

January 24, 2024

Steve Kana, P.E.  
Director of Water and Sewer Utilities  
City of Killeen, Texas  
805 West Jasper Drive  
Killeen, TX 76541

Re: Recommendation of Award for the Chaparral Pump Station Bid No. 24-21 (FNI Project #KIL17231).

Dear Mr. Kana:

On Tuesday, January 23, 2024 bids were opened for the above referenced project. Three contractors submitted bids for this project. FNI reviewed the bids for errors and omissions. All bidders acknowledged the addenda and provided bid security. A summary of the bids received is provided in the table below, and the detailed bid tabulation is attached.

#### BID SUMMARY

Bidder	Bid Amount
SSP Industries, LP	\$7,916,365.00
Prota, Inc.	\$8,599,373.00
Barsh Construction	\$9,473,958.00

The lowest bid was \$7,916,365.00 submitted by SSP Industries, LP.

FNI contacted SSP Industries, LP.'s references to verify quality of work. These references included James Billeck (254) 298-5620 with the City of Temple, Ed Clackely (254) 217-3249 with the City of Temple, and Travis Clarke P.E. (512) 573-6975 with Jones-Heroy & Associates.

FNI examined the bid proposals submitted for this project to check for errors or omissions. There were no errors in SSP Industries, LP.'s bid. We have found SSP Industries, LP.'s bid is accurate and provided the lowest bid for the construction of the project. Based upon review of contractor's references, and the bid price, it is recommended that the project be awarded to SSP Industries, LP. for the bid amount of \$7,916,365.00.

Sincerely,

Freese and Nichols, Inc.

  
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Daniel Stoutenburg Jr., P.E.  
Project Manager



Freese & Nichols, Inc.  
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Austin, TX 78759  
**BID TABULATION**

Client: City of Killeen, Texas				SSP Industries, LP 2749 Chaparral Road Killeen, TX 76542 (254) 699-2115		Prota, Inc. 4805 Doss Road, Building #1 Austin, TX 78374 (512) 535-2555		Barsh Construction 304 Douglas Ave. Waco, TX 76712 (254) 772-7130	
Project: Chaparral Pump Station Re-Bid (Bid No.: 24-21)									
Bid Date: January 23, 2024									
Project No.: KIL17231									
#	Description	Quantity	Unit	Unit Cost	Total Cost	Unit Cost	Total Cost	Unit Cost	Total Cost
1.01	Mobilization (Supplementary Conditions Item 15)	1	LS	\$376,183.00	\$376,183.00	\$429,869.00	\$429,869.00	\$252,000.00	\$252,000.00
1.02	Furnish and Install 8 MGD Pump Station, complete with all appurtenances, site work and all other work not identified in other bid items, complete as specified and indicated on the drawings for the unit price of:	1	LS	\$3,403,492.00	\$3,403,492.00	\$4,000,000.00	\$4,000,000.00	\$4,649,834.00	\$4,649,834.00
1.03	Furnish and install all electrical equipment, lighting, instrumentation, controls, SCADA system, and all appurtenant work to support the pumpstation as specified and indicated on the drawings for the unit price of:	1	LS	\$4,067,286.00	\$4,067,286.00	\$4,086,373.00	\$4,086,373.00	\$4,499,070.00	\$4,499,070.00
1.04	Trench Safety Plan (Item 212)	1	LS	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00	\$1,400.00	\$1,400.00
1.05	Trench Safety Implementation (Item 212)	650	LF	\$1.00	\$650.00	\$10.00	\$6,500.00	\$6.00	\$3,900.00
1.06	Trench Safety Implementation for Excavations* (Item 212)	3,877	SF	\$2.00	\$7,754.00	\$3.00	\$11,631.00	\$2.00	\$7,754.00
1.07	Electric Utility Allowance to provide electric service to the pump station. This effort includes BEC installing 3-phase service lines, set transformer, and new service to pump station.	1	LS	\$60,000.00	\$60,000.00	\$60,000.00	\$60,000.00	\$60,000.00	\$60,000.00
TOTAL AMOUNT - BASE BID					\$7,916,365.00		\$8,599,373.00		\$9,473,958.00
TOTAL MATERIALS BID					\$6,063,723.00		\$1,200,000.00		\$6,200,000.00