



## CITY COUNCIL AGENDA ITEMS

**To:** Mayor Graham and City Council  
**From:** Dennis Sullivan, Director of Engineering & Public Works  
Walter Denton, City Administrator  
**Date:** May 21, 2006  
**Subject:** RESOLUTION - South Sludge Lagoon Cleaning and Sludge Disposal

**List of committees that have reviewed:** None

**Background:** This is a maintenance item contracted every year for disposal of sludge from one of our two sludge storage lagoons at the O'Fallon wastewater treatment plant (WWTP). Only two bids were received with the lowest bid being from Merrell Brothers, last year's contractor. The work went exceptionally well in 2006. Merrell Brothers bid was \$97,482.

**Legal Considerations, if any:** Normal considerations for contract services.

**Budget Impact:** Funds are reserved in the FY08 City Operating Budget for sludge lagoon cleaning, a yearly must pay.

**Staff recommendation:** Approve contract with Merrell Brothers in the amount of \$97,482.