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TALKING POINTS - 2% Funds for Libbey Fire Suppression Upgrade Project

- Libbey Glass Inc. is in the process of upgrading the fire suppression system at its manufacturing facility on Ash Street. The upgrade project will modernize the plant's fire suppression system by improving the flow of water to the facility's pump house.
- In order to improve the flow of water to the facility's pump house, a new 12-inch public waterline is necessary on Champlain Street between Buckeye and Ash Streets.
- The estimated cost to install the new 804 linear foot waterline is \$210,000. The City is requesting to utilize funds from the Water Distribution Infrastructure Development Fund to assist Libbey with its project. The proposed new waterline will also be interconnected with the adjacent neighborhood and improve the fire flow and redundancy in water supply to the neighborhood.
- This project will result in the retention of 500 permanent full-time equivalent jobs.