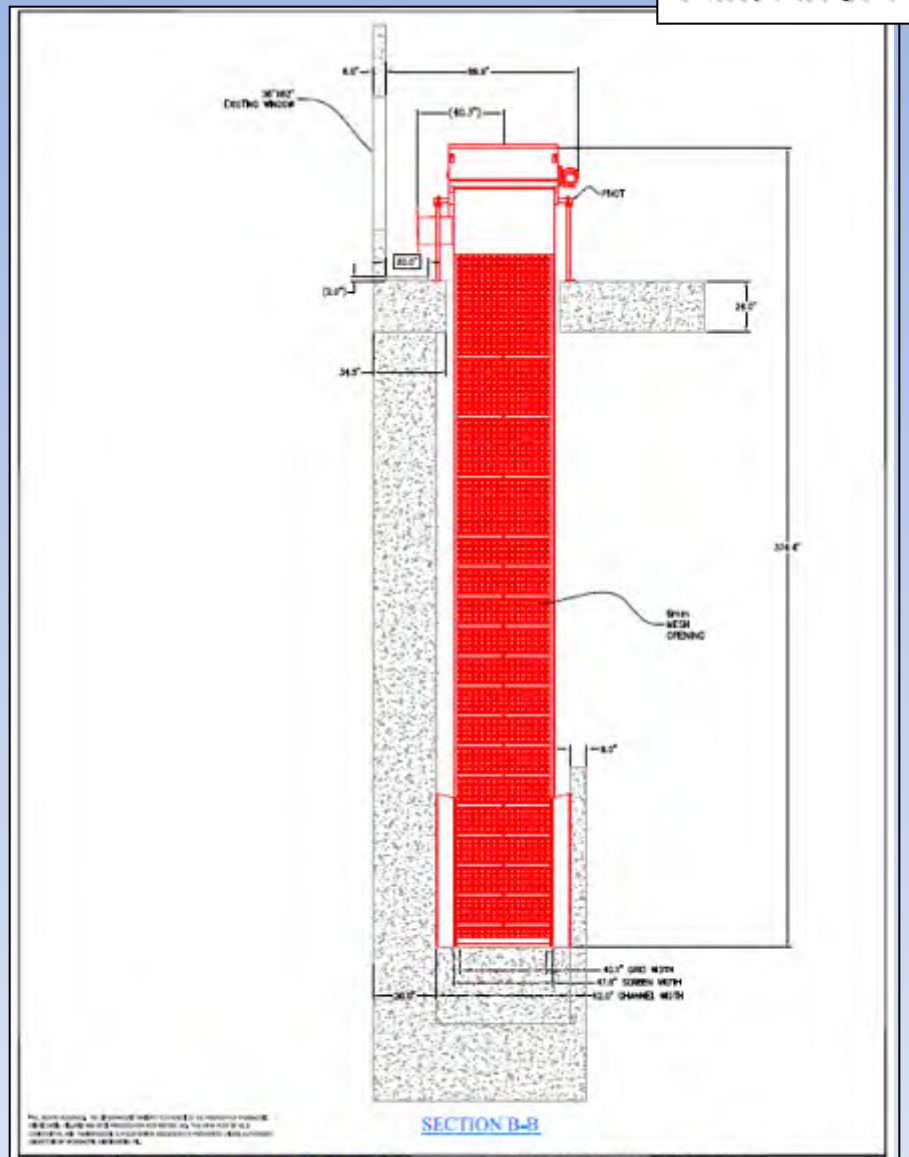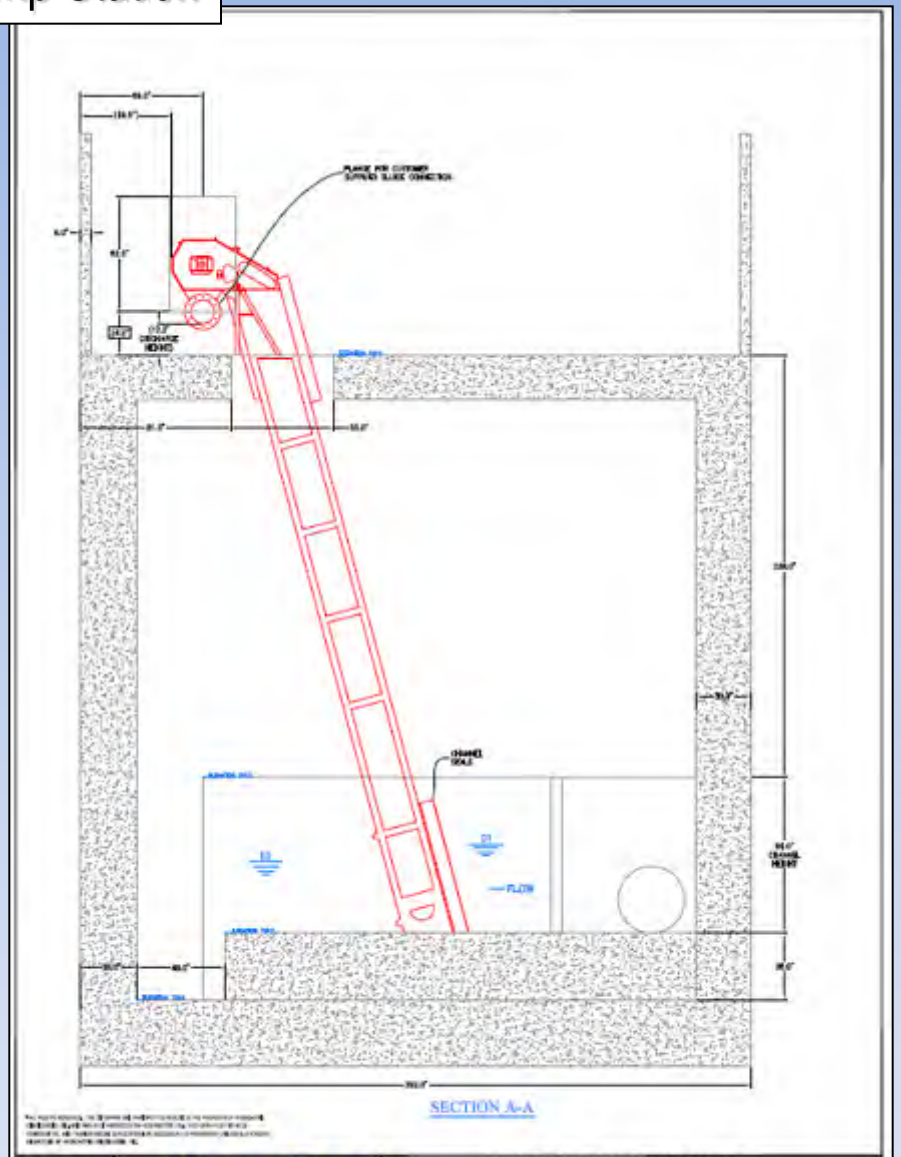
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