MORSE LAKE PUMPING PLANT (MLPP) REPLACEMENT PROJECT

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- Project Management BHC Consultants
- Marine Structures Reid Middleton
- Prime Consultant AECOM
- Pumps/Pipeline JACOBS
- Civil/Channel Work CivilTech
- Electrical AECOM
- CM Team KBA/SPU/Otto Roseneau
- General Contractor Orion Marine Group
- Electrical Contractor Valley Electric







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- Overview and Project Need
- Pumps and Pipelines
- Power Supply
- Marine Structures
- Construction Constraints
- Lessons Learned









OVERVIEW *Project Objectives*

Lake Features

- Lake Dead Storage
- Discharge Dike
- Chester Morse Lake Outlet Channel (CMLOC)
- Overflow Dike
- Masonry Dam

Primary Objective - Replacement

- Pump 240 MGD from Morse Lake into Masonry Pool
- Access to Stored Water to satisfy in-stream flow commitments on the Cedar River (EL 1532'-1538')
- Provide access to stored water (< EL 1532')
- Replace existing pumping plant
- Upgrade CMLOC to allow flow













PUMPS AND PIPELINES Pump System Features

- Submerged Axial Flow Pumps
- Intake Screens
- Pipeline Socket Mating System
- Guide Cone
- Swim Deck







PUMPS AND PIPELINES *Pipeline Features*

- (4) 48" Diameter HDPE Pipelines
- Submerged Neutrally Buoyant
- Buoy Frames & Ballasting
- Flexible Linkages



Pipeline Buoy Frame



PUMPS AND PIPELINES Pump Assembly



PUMPS AND PIPELINES *Pipelines*





POWER SUPPLY *Electrical System Summary*

- Unit Substation Trailer
- Generators & Fuel
- Cables
- Electrical Equipment Enclosure







POWER SUPPLY Substation Trailer, Generators & Fuel













MARINE STRUCTURES Pump Platform, Buoy Frames and Anchorage

- 40'x80' Footprint (Modular Pontoons)
- Moon Pools
- Subframe & Guiderails
- Electrical Equipment Enclosure
- Anchorage Piles
- Pipeline Buoy Frames







MARINE STRUCTURES *Platform Features*



CONSTRUCTION CONSTRAINTS *Trucks and Disinfection*







CONSTRUCTION CONSTRAINTS Equipment on Floating Platforms



CONSTRUCTION CONSTRAINTS Half-acre of Floating Construction Platforms





CONSTRUCTION CONSTRAINTS *Divers to Assist in Underwater Work*



CONSTRUCTION CONSTRAINTS Water Levels

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CONSTRUCTION CONSTRAINTS Weather



LESSONS LEARNED *Team Approach*

- One off Projects
 - Expect them to be difficult
 - Out-of-the-box solutions and cascading effects
- Maintain collaborative team approach
 - Uncommon level of collaboration between owner, contractor and design team was essential to the success of this project.
- Alternative contracting options





QUESTIONS?

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