

REQUISITION FOR AUTHORITY FOR EXPENDITURE

(Form 1469)

Applicant's No. 52 Eng. Dept. No. 78 Comptroller's No. 719 (1911)
On Montana No'n or Location Operating Dept. State of Montana Pub. Sec. No. 24

Authority is requested for an expenditure of \$ 25,000.00 chargeable approximately as follows: (Distribution to be made in General Office, St. Paul.)

To Optg. Exps. \$ 25,000.00 To Advs. and Batts. \$ 1,086.00 To M&S \$ 300.00

For ~~additions~~ ~~removals~~ ~~restoration~~ St. Mission, near ~~in budget~~ ~~not in budget~~ ~~not in budget~~ MAR 1911

Consisting of replacing pile trestle with two 155 ft. steel spans, bridge 0 across Yellowstone River.

The location is on this company's property and is not in joint territory. To secure required rights it will be necessary

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Contract 26551
Contract 26395

Required by Accounting Department, a detailed estimate will be furnished promptly after approval. The expenditure is recommended for the following reasons: (If space is not sufficient continue on back.)

Our Shields River bridge across the Yellowstone River, one mile east of Mission was destroyed by fire January 18th. Bridge consisted of two Howe truss spans with pile approaches. A temporary pile bridge was driven across entire waterway and it is, of course, self-evident that ice will carry out more or less of this temporary pile trestle every Spring. It is, therefore, essential that either bridge be rebuilt with two Howe truss spans or else be rebuilt with steel spans. The Engineering Department has investigated this and recommends that in connection with heavier steel spans across Yellowstone River crossing just east of Livingston, that the old spans be taken down and be set up at the Yellowstone River crossing on the Shields River Branch. Consequently this RFA.

Work should be commenced soon as possible in order to complete by soon as possible and be done by company force Accounting to be handled by Engineering Department with Mrs. Creech 9717-17

Signature and Title of Applicant: W. Johnson Date of Requisition: Mar. 18th 1911
Superintendent

APPROVED BY: W. Johnson Chief Engr. M.

W. Johnson Chief Engr., Mach. Supt. or Supt. Tels. W. Johnson Genl.

W. Johnson First Vice President. W. Johnson Second Vice President.

Date of Completion: _____ 1911

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