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October 6, 2015

Jerry Gardner Fire Chief, City of Killeen Fire Department 201 North 28th Street Killeen, Texas 76541

Re: Bid 16-01 Killeen New Fire Station No. 9
Recommendation of Contractor Award

Dear Chief Gardner:

On October 1, 2015, four (4) bids were received by the City of Killeen for the construction of Killeen New Fire Station No. 9 (Bid 16-01).

The four (4) bidders were:

- Emerson Construction Company, Inc.
- Chaney-Cox Construction, Inc.
- Lott Brothers Construction Company, Ltd.
- G. Creek Construction

We have performed our analysis and our recommendation is below.

All bidders submitted the Bid Forms as required by the original Contract Documents and the modifications issued under Addendum 1.

Although, the lowest bid received was over the Maximum Allowable Construction Cost (MACC) of \$4,140,000, we do not recommend rebidding this project. Our experience shows that unless a design is significantly changed or scope is changed, then a project that is rebid will come in at a higher cost than the first pricing effort. If we are to proceed with a redesign / rebid, the following should be considered:

- The strong possibility that rebid pricing will be more than the original pricing
- The additional design and contractor procurement times would delay the projected substantial completion. Extending the anticipated substantial completion date could delay the City of Killeen's ability to provide services to the Citizens as shown in the schedule.

Vanir recommends that Lott Brothers Construction Company, Ltd. be awarded the project for the contract amount of \$4,520,000.00 (base bid).

For your reference, please find attached the Bid Summary that lists the base bid and the bid alternates for each bidder.



Please indicate as to how the City of Killeen would like to proceed. Please contact me if you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,

Rufo Reyes Project Manage

Cc: John Sutton – City of Killeen, Assistant City Manager External Services

Cody Simmons - City of Killeen Fire Department, Deputy Chief

Lorianne Revilla – City of Killeen Fire Department, Finance Manager

Gloria Barrera – Vanir, Area Manager Steven Solka – Vanir, Project Director

Doug Edney – WHJ Architects Vanir Metrics T524 – Project Files

Attachments: Attachment A - Bid Tab

Attachment B – Bid Summary



City of Killeen
Bid Tabulation

Bid No.: 16-01 Killeen Fire Station No. 9

Bids Due: October 1, 2015 at 2:00 PM local time

	Bidders	Bid Security	AD1	Base Bid	Α	Alternate 1	Alternate 2		Alternate 3	Calendar Days to achieve SC after NTP	Notes
GC 1:	Emerson Construction Company, Inc.	Yes	Yes	\$ 4,550,000.00	\$	(3,400.00)	\$ (12,000.00) \$	(8,000.00)	300	
GC 2:	Chaney-Cox Construction, Inc.	Yes	Yes	\$ 4,730,000.00	\$	(3,400.00)	\$ (6,300.00) \$	(6,500.00)	365	
GC 3:	Lott Brothers Construction Company, Ltd.	Yes	Yes	\$ 4,520,000.00	\$	(4,700.00)	\$ (12,000.00) \$	(6,500.00)	365	
GC 4:	G. Creek Construction	Yes	Yes	\$ 4,700,000.00	\$	(4,000.00)	\$ (7,500.00) \$	(7,000.00)	360	

Descriptions

Alternate 1: Section 06 6116 – Solid Surfacing Fabrications.

Alternate 2: Deductive Alternate: In lieu of PVC roof, provide TPO roof as specified in Section 07 5423 - THERMOPLASTIC POLYOLEFIN (TPO) ROOFING.

Alternate 3: Deductive Alternate: In lieu of as shown in the drawings, provide an exterior wall veneer as a combination of stone and stucco with metal parapet cap similar to as shown in Section

5/A8.4.

Bid Security: Bid Bond / Cashier's Check

GC: General Contractor

AD: Addendum

NTP: Notice to Proceed SC: Substantial Completion

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City of Killeen Bid Summary Bid No.: 16-01 Killeen Fire Station No. 9

Maximum Allowable **Construction Cost** (MACC):

\$ 4,140,000

		Emerson Construction Company, Inc.	
Base Bid:	\$	4,550,000	
Alternate 1: Alternate 2: Alternate 3:	\$ \$ \$	(3,400) (12,000) (8,000)	
Alternates Total:	\$	(23,400)	
Accepted Alternate(s)	Total:		\$ -

	Chane Inc.	ey-Cox Construction,	Accepted Alternate(s)
Base Bid:	\$	4,730,000	
Alternate 1: Alternate 2: Alternate 3:	\$ \$ \$	(3,400) (6,300) (6,500)	
Alternates Total:	\$	(16,200)	
Accepted Alternate(s)	Total:		\$ -

		Lott Brothers Construction Company, Ltd.		
Base Bid:	\$	4,520,000		
Alternate 1: Alternate 2: Alternate 3:	\$ \$ \$	(4,700) (12,000) (6,500)		
Alternates Total:	\$	(23,200)		
Accepted Alternate(s) Total:		\$ -	

	G. Cree	k Construction	Accepted Alternate(s)
Base Bid:	\$	4,700,000	
Alternate 1: Alternate 2: Alternate 3:	\$ \$ \$	(4,000) (7,500) (7,000)	
Alternates Total:	\$	(18,500)	
Accepted Alternate(s) Total:		\$ -

Emerson Construction Company, Inc.					
Base Bid:	\$	4,550,000			
Accepted Alternate(s)					
Total:	\$	-			
Base Bid + Accepted					
Alternate(s) Total:	\$	4,550,000			
Over / Under (MACC):					

Chaney-Cox Construction, Inc.					
Base Bid: Accepted Alternate(s) Total: Base Bid + Accepted Alternate(s) Total:	\$ \$	4,730,000 - 4,730,000			
Over / Under Budget:	\$	590,000			

Lott Brothers Construction Company, Ltd.					
Base Bid: Accepted Alternate(s)	\$	4,520,000			
Total:	\$	-			
Base Bid + Accepted Alternate(s) Total:	\$	4,520,000			
Over / Under Budget:	\$	380,000			

G. Creek Construction					
Base Bid:	\$	4,700,000			
Accepted Alternate(s)					
Total:	\$	-			
Base Bid + Accepted					
Alternate(s) Total:	\$	4,700,000			
Over / Under Budget:		=======================================			
	\$	560,000			

Alternate Legend: Alternate 1:

Alternate 2:

Deductive Alternate: In lieu of quartz agglomerate, countertops fabricated according to Section 06 6116 – Solid Surfacing Fabrications. Section 06 6116 – Solid Surfacing Fabrications.

Deductive Alternate: In lieu of PVC roof, provide TPO roof as specified in Section 07 5423 - THERMOPLASTIC POLYOLEFIN (TPO) ROOFING.

Deductive Alternate: In lieu of as shown in the drawings, provide an exterior wall veneer as a combination of stone and stucco with metal parapet cap similar to as shown in Section 5/A8.4. Alternate 3: