

June 25, 2018

Mr. J.H. Edmonds, P.E.
Director of Engineering Services
P.O. Box 9277
Corpus Christi, Texas 78469-9277

Re: **Recommendation of Award
Residential Street Rebuild Project (RSRP) (ID/IQ) Bid Part 1 & 2 -
Project No. E17019**

Dear Mr. Edmonds:

We have reviewed the six (6) bids for Bid Part 1 and five (5) bids for Bid Part 2 received on June 13th for the referenced project. The project includes residential street pavement rehabilitation and reconstruction in multiple locations throughout the City. The bidders were Winters Construction, Inc.; A. Ortiz Construction and Paving, Inc.; J. Carroll Weaver, Inc.; Grace Paving and Construction, Inc.; Haas-Anderson Construction, Ltd. ("Haas") and Berry Contracting, LP DBA Bay Ltd. ("Bay").

In accordance with Specification 00 21 13 Instruction to Bidders, Article 13 – Statement of Experience, a request was made to the three (3) lowest bidders to submit data outlined in Section 00 45 16 – Statement of Experience. Attached is the information provided by Winters Construction, Inc.; A. Ortiz Construction and Paving, Inc.; J. Carroll Weaver, Inc. and Grace Paving and Construction, Inc.

For Bid Part 1, the apparent low bidder was Winters Construction, Inc. However, it was determined that Winters Construction, Inc., failed to sign their bid and they omitted 4 out of 5 pages from the Bid Acknowledgement Form (which are material to the Bid). This has resulted in Winters Construction, Inc., being deemed as non-responsive and voids the submitted bid. The second apparent low bidder was A. Ortiz Construction & Paving, Inc.

For Bid Part 2, the apparent low bidder was A. Ortiz Construction & Paving, Inc. A. Ortiz Construction & Paving, Inc. was also the apparent responsive low bidder on Bid Part 1. After discussions on project completion requirements, A. Ortiz Construction & Paving, Inc. has acknowledged they do not have sufficient capacity, and additional resources are not available with current market conditions, to complete both base bids concurrently as required by the contract documents. The second apparent low bidder was J. Carroll Weaver, Inc.

Hanson has reviewed the information submitted. We are familiar with the contractors, who have successfully completed several projects we have been involved with as an engineer. See attached summary of the Statement of Experience. It is our opinion that the low bid is a fair and reasonable cost for the value of work to be constructed.

We hereby recommend award of the contract to A. Ortiz Construction & Paving, Inc. in the amount of \$4,100,000.00 for Bid Part 1. The contract requires construction to be substantially completed within 250 calendar days after the notice to proceed has been issued.

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We hereby recommend award of the contract to J. Carroll Weaver, Inc. in the amount of \$4,000,000.00 for Bid Part 2. The contract requires construction to be substantially completed within 270 calendar days after the notice to proceed has been issued.

Attached for your record is the bid tabulation for the project. Should you have any questions or require any additional information, please do not hesitate to call on us.

Very truly yours,

HANSON PROFESSIONAL SERVICES, INC.
TBPE Firm Registration No. F-000417

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Gabriel Ortiz', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Gabriel Ortiz, P.E., CFM
Project Engineer

Encl.