



**In case you missed it, the following are highlights from the January 8, 2025, Cape Coral City Council meeting.**

**Council Awards Design, Engineering Bid for Additional Drinking Water Wells**

Council approved Resolution 302-24, awarding AECOM Technical Services design and engineering services for 10 additional drinking water wells at the North Reverse Osmosis (RO) Water Treatment Plant (WTP). Ten additional UFA water supply wells are required to supply raw water, taking the production capacity from 6 to 18 million gallons daily.

**Council Acceptance Grant to Enhance SRO Preparedness**

Council approved Resolution 6-25, accepting \$20,256 in grant funding from the Department of Justice. The funding will be used to implement the School Resource Officer Preparedness Project, which will pre-position equipment in schools to enhance the safety and security of students, facilities, and responding officers in the event of an active threat.

**Council Approves Land Purchase for Aquatic Vegetation Harvesting**

Council approved Resolution 12-25, approving the purchase of a lot in SE Cape Coral for a future boat ramp that will aid in aquatic vegetation harvesting. Staff identified the canal system of Lake Killarney as one of the high-yield areas for aquatic vegetation growth. Direct access to the waterways is needed to efficiently service this area.

**Upcoming Public Meetings**

A Committee of the Whole is scheduled for Wednesday, January 15, 2025, beginning at 10:30 a.m. in Council Chambers.