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October 20, 2020

Ahmad Bagheri, Executive Vice-President
OHL USA, Inc. dba Group OHL North America
1920 Main Street, Suite 310
Irvine, CA 92614

**RE: Notice of Acceptance of Proposal and Intent to Award
Replacement of Hamner Avenue Bridge Over Santa Ana River**
Between Detroit Street and Citrus Street
In the City of Norco
Project No. B7-0754
Federal Project No. – BRLS 5956 (230); and

Hamner Avenue Widening Project
From Schleisman Street to Citrus Street and
From Detroit Street to Sixth Street
In the Cities of Norco and Eastvale
Project No. C9-0019

Dear Mr. Bagheri:

Please consider this as the County of Riverside's notice to your firm that it accepts your proposal received October 7, 2020 for the referenced project. Therefore, the County of Riverside intends to award the construction contract to your firm. The Contract includes:

- Base Bid Schedule 1 Hamner Avenue Bridge Replacement Project
- Alternative Bid Schedule 1 City of Norco, Bridge Crossing Water Line Replacