

DATE SUBMITTED 5/28/25
 SUBMITTED BY PUBLIC SERVICES
 DATE ACTION REQUIRED 6/4/25

COUNCIL ACTION (X)
 PUBLIC HEARING REQUIRED ()
 RESOLUTION ()
 ORDINANCE 1ST READING ()
 ORDINANCE 2ND READING ()
 CITY CLERK'S INITIALS ()

IMPERIAL CITY COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM

SUBJECT: DISCUSSION/ACTION: <div style="margin-left: 40px;">1. Influent Fine Screen Membrane Seal Retrofit for Wastewater Treatment Plant (WWTP) Headworks</div>													
DEPARTMENT INVOLVED: Public Services													
BACKGROUND/SUMMARY: <p>The WWTP Headworks screening units, originally installed in 2015, require a retrofit to prevent further debris from entering the MBR (Membrane BioReactor) system. Although an improvement at the time, our current screening does not meet the requirements of a treatment plant with membranes installed.</p> <p>WWTP staff has been spending a great deal of time physically removing debris from the membrane cassettes, but they are fighting a losing battle. Debris is building up on the membrane surface, which has led to multiple emergency membrane repairs. Furthermore, the debris is causing irreversible fouling and damage to the membrane fibers, which is shortening the lifespan of the membranes.</p> <p>The manufacturer, Huber Technology, recommends this retrofit for all membrane systems for a near 100% debris capture rate. The screening units currently installed at the City WWTP are not used for membrane systems, as their capture rate is only 80-90%.</p> <p>Approval of this item will allow acquisition of two screen retrofit sets, with professional installation included.</p>													
FISCAL IMPACT: \$158,336.74 Funds to cover associated costs will be expended from enterprise funds (Wastewater).	FINANCE INITIALS <u>JMS</u>												
STAFF RECOMMENDATION: Approve Request	DEPT. INITIALS <u>Jmg</u>												
MANAGER'S RECOMMENDATION: <u>approve</u>	CITY MANAGER'S INITIALS <u>OHM</u>												
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Billing Address

City of Imperial
420 South Imperial Avenue
Imperial, CA 92251
UNITED STATES

Delivery Address

City of Imperial WWTP
701 East 14th Street
Imperial, CA 92251
UNITED STATES

OFFER: C1000719 / V1
Your Reference: Imperial, CA

Your Reference:

Date printed: 5/8/25
Our Reference: Price Ozment
Phone: +1-704-990-2409
Email: Price.Ozment@hhusa.net

Customer No.: 114413

Customer is responsible for the following prior to Huber's technician arrival:

- (1)Removal of Huber machine from channel,
- (2)Pressure washing of machine, and
- (3)Providing lifting equipment.

Failure to do so will result in additional charges of \$1,000 per day Huber is onsite.

Pos	Quantity	Unit	Item Description	Price USD	Total USD Tax (%)
10/2	2.00	pcs	10486428 rising pipe 355x1783 Ro2 1400 P.1 (PU)	14,231.96	28,463.92 7.75%
20/1	2.00	pcs	10000001 Baffle Plate Tank 1400 Ro2 PUR V4A	6,540.33	13,080.66 7.75%
30/1	2.00	pcs	10018798 bearing seat screen basket RPPS 1400 PU	17,801.89	35,603.78 7.75%
40/1	2.00	pcs	10018807 cutting plate/bearing seat Ro2/1400	1,128.42	2,256.84 7.75%
50/1	2.00	pcs	10018808 distance plate 453x 356x 2 9xbo7	274.33	548.66 7.75%
60/1	2.00	pcs	10018809 distance plate 453x 356x 3 9xbo7	348.47	696.94 7.75%
70/1	20.00	pcs	703095 countersunk screw ISO 14581 M 6x 16	0.76	15.20 7.75%
80/1	2.00	pcs	10018794 tread surface Ro2 1400 d1000 D1355 L106	11,000.93	22,001.86 7.75%
90/1	2.00	pcs	10018854	229.84	459.68

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Pos	Quantity	Unit	Item Description	Price USD	Total USD Tax (%)
			plate 411x 60x 5 2x90°		7.75%
100/1	2.00	pcs	10018852	252.09	504.18
			plate 226x 60x 5 3x90°/2xM6/2xM8		7.75%
110/1	2.00	pcs	10018895	266.91	533.82
			Z-profile 55/ 29/ 5x 60 2xbo12/2xM8		7.75%
120/1	2.00	pcs	10018897	297.12	594.24
			plate 570x 101x 8 1x90°/1xbo18/1xsh12x18		7.75%
130/1	2.00	pcs	10018896	281.74	563.48
			plate 501x 60x 5 2x90°/6xbo		7.75%
140/1	1.00	pcs	10000002	15,500.00	15,500.00
			Estimated Freight And Import Duties		7.75%
140/2	1.00	pcs	10000002	13,475.00	13,475.00
			Labor Tech #1 40/16		7.75%
140/3	1.00	pcs	10000002	12,650.00	12,650.00
			Labor Tech #2 40/16		7.75%
				Total net	USD 146,948.26
				Including Sales Tax	USD 11,388.48
				Total gross	USD 158,336.74

The quotation is subject to national or international export control regulations and embargoes or any other export restrictions.

Valid for: 90 days
Delivery: prepaid and add
Payment terms: Net 30 days

Best regards

Price Ozment
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Aftermarket Sales & Service Rates 2025

Field Service Base Rates

Continental U.S., Mexico and Canada..... \$150.00 per hour
Outside Continental U.S., Mexico and Canada..... \$226.00 per hour

Training

Product Training..... \$150.00 per hour

Travel

Travel (time)..... \$140.00 per hour
Mileage..... \$0.58 per mile

Manufacturing/Engineering Services in house

Services include failure analysis of returned hardware..... \$145.00 per hour

Premium Rates

Overtime rate (in excess of 8 hours per day)..... \$249.00 per hour
Standby rate..... Applicable base rate
Double time rate (Sunday, Holiday, or in excess of 12 hours)..... \$300.00 per hour

Expenses

Travel and accommodations..... Actual cost
Per Diem.....Business Rate Plan 1.. \$60.00 per day
High Cost Area Rate 2.. \$70.00 per day
Service Truck Rate \$80.00 per day
Materials, Equipment Rental, Supplies..... Actual cost plus 20%
Laboratory testing..... Actual cost plus 20%

Fees

Visa, work permits, taxes, user fees or special assessments, etc..... Actual cost

Cancellation Charges

Prior to departure for travel expenses incurred (i.e. airline / change fees)..... Actual cost

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Aftermarket Sales & Service Rates 2025

Field service Base Rate. Rates are calculated from the day the Service Specialist departs Huber Technology, Huntersville, North Carolina until the day the Service Specialist returns to Huber Technology, Inc., Huntersville, North Carolina. Rates include weekends and holidays. If a Service Specialist is required to travel from any other location, including, Germany the rates are calculated from when the Service Specialist departs the home office until the day the Service Specialist returns to the home office.

Travel. Time includes transportation to and from the airport, security clearance, time between flight changes, driving time and local travel to and from worksite. Travel time in excess of eight (8) hours may be billed at the premium rate.

Double Time. Any Sunday or **Recognized Huber Technology, Inc. Holiday.**

Transportation. The customer is responsible for reimbursing Huber Technology, Inc. for all transportation charges associated with service work. Flights will be booked as coach-tourist class unless it is unavailable. Rental car, gas, taxis, airport / hotel limousines, company or personal vehicles will be used when necessary.

Standby rate. Applies to the time a Service Specialist is available for work and is located at or near the job site but unable to work due to circumstances beyond his control. Time shall be considered time worked and will be charged at the applicable base or premium rate.

Accommodations and Meals. Meals are charged at \$60.00 per day or \$70.00 per day depending on the area (See Business Rate Plan 1 and 2). If an overnight stay is required, the customer is required to reimburse Huber Technology, Inc. for lodging charges. Hotel rooms will be booked on a business executive, single occupancy basis.

Visa, Work Permits & Local Taxes. The customer is responsible to pay any and all taxes, user fees or special assessments. If a visa or work permit is required before departing for an international assignment, the fee will be charged to the customer at actual cost (including any expediting charges).

Warranties. Per Huber Technology, Inc.'s Terms and Conditions of Sale, Huber Technology, Inc. warrants Field Service work performed at site. "Breach of Warranty" claims do not entitle the customer to refuse payment for field service work. HUBER TECHNOLOGY, INC. MAKES NO OTHER WARRANTY, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, WITH REGARD TO THE DESIGN, SALE, MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS OF THE GOODS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE OR USE EXCEPT AS EXPRESSLY SET FORTH IN HUBER TECHNOLOGY, INC.'S TERMS AND CONDITIONS. HUBER TECHNOLOGY, INC. IS NOT SUBJECT TO ANY OTHER OBLIGATIONS OR LIABILITIES ARISING OUT OF BREACH OF CONTRACT OR WARRANTY, TORT CLAIMS INCLUDING NEGLIGENCE AND STRICT LIABILITY, OR ANY OTHER THEORIES OF LAW. HUBER TECHNOLOGY, INC. IS UNDER NO EVENT LIABLE FOR ANY SPECIFIC, INDIRECT, INCIDENTAL OR CONSEQUENTIAL LOSS, DAMAGES, EXPENSE, INJURY, DISMEMBERMENT, OR DEATH OF ANY KIND WHATSOEVER.

