

April 2, 2018

Mr. Jeffery Edmonds, P.E.
Director, Department of Engineering Services
City of Corpus Christi
P.O. Box 9277
Corpus Christi, TX 78469-9277

Re: Recommendation of Award
Cefe F. Valenzuela Landfill Sector 3C Disposal Cell Development
Project No. E17118

Dear Mr. Edmonds,

Bids were opened and publicly read aloud for the above referenced project on Wednesday, March 28. The project includes the construction of Sector 3C at the Cefe Valenzuela Landfill along with associated paving and drainage improvements. Two (2) bids were received by the designated closing time of 2:00 p.m. Because of the accelerated schedule being pursued on this project, bidders were required to include their Statement of Experience documentation and certain technical submittal data along with their bid. Hanson Professional Services Inc. (Hanson) has reviewed the bids and supporting documentation submitted by the two bidders, FCS Construction, LLC and 4X Construction Group, LLC. The apparent low bidder was FCS Construction, LLC. We prepared a tabulation of the bids received and have included a copy for your reference.

Our review of the technical submittal data provided by both bidders revealed several items that were not in conformance with the specifications for the Geosynthetic Clay Liner material. These items were identified and provided to both bidders by the City with a request to provide additional information to demonstrate conformance with the specifications. Both bidders responded and provided the requested information and based upon our review appear to be in conformance with the specifications.

We reviewed the information provided by FCS in their Statement of Qualifications. FCS has been in business in Texas since 2004 and has successfully completed many landfill construction projects, including the construction of Sector 1A at the Cefe Valenzuela Landfill for the City of Corpus Christi in 2011. All of the references that we contacted had favorable comments regarding their experience with FCS on landfill construction projects and their ability to meet schedules. Our review of the qualifications submitted by FCS indicates that they have considerable experience performing work similar to that required for the City's project.

Based on our review of FCS's bid and qualifications and the satisfactory responses from the references, we recommend that the City award the project to FCS Construction, LLC in the amount of \$5,273,159.46.

Should you have any questions or need any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,

HANSON PROFESSIONAL SERVICES INC.
TBPE Firm Registration No. F-417



Jon M. Reinhard, P.E.
Civil Engineer

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