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**What:** KWA gives notice of award to construction company.....pipeline build in sight.

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**Additional Info:** Jeff Wright, Genesee County Drain Commissioner, announced that he has officially given a notice of award to L. D'Augostini & Sons, Inc. for the contract to build the intake portion of the Karegnondi pipeline. L. D'Augostini & Sons were the lowest qualified bidder at \$24,622,896.39. On Wednesday, the Water and Waste Advisory Committee gave their approval to Commissioner Wright to give the notice of award to the company based on his recommendation.

L. D'Augostini & Sons now has 30 days to submit the proper paperwork, including bonding and insurance information. Once that is verified, Wright will issue a Notice to Proceed, at which point construction of the intake will commence.

"Although it may seem like a procedural step, this is truly a monumental moment for the pipeline," said Wright. "Once the information is returned and we give the go ahead, there will truly be no turning back. This should be a sign to everyone of our commitment to starting this project as soon as possible."

Although L. D'Augostini & Sons has 30 days from yesterday to submit paperwork, it is likely all documentation will be submitted well before that date.

"Once we receive the documents, my office will work with all diligence and haste to review them, so that not even one more day is lost. Our residents can't afford anything different, Wright said."