




Public Works Department • Water and Wastewater Services

WATER AND WASTEWATER ENGINEERING DIVISION

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USER CONCURRENCE

TO: Ilyse S. Valdivia, Purchasing Agent III, Purchasing Division
FROM: Greg Balicki, Director, Water and Wastewater Engineering Division 
SUBJECT: Solicitation No. Y1205806C1, North Regional Wastewater Treatment Plant Bid Package A – Injection Well Booster Pumps

CONCURRENCE:

- ☒ The Water and Wastewater Engineering Division has reviewed the response(s) submitted for specification compliance and vendor responsibility. I have reviewed all documents including the Vendor Questionnaire and/or the Instructions to Bidders Supplement, and after careful evaluation, I concur with the recommendation for award to: Kirlin Florida, LLC in the total amount of \$10,565,472, including Alternate Bid Item No. A1.
- ☒ I have reviewed the Vendor's financial background/D&B Report and am satisfied with the Vendor's rating and payment performance.
- ☐ Not applicable [Provide explanation if choosing this option]
- ☒ I have reviewed the response to the Vendor Questionnaire in regards to litigation history and there is no issue of concern.
- ☐ A particular issue of concern was identified justifying additional information from the County Attorney's Office as attached.
- ☒ I have reviewed the Vendor's past Performance Evaluations in Contracts Central and:
- ☒ The Vendor received an overall rating above 2.59 on all evaluations.
- ☐ The Vendor received a rating 2.59 or less on one or more evaluations. Reasons for concurrence in light of this performance are attached.
- ☐ The Vendor received a score of "2" or less on one or more individual items on past evaluations. Summary of discussion(s) with past Project Manager(s) is/are attached.
- ☐ No evaluations within the past three (3) years contained any items rated a score of "2" or less.
- ☐ Past evaluations are not relevant to the scope of this contract. Reference Verification Forms are attached.
- ☐ The award amount exceeds the mandatory bid amount. Reference Verification Forms attached.

OR

- ☐ No past Performance Evaluations exist in Contracts Central; Reference Verification Forms attached.

NON-CONCURRENCE:

- ☐ I do not concur. Reason for non-concurrence:

TYPED NAME OF SIGNER: Gregory M. Balicki, P. E.

SIGNATURE: 

TITLE: Director, WWS/WWED

DATE: 4/4/14

TYPED NAME OF SIGNER: Alan W. Garcia, P. E.

SIGNATURE: 

TITLE: Director, WWS

DATE: 4/4/14

HAZEN AND SAWYER

Environmental Engineers & Scientists

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April 1, 2014

Mr. Robert Sarkies
Project Manager II
BROWARD COUNTY
WATER AND WASTEWATER SERVICES
Water and Wastewater Engineering Division
2555 West Copans Road
Pompano Beach, Florida 33069

North Regional Wastewater Treatment Plant
Bid Package A - Injection Well Booster Pumps
BCWWS Project No. 9186
Hazen and Sawyer Project No. 44104-000
Bid No. Y1205806C1 Recommendation for Award

Dear Mr. Sarkies:

Hazen and Sawyer has reviewed the bid proposal documents opened on March 11, 2014 for the North Regional Wastewater Treatment Bid Package A - Injection Well Booster Pumps. The County provided the proposal of the apparent lowest bidder, Kirlin Florida, LLC. for review. Our review did not include a determination of bidder responsiveness. The bid proposal was evaluated for the proposed Contractor's overall technical ability to perform the work.

We have reviewed references identified by the bidder. Based on our review and our experience administering construction by this contractor on other projects, we recommended that the contract be awarded to Kirlin Florida, LLC.

If you have any questions, please contact our office.

Very truly yours,

HAZEN AND SAWYER, P.C.



Merle Medina
Project Representative

Enclosures c: J. Wietgreffe (H&S)
 G. Cunningham (H&S)
 File No. 44104-000/1.0

Reference Verification Form

Recommended Vendor Name:	Kirlin Florida, LLC	
Broward County Project Title:	North Regional Wastewater Treatment Plant Bid Package A – Injection Well Booster Pumps	
Broward County Solicitation Number:	Y1205806C1	
Reference Organization Project Title:	6 MGD Membrane Softening WTP	
Name Of Firm/Reference Organization Contact Information:	Contact Name:	Rafael Perdomo
	Contact Company:	Hallandale Beach Utilities Department
	Contact Title:	Project Manager
	Contact Telephone:	(954) 457-1623
Comments:	There were no claims and a total of 149 owner requested change orders totaling \$1,256,884.00. The owner noted that the work was completed satisfactorily and on schedule. The owner would recommend this contractor to perform work on future projects.	
Date Contract Services Provided:	January 2005 through May 2008.	
References Checked By:	Name:	Robert Sarkies
	Title:	Project Manager II
	Division/Department:	Water & Wastewater Engineering Division
Date Of Verification:	March 28, 2014	

Reference Verification Form

Recommended Vendor Name:	Kirlin Florida, LLC.	
Broward County Project Title:	North Regional Wastewater Treatment Plant Bid Package A Injection Well Booster Pumps	
Broward County Solicitation Number:	Y1205806C1	
Reference Organization Project Title:	System 2 Water Treatment Plant – MIEX Treatment System	
Name Of Firm/Reference Organization Contact Information:	Contact Name:	Brian Shields, P.E.
	Contact Company:	Palm Beach County Water Utilities Department
	Contact Title:	Deputy Utility Director
	Contact Telephone:	(561) 493-6081
Comments:	There were no claims and no change orders on this project. The owner noted that the work was completed satisfactorily and on schedule. The owner would recommend this contractor to perform work on the future projects.	
Date Contract Services Provided:	2010 - 2012	
References Checked By:	Name:	Robert Sarkies
	Title:	Project Manager II
	Division/Department:	Water & Wastewater Engineering Division
Date Of Verification:	March 27, 2014	

*Verify as many references as necessary to assist in the determination of responsibility.

Reference Verification Form

Recommended Vendor Name:	Kirlin Florida, LLC.	
Broward County Project Title:	North Regional Wastewater Treatment Plant Bid Package A Injection Well Booster Pumps	
Broward County Solicitation Number:	Y1205806C1	
Reference Organization Project Title:	Water Treatment Plant 2A Hypochlorite System	
Name Of Firm/Reference Organization Contact Information:	Contact Name:	John Morra
	Contact Company:	Broward County Water and Wastewater Engineering Division
	Contact Title:	Project Manager
	Contact Telephone:	(954) 831-0902
Comments:	There was one claim and fifteen change orders for amount of \$132,895.00. Eleven of the change orders were owner requested, totaling \$94,555.00 for additional work. The owner noted that the work was completed satisfactorily and on schedule. The owner would recommend this contractor to perform work on the future projects.	
Date Contract Services Provided:	2010 - 2012	
References Checked By:	Name:	Robert Sarkies
	Title:	Project Manager II
	Division/Department:	Water & Wastewater Engineering Division
Date Of Verification:	March 24, 2014	