

PUBLIC NOTICE

SOLE SOURCE PROCUREMENT

March 9, 2020

The City of Staunton (City) has decided to award a sole source contract to Core and Main for the purchase of water meters and associated equipment. Core and Main is the exclusive provider of Neptune Technology Group (Neptune) meters. The City currently owns, operates, and maintains nearly 9,500 active accounts with nearly 100% of the City's meters being Neptune meters. The City has determined that this award is necessary in order to maintain compatibility with the current usage reading system.

The City intends to enter into a purchase agreement with Core and Main immediately and this sole source justification will remain in effect through June 30, 2021.

Respectfully submitted,



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