Kaw pipe-gallery replacement

Kaw Water Treatment Plant | Project MS1-00022

Prepared for AJ Bental | Valtorc International / Research checked 7 November 2026

Owner: City of Lawrence / Lawrence, Kansas / MS1-00022

Valve replacements built into Kaw's upgrade

Lawrence's engineering scope includes replacing valves on renewed plant piping. Valtorc's valve and actuator range gives you a concrete package to discuss with the design team. Start with the valve schedule and accepted-product process, then match individual duties rather than assume the whole package is available. [1, 3, 4]

WHAT YOU COULD SELL

Replacement valves and matched actuation for accepted duties.

CURRENT STAGE

Black & Veatch engineering authorized 1 September 2026. [1, 2]

NEXT MILESTONE

60% / 90% design reviews; dates not published in the agreement. [1]

Why it fits

01 The scope replaces valves associated with renewed piping, including 24-inch discharge lines and a 4-inch wash-water interconnection. Use that detail to request the valve schedule instead of sending a general catalog. [1]

02 Valtorc's Series 1000 sheet covers 2–24-inch butterfly valves. Its actuated-package page describes 2–12-inch packages; confirm the actual larger-valve assembly, pressure duty and potable-water approvals before proposing it. [3, 4]

03 Electric and pneumatic actuation are documented capabilities. The engineer assumes controls replacement in kind, so lead with compatible replacement packages rather than an unrequested automation redesign. [1, 3]

Your first move

City MSO administration → Leah Morris

Route to the named Engineering Program Manager and Black & Veatch team. [1, 5]

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Ask: For MS1-00022, are valve schedules still being developed, and how can Valtorc submit product data for accepted equivalents? Please route us to Leah Morris and the Black & Veatch design lead.

From insight to action

Where your offer fits

PROJECT NEED	YOUR CONTRIBUTION	NEXT STEP
Valve renewal [1]	Butterfly or other valves matched to each duty. [3, 4]	Check size, pressure, materials, potable approvals and accepted makes.
Existing controls [1]	Electric/pneumatic actuation and accessories. [3]	Confirm torque, voltage/air, fail position, signals and envelope.
Competitive construction [1]	Supply quotations to eligible bidding contractors.	Obtain the allowed supplier route and bidder list once issued.

September's report estimates $4.0M construction and authorizes $503,130 for engineering, with design funds available in FY2026. Neither figure is a valve allowance or Valtorc contract value. [1]

People to know

OWNER / ENGINEERING ROUTE

Leah Morris, City Engineering Program Manager. Route through MSO. [1, 5]

DESIGN CONSULTANT

Black & Veatch; principal Andrew J. Hansen. Ask MSO for the package lead. [1]

What happens next

- **1 SEPTEMBER 2026**
  Engineering agreement authorized. [2]
- **DESIGN REVIEWS**
  60% / 90% reviews; dates unpublished. [1]
- **NEXT BUYING EVENT**
  Construction tender; date unverified. [1]

Evidence behind the opportunity

[1] City | Engineering scope | 1 Sep 2026

[2] City | Approval record | 1 Sep 2026

[3] Valtorc | Actuated packages | checked 7 Nov

[4] Valtorc | Series 1000 | checked 7 Nov

[5] City | MSO routing office | checked 7 Nov

[6] City | Adopted 2026–30 CIP | Nov 2025

Detailed research kept separately; primary documents linked above.

Public records checked 7 November 2026; supplier access and current design percentage are unconfirmed. No stakeholder contacted.

> **Your next update** Watch for design review, accepted-product requirements and a construction invitation; then identify bidding contractors to quote.