SCHEDULING – 10 Working Days Notice. Request for field service should be made in writing (letter, fax or e-mail) to Huber Technology, Inc. at least ten (10) working days prior to the date for which services are requested. Confirmation of the service will be conveyed verbally by Huber Technology, Inc.

Insurance. All Huber Technology, Inc. Service Specialists are insured. Liability insurance certificates may be provided upon request by the customer in order to allow for sufficient time for document processing, the request must be made at least seven (7) working days prior to the date of services.

Huber Technology, Inc. can not offer fixed lump sum contracts for Field Service activities. The duration of site visitation is neither under our direct control nor influence, and as such we can only provide estimates of time on-site to affect the required service actions. Field service published rates and terms are valid through December 2025

Hazardous Locations.

Huber Technology, Inc. reserves the right to recall its personnel if the worksite does not meet governmental health and safety standards.

Minimum Daily Charge. For all Field Service Base Rates or combinations of Base Rates, the minimum fee will be for eight (8) hours. If services are performed on the same day as travel, travel time will be billed in addition to service time.

Overtime. The overtime rate applies to work or travel in excess of eight (8) hours per day (weekdays) and all Saturday work. Workdays in excess of (16) hours are prohibited. Service specialist are NOT required to perform, and may decline, work in excess of twelve (12) hours. The overtime charge shall be at the base rate plus a one hundred percent (100%) premium.

Recognized Huber Technology, Inc. Holidays New Year's Day, Good Friday, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, the Friday after Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Eve and Christmas Day.

Expenses. The customer is responsible for ALL expenses associated with service work. All travel expenses including airfare, taxi, mileage for personal or company owned vehicles or any other chauffeured vehicle, living accommodations and meals will be invoiced. Invoices will include a cost

break-down. Copies of receipts will not be furnished unless specifically requested. Original receipts cannot be provided. Receipts for under \$25.00 cannot be provided. Use of personal or company owned vehicles will be invoice at the rate set by IRS mileage regulations.

Payment. All field service invoices are in U.S. Currency and all payments must be in U.S. Dollars. Payment is due NET 30 DAYS from the date of invoice.

Purchase Orders. A purchase order is required BEFORE any field service arrangements will be made. The purchase order is to be made out to Huber Technology, Inc. and must contain the following information:

1) Customer's name, 2) company, 3) billing address, 4) dates of service, 5) type of service requested (i.e. installation, commissioning, troubleshooting, training, etc.), 6) serial number / model number, 7) equipment purchase order number, and 8) equipment tag numbers. A "confirming-copy" purchase order must follow any preliminary arrangements. Equipment location including city, state, plant site, directions to the site, a local contact and telephone number must also be included.

2) Amended Purchase Orders. An amended PO is required if services are extended beyond the cost of the original PO. If the Service Specialist is on site and an amendment is required, the PO must be completed and submitted to Huber Technology, Inc. before the Service Specialist can continue working.

Applicable law. Any purchase order accepted by Huber Technology, Inc. in conjunction with Field Service work, shall be deemed to have been executed, delivered and accepted in the State of North Carolina, USA and shall be governed, construed and enforced pursuant to the laws of the State of North Carolina, USA

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Warranty and Returns Policy & Instructions

Huber Technology, Inc. ("Huber") warrants any **original** Huber part (mechanical or electrical) for a period of:

A. Twelve (12) months from the date of purchase and only when part(s) are installed by a Huber factory trained technician. Should the part(s) fail within the warranty period, a replacement shall be supplied at no cost to the owner ("Replacement Part")

1. Only valid if the product is operated in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions.
 2. The replacement part(s) must not be modified or changed in anyway.
 3. The replacement part(s) must be installed by a qualified person to the manufacturer's specifications
- Or

B. Three (3) months from the date of purchase and/or installed by a non-Huber factory trained technician.

1. Only valid if the product is operated in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions
2. The replacement part(s) must not be modified or changed in anyway.
3. The replacement part(s) must be installed by a qualified person to the manufacturer's specifications

This warranty does not apply to any damage or defect arising out of any of the following circumstances:

- Part(s) needing repair or replacement due to events or circumstances outside of normal use and operation of the equipment.
- Part(s) or components damaged due to power surges, short circuits, loss of power, lightning strikes, fire or water damage, vandalism, theft, or any other causes outside of normal use and operation of the equipment or that would normally be covered by casualty insurance on the equipment.
- Damage or defects caused by neglect, incorrect application, abuse, or by accidental damage of the parts or components.
- Repair or replacement of part(s) or components due to improper or negligent operation of the equipment.
- Damage or defects to the part(s), component(s), or equipment caused by the attempted repair by an unauthorized or unqualified person.

All Huber parts warranties are non-transferable, and cannot be sold, assigned or transferred in any other way.

This warranty of **original** Huber Service parts does not include the labor to remove the defective part nor the labor to install the new part. **All labor costs associated with the replacement of the part is the responsibility of the owner.** The request for assistance of a certified Huber technician is available upon the issuance of a purchase order by the owner. The fee for the assistance of a Huber technician includes labor (billed at prevailing Huber Field Service Base Rates) plus associated expenses for travel to and from the jobsite.

Return of New Wear or Spare Parts:

- Any original Huber part(s) returned to Huber after a purchase order has been submitted is subject to a flat twenty percent (20%) restocking fee for each part returned.
- The customer has up to thirty (30) days to return a part from the purchase order submittal date to Huber.

Returns will not be accepted past thirty (30) days.

- Part(s) must be new and never installed. Any indication of wear or installation, at Huber's sole discretion, may result in the part(s) being shipped back to owner, at the owner's cost, and no credit shall be issued.

• Exception:

The owner may exchange, without a restocking fee, if the incorrect part(s) is delivered and/or sold to the

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owner by a Huber team member. Huber will ship the correct part(s) to the owner expeditiously. A refund will be issued to the owner upon Huber's receipt of the incorrect part(s).
warehouse.

The customer may return, without a restocking fee, any original Huber part(s) if said part(s) was sold as part of a complete rebuild and the Huber technician concluded the part(s) were not needed. The customer has thirty (30) days from the date the service was completed. After thirty (30) days have expired, the normal Huber restocking fee shall apply.

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Warranty and Returns Policy & Instructions

Return of Damaged / Defective Items

- In the event of a damaged or defective part, the return process can often be expedited by providing a digital image of the damage or defect (along with a clear description of the problem) in an email to the Huber Aftermarket Team ("Aftermarket Team") at the following email address: returns@hhusa.net. The phone and fax numbers for Aftermarket Team are: 704.990.2045; Fax: 704.896.2830. Huber reserves the right to inspect in person even if a digital image is provided as outlined above.
- If the damage or defect **cannot be verified over the phone or via email** contact, the item may be required to be returned to Huber Technology, Inc. for inspection before a determination can be made as to the state of the product.
- The Aftermarket Team will validate the warranty claim for the defective part.
- If the Aftermarket Team determines that the part is under warranty and should be replaced, the Aftermarket Team will provide a Return Merchandise Authorization ("RMA") number and a shipping address to the Customer for the return of the defective part.
- The Customer shall ship the part to the specified address with the RMA number listed on the outside of the package.
- When the warranty part has been repaired (or replaced) by Huber, the part will be shipped to the "ship-to" address included in the RMA information provided by the Customer.

Return shipping cost

- ONLY in the event that an incorrect part is sold to the Customer by a Huber team member, will Huber pay for shipping. The Customer will be provided with a prepaid return shipping label.
- UNDER ALL OTHER CIRCUMSTANCES, the Customer returning the part(s) is responsible for any freight costs incurred for returning the part(s).
- UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCE will Huber reimburse (or provide credit) for return shipping costs incurred by the Customer.

How to Request an RMA (Return Merchandise Authorization)

Contact the Huber Technology Aftermarket Sales Team and request a Return Merchandise Authorization ("RMA") number.

- Completely fill out the RMA form.
- Include the completed RMA form in the package along with the item(s) to be returned.
- Write the RMA number conspicuously on the outside of the package to ensure proper routing upon receipt by the Aftermarket Team.
- Ship the package to:

o o Huber Technology, Inc.
Aftermarket Sales and Service
1009 Airlie Parkway
Denver, NC 28037
Phone: 704.874.8237 Fax 704.896.2830 Email: service@hhusa.net





