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- Meetings were held with communities to determine their interest in purchasing water from Evanston
- Chicago announced significant water rate increases
- Evanston met with communities again to determine their interest
- Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) sent to communities on January 26, 2012
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- MOU
  - Communities / Agencies to participate in an engineering study to determine proposed pipeline size, method of construction, route and cost estimate
  - Not to exceed cost of $150,000 with no community / agency charged more than $30,000
  - Requested response by March 2, 2012
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Anticipated Schedule

- Release RFP: April 2012
- Receive Proposals: May 2012
- Select Qualified Firm: May 2012
- Joint Approval: June 2012
- Draft Study: October 2012
- Final Study: December 2012
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- Proposed action
  - Authorize the City Manager to execute the MOUs with the communities / agencies that return the MOU
  - Release the Request For Proposal for the Engineering Study for the proposed transmission main