

December 1, 2016 AVO 31091

Mayor and City Council City Engineer City of Grand Prairie 206 West Church Grand Prairie, Texas 75050

RE: Section 1 – Lake Parks West Drainage Flume from Spillway to Inlet Structure at Camp Wisdom Road and Lynn Road, W.O.#616.48; Section 2 – Central Park Lake 1 Pipe, W.O.#616.48

Dear Mayor and City Council:

On Wednesday, November 30, 2016, bids were opened for the referenced project. Four (4) contractors submitted bids and necessary bonds for this project. Halff Associates recommends that a construction contract in the amount of \$155,750.00 be awarded to Guerrero's Construction.

Table 'A' is a summary of the bids received. The attached Bid Tabulation shows the detailed breakdown of each contractors bid per project pay item.

Bidder Submitted Total Base Bid
Amount

Guerrero's Construction \$ 155,750.00

R-Tex Services, LLC \$ 233,637.14

Atkins Brothers Equipment Co. \$ 198,080.00

Texas Standard Construction \$ 311,588.00

Table 'A' - Bid Summary

We contacted the following references to verify Guerrero's Construction qualifications to complete the required work: Mark Weatherford with Mark Weatherford Real Estate and Mukesh Barbaria with Mira Construction Company.

Each of the above references stated Guerrero's Construction has performed well on their projects. Neither reference had any liquidated damages against or warranty issues with Guerrero's Construction.

Mr. Weatherford noted that he has utilized Guerrero's Construction on several projects and will be using them on future projects. He has utilized them for paving, drainage, and utility work and said they are always very responsive and have done an excellent job with his projects. Upon explaining the project for Grand Prairie, Mr. Weatherford said he had no doubts that Guerrero's Construction could do this work and do it very well.



Mr. Barbaria has utilized Guerrero's Construction for general paving and utility work. He noted that their quality of work was good and the project they worked on was completed with no problems.

Two errors were noted on R-Tex Services and Texas Standard Construction bid proposal. However, these minor errors had no impact on the low bid amount for the project. Therefore, based on the provided bids and the references received for Guerrero's Construction, we recommend that the contract be awarded to Guerrero's Construction for this project.

Sincerely,

HALFF ASSOCIATES, INC.

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Project Manager