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(6) Public Construction Allowed to be Done by the City Without Bids .

(a) Pursuant to the authority provided by Wis. Stat. § 62.15(1), the following classes of public construction may be done directly by the City without submitting the same for bids:

1. The installation and maintenance of irrigation equipment at municipal golf courses.

2. The installation of prefabricated bus shelters. (Am. by ORD-07-00193, 12-20-07)

3. Construction of the public water supply system, or components thereof, where the Water Utility General Manager has determined that the Utility has the resources, expertise and capacity to perform the work internally.

4. The installation, construction, improvement and repair of the City's public stormwater system, as that term is defined in [Sec. 37.04](https://library.municode.com/wi/madison/codes/code_of_ordinances?nodeId=COORMAWIVOIVCH32--45_CH37THPUSTSYINERCO_37.04DE), where the City Engineer has determined that the City has the resources, expertise and capacity to perform the work internally.

5. Public construction projects where project is put out to bid and the City gets no bidders for the project.

6. The installation of solar panels on City facilities as part of the City's solar job training program.

7. The installation of traffic signals and pedestrian crosswalk enhancements.

(b) Report to Council of Non-Bid Contracts . Whenever any work is done by the City under sub. (a), an accurate account of the cost of the public work, including the necessary overhead expenses, shall be prepared for the Board of Public Works. Once the work is completed, the Board of Public Works shall make a complete report of the work to the Council, stating in detail the items of cost and the total cost of doing the work. The City Clerk shall publish the report as a part of the proceedings of the Council.

(c) Limitation on Authority to Self-Perform . The City may not perform work under this subsection with its own work force when the estimated cost of labor will exceed $125,000, in Year 2016 dollars as indexed annually by the Construction Cost Index as published by the Engineering News Record or equivalent successor index.