

ENGMX

16 February 1954

SUBJECT: Excess Pipe Valves for Haines-Fairbanks POL Line

TO: Division Engineer
North Pacific Division
Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army
Portland 5, Oregon

1. Large quantities of pipe valves of varying sizes and pressure capacities are excess to construction requirements and now in contractor inventory at Kankakee, Badger, Sunflower, and Indiana Ordnance Plants. It is desired that the District Engineer, Alaska, obtain through the Division Engineers, Great Lakes Division, Missouri River Division, and Ohio River Division, any valves which can be provided from these excesses and which will meet requirements on the Alaska pipe line. Special efforts should be directed to this end, including, if necessary, the use of valves possessing design characteristics superior to the minimum which would otherwise meet requirements.

2. The District Engineer, Alaska, will furnish valves thus obtained to the pipe line contractor as Government furnished property and negotiate equitable adjustments in the contract. In negotiating contract adjustments, consideration will be given to any savings in time as well as effort and expense which would otherwise devolve upon the pipe line contractor if procurement had been made from commercial sources.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL STURGIS:

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DAVID H. TULLEY
Brigadier General, USA
Assistant Chief of Engineers
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Copies furnished:
Div Engr, Great Lakes Div
Div Engr, Missouri River Div
Div Engr, Ohio River Div

INFORM

15 February 1954

SUBJECT: Communications - Haines-Fairbanks P.C.L. Pipeline

TO: Division Engineer
North Pacific Division
Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army
Portland 5, Oregon

1. The Office of the Chief Signal Officer has supplied the following cost estimate for the part of the communications for the Haines-Fairbanks PCL Pipeline for which that organization has responsibility:

✓ a. Subterranean telephone cable, Haines to Pump Station 2	\$ 245,000
✓ b. Telephone cable from AGO Office, Haines to Rock and Pump Station 1	24,000
c. Engineers proportionate share of rebuilding Whitehorse - Skagway telephone line	200,000
d. Engineers proportionate share for materials for adding second crossarm to Alcan pole line between Tok Junction and the Alaska-Canada Border	60,000
✓ e. Equipment (including installation)	100,000
f. Engineering, supervision and contingencies	100,000
g. Internal communications at all PCL pump stations	<u>30,000</u>
TOTAL	\$ 760,000

2. The above cost estimates do not include the expense for the installation of the telephone cable in a trench from Haines to Pump Station 2. Funds to accomplish the trenching of this cable are properly chargeable to Corps of Engineers appropriations. It is understood that the Alaska District has already awarded a contract for this latter work.

3. The Office of the Chief Signal Officer has stated informally that the District Engineer, Alaska, has already suballotted funds to cover above items a., b. and c.

FOR THE DISTRICT ENGINEER

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MR. C. GERBER/73828/gt

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4. The above estimate is supplied to your office for information and appropriate action.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL STURGIS:

RICHARDSON

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H. F. CARRY
Chief, Army Projects Division
Military Construction

cc: Unit w/d
MCD reading files (3)
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RECORD: In accordance with DF, OCSigO, 27 Jan 54, subject: "Haines-Fairbanks FOL Communications". Major Telquist, OCSigO stated by phone to C.B. Gerber that only the 1st sentence of their DF is classified since it refers to previous classified papers so this letter can be sent unclassified. DE ~~is~~ has ~~received \$1,250,000~~ to cover the communications costs.

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*Teletype is sending memo to us
declassifying DF*