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October 21, 2019

Mr. Idahosa Igbinoba Project Manager City of Sugar Land 2700 Town Center Blvd. North Sugar Land, Texas 77479

Re:

Letter of Recommendation for Lift Stations Rehabilitation for First Colony Commons, Sartartia, Campbell Elementary And Trudeau (Alternate Bid Item) City of Sugar Land CIP No. WW 1902 18-056

Dear Mr. Igbinoba,

Sealed bids were received and opened on October 17, 2019 for the above referenced project. A total of five (5) bids were submitted. The project involves the rehabilitation of the above referenced lift stations to include new pumps, new riser and discharge piping, structural modifications, electrical modifications, and additional ancillary work such as fencing and paving. The following is a summary of our bid evaluation.

1. <u>Bid Tabulation Sheet</u> – Five (5) construction firms submitted acceptable bids. The bids were checked for mathematical errors and/or bid irregularities. The project was bid with Base Bid Items, Extra Unit Price Items and Allowance Items. In addition, Trudeau Lift Station was included as an Alternate Bid Item.

There were no errors found in the bids.

2. The Total Bid Amount includes the Base Bid Items, Extra Unit Price Items, and Allowance Items. The Total Bid Amount was used to determine the apparent Low Bidder. The order of the bids for the project is:

	Bidder	Total Bid Amount	Alternate Bid
1.	Matula & Matula Construction, Inc.	\$1,075,500.00	\$212,326.00
2.	Gilleland Smith Construction, Inc.	\$1,447,185.00	\$263,950.00
3.	RJ Construction Company, Inc.	\$1,489,000.00	\$335,000.00
4.	B-5 Construction co., Inc.	\$1,496,534.00	\$315,578.00
5.	Peltier Brothers Construction, Ltd.	\$1,796,740.00	\$348,815.00

3. <u>Qualifications and References</u> – Matula & Matula Construction, Inc. completed the WW1201 Lift Stations Rehabilitation project for the City of Sugar Land. It is our understanding that they completed that work to the satisfaction of the City.

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Sander Engineering Corporation has worked with Matula & Matula Construction, Inc. on several other lift station rehabilitation projects in recent years and found their work to be satisfactory. Sander Engineering Corporation recommends that the City of Sugar Land award the construction contract for WW1902 to Matula & Matula Construction, Inc. for a Total Contract Amount of \$1,287,826.00 which is the Total Bid Amount (\$1,075,500.00) plus the Alternate Bid Amount (\$212,326.00).

If you have any questions, please contact me.

Thank you,

Erik D. Miller, P.E. Vice President

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