

December 17, 2019

Jeff Jiang, P.E.
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Engineering and Construction Services Division
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City of Hollywood
RAS Pump Station No. 1 Replacement
Recommendation for Award
City Project No. 17-9523

Dear Mr. Jiang:

We have reviewed the bid proposal documents opened on November 14, 2019 for the subject project and summarized them in the attached Bid Tabulation. The bid proposal and supporting information were evaluated for the proposed contractor's overall technical ability to perform the work proposed by our design documents. Our review did not include a determination of bidder responsiveness. The apparent low bidder, BLDM USA, LLC, failed to provide the requested minimum of three references and a list of available equipment to perform the work. Based on the information provided, we are unable to recommend award of the project to BLDM USA, LLC. Should the City wish to pursue the requisite information for further evaluation, it should also be noted that a significant discrepancy exists regarding BLDM's written Total Base Bid and the summation of the individual bid items.

In light of the above, we evaluated the proposal documents of the apparent second low bidder, Intercounty Engineering, Inc. and find their submitted experience acceptable. Communication with references provided also find their work to be satisfactory. Based on our review of the proposal documents, we recommend award of the SRWWTP RAS Pump Station No. 1 Replacement contract to Intercounty Engineering, Inc.

We appreciate the opportunity to assist the City with this important project. Should you have any questions or require further information, please do not hesitate to contact our office.

Very truly yours,

HAZEN AND SAWYER,



Tara A. VanEyck, P.E.
Senior Principal Engineer

Attachment

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P. Cooke (Hazen)
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