



**Public Works Department**

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**MEMORANDUM**

Date: October 14, 2009

To: Lindell Miller-Simon, Purchasing Agent III  
Purchasing Division

From: Anthony J. Fattizzi, Construction Management Specialist  
Public Works Department

Subject: CBE Participation Evaluation  
Bid Number: Y07163510C1  
Broadview Park Neighborhood Improvement Project 20" Water Main Installation

The Public Works Department evaluated the County Business Enterprise (CBE) participation for the following bids submitted for this project. The results are as follows:

Established CBE Overall goal is 24%.

<u>Did Not Meet the CBE Requirements</u>	<u>Status</u>	<u>Sub-Contract Percentage</u>
<u>Solution Construction, Inc. (Prime)</u> Bon's Barricades, Inc.	CBE	1.68%

- Contractor's Bid Amount = \$1,624,633.65
- Proposed CBE Sub-Contract Amount = \$27,292.40
- CBE Participation goal proposed: 1.68%

**Met the CBE Requirements**

<u>Ric-Man International, Inc. (Prime)</u> Corona Construction, Co.	CBE	6.53%
E & N Construction, Inc.	CBE	11.65%
JJD Contracting, Inc.	CBE	5.02%
Roberts Traffic Marking Corp.	CBE	0.63%
Action Paving Services, Inc.	CBE	0.31%
<b>Total CBE Participation</b>		<b>24.14%</b>

- Contractor's Bid Amount = \$1,691,565.50
- Proposed CBE Sub-Contract Amount = \$408,343.93
- CBE Participation goal proposed: 24.14%

Tran Construction, Inc. (Prime)

BMA Construction, Inc.

CBE

24.00%

- Contractor's Bid Amount = \$1,790,830.00
- Proposed CBE Sub-Contract Amount = \$429,799.20
- CBE Participation goal proposed: 24%

**CBE Compliance Comments**

Solution Construction, Inc. failed to meet the established goal and a review of the information submitted indicates a lack of Good Faith Efforts. The Unavailability Report submitted by Solution Construction lists four firms contacted via facsimile to be sub-contractors and two were sent with no follow-up, one was sent to a disconnected number and one was sent the day before the bid opening. Based on the County Business Enterprise Act of 2009, Section 1-81.4 (g) (1), a determination of Good Faith Effort by the Bidder shall consider the quality, quantity, and extent of the various efforts that the bidder has made to meet the goal. Therefore, Solution Construction is deemed non-responsive to the CBE requirements.

  
Public Works Department Liaison      Date

 10/19/09  
Office of Economic and Small Business Dev. Date