

Item # 7  
Date: 1/26/2026

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## COUNCIL ACTION FORM

### AGENDA ITEM: Lime Lagoon Dredging

**HISTORY:** In our treatment process we use lime to soften the water. After the lime has done its job, it gets sent out to our lime lagoons for storage. When the lagoons get full, we then hire a contractor to take the lime out and spread it on farm fields. Two years ago, we cleaned the South lagoon and now it is time to clean the North lagoon again.

I sent bids out to 2 different contractors and received 2 bids back.

Bid #1: Wulfekuhle Injection: \$72,150.00

Bid #2: Midwest Injection: \$72,245.00

Wulfekuhle Injection did our last Lagoon cleaning and did a good job!

### OPTIONS:

1. Accept the lowest bid from Wulfekuhle Injection at a cost of \$72,150.00 and proceed with the project.
2. Reject all bids and request new.
3. Do nothing at this time.

### STAFF'S RECOMMENDED ACTION:

Staff recommends accepting Option 1: Accept the lowest bid from Wulfekuhle Injection at a cost of \$72,150.00 and proceed with the project.

Therefore, it is the recommendation of the City Administrator that Council approves Option 1.



1164 Woodland Drive. Dyersville, IA 52040 Brad Wilson 563-451-9584

PROPOSAL NO.

#5153822074

DATE:

12/09/2025

City of Nevada Water Dept  
Shawn Ludwig  
1231W. Lincolnway  
Nevada, IA 50201

City of Nevada Water Dept.  
Water Treatment Plant  
1231W. Lincolnway  
Nevada, IA 50201

WE HEREBY PURPOSE TO FURNISH THE MATERIALS AND PERFORM THE LABOR NECESSARY FOR THE COMPLETION OF:

We the undersigned hereby propose to furnish all labor, materials, tools, equipment and services required for disposal of lime residuals from the Nevada Water Treatment Plant's one lagoon. Includes:

- Residuals removed from lagoons and land applied. Residuals spread onto farmers ground as a soil conditioner.
- Wulfekuhle will be responsible for acquiring farmers ground for application.
- Material applied to the soil in accordance with the IDNR and all applicable regulatory standards and requirements.
- Work to start when project becomes available weather permitting and farmland availability.
- All Documentation required will be included
- Work to be done by end of 2026 Weather permitting.

ALL MATERIAL IS GUARANTEED TO BE AS SPECIFIED, AND THE ABOVE WORK TO BE PERFORMED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE DRAWINGS AND SPECIFICATIONS SUBMITTED FOR ABOVE WORK, AND COMPLETED IN A SUBSTANTIAL WORKMANLIKE MANNER FOR THE SUM OF

**\$72,150.00**

**Seventy -two Thousand one hundred fifty Dollars and no/100**

PROPOSAL VALID FOR 30 DAYS.

### ACCEPTANCE OF PROPOSAL

THE ABOVE PRICES, SPECIFICATIONS AND CONDITIONS ARE SATISFACTORY AND ARE HEREBY ACCEPTED. YOU ARE AUTHORIZED TO DO THE WORK AS SPECIFIED. PAYMENTS WILL BE MADE AS OUTLINED ABOVE.

SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

DATE \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_





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**Nevada, IA Lime Sludge Removal & Land Application**



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1621 McCABE LANE • CASCADE, IA 52033

OFFICE PHONE: 563-852-7125 •

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Midwest Injection Inc (MII) was established in 2008 by Jake McAllister, CEO. The business started with one drag hose system and has grown to a diversified agriculture, municipal and industrial waste management company. MII will deliver environmentally sound and cost-effective solutions for all your waste residual management needs including but not limited to sludge/biosolids removal and disposal, lagoon and digester cleaning, land application, custom agitation and sludge/biosolids transportation.

MII staff are trained and certified in local, state, and federal regulations. Our staff have completed OSHA and in-house safety training along with DNR certification training. Members of our staff are CAFO and wastewater licensed and have over 100 years of combined experience in environmental compliance, sludge/biosolids removal and land application processes.

MII complies with all EPA and DNR regulations by providing 503 biosolids sampling, solids sampling and soil samples to determine the agronomic rates for land application. All samples are analyzed by an outside certified lab. MII also conducts onsite solids sampling for accurate agronomic land application. We provide sludge sampling and measurement services utilizing a sludge judge and a sonic boat. Our environmental compliance staff will provide Best Management Plans and annual reports.

MII utilizes specialized and well-maintained equipment for all projects. Our fleet of equipment is ready to tackle jobs of all sizes. We are licensed to haul biosolids, lime, sludge and manure products. Our equipment includes umbilical hose systems, tanks, vac trucks, state of the art pumps, loaders, and spreaders for dry application. Our pumping systems can be used with either till or no-till injection or surface application. The fleet of specialized equipment is equipped to reduce soil compaction and increase soil filtration. We monitor the quality of our land application by providing certified flow meter readings to ensure the best outcome.

Company Contact Information:

Midwest Injection Inc.  
Tax ID # 26-4136685  
1621 McCabe Lane  
Cascade, IA 52033  
563-852-7125

Jake McAllister, CEO



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### **Project References:**

Company Name: City of Ada

Company Address: 512 N. Stockton St., Ada, OK 74820

Company Contact: Pam McKinzie, Purchasing Director

Phone Number: 580-436-6300 X 256

Annually 2021-2023

Removal and land application of sludge from holding tank, approximately 900,000 gallons annually.

Using Tractor/Houle 6000 gallon tank.

Company Name: City of Newcastle

Company Address: Newcastle, WY

Company Contact: Kole Schell, Engineering Associates

Phone Number: 307-283-3633

Removal and land application of dried biosolids. Approximately 21,000 Wet tons.

Company Name: Jones County Solid Waste Management Commission

Company Address: 13859 Edinburg Road, Scotch Grove, IA 52310

Company Contact: Karl

Phone Number: 563-487-5160

Annually 2022-2027

Daily transfer of solid waste from Jones County Solid Waste transfer station to certified landfill.

Company Name: City of Anamosa

Company Address: Anamosa, IA

Company Contact: Steve Agnitsch

Phone Number: 319-558-8335

Hauling and land application of dried biosolids..

Company Name: City of Atchison WWTF

Company Address: Atchison, KS

Company Contact: Jim Owens, Plant Manager

Phone Number: 913-367-5566

Removal and land application of approximately 720,000 gallons of biosolids annually. Using a 6000-gallon Houle tank.





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**EMPLOYEE CONTACTS & QUALIFICATIONS:**

Jake McAllister, CEO

jake@midwestinjection.com

Mobile: 563-599-4122

Iowa Commercial Manure Applicator Certification

Missouri Class B CAFO Certification

OSHA 10 Hour Certification

18 years of experience in waste handling, land application and project management.

Jamie Recker, Manager

jamie@midwestinjection.com

Mobile: 319-481-7681

27 years of experience in Project, Operational and Executive Management.

Chad Snapp, Municipal Operations Superintendent

chad@midwestinjection.com

Mobile: 660-748-8499

Iowa Commercial Manure Applicator Certification

Missouri Class A CAFO Certification

Missouri Class D Wastewater Certification

OSHA 40 Hour Certification

BSS in Power Technology

33 years of experience in waste handling, land application and project management.



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1/02/2026

RE: Lime sludge removal & land application

Thank you for the opportunity to submit a quote

### **Scope of Services**

Lime sludge removal and land application services and the normal labor, equipment, supplies, and supervision as it so relates to such items per the RFP specs & drawings.

### **Pricing**

Midwest Injection proposes the following lump sum price for the scope of services:

\$72,245 for 250 Dry Tons of Material.

Additional material over 250 DT will be billed at \$268.00 per dry ton.

Mobilization is included

### **Bid Assumptions:**

- Gallons x 8.34 x specific gravity x percent solids / 2000 = dry tons will be the formula used to calculate dry tons.

Commencement of work can be scheduled upon receipt of an executed purchase agreement.

This proposal is valid for 30 days from the date of this proposal. Mobilization is included.

We appreciate the opportunity to submit this quote for your project and look forward to working with you. Attached is our company biography, references, and qualifications. You can also visit with us at [www.midwestinjection.com](http://www.midwestinjection.com) and like us on Facebook.

Sincerely,

Jake McAllister, CEO  
Midwest Injection, Inc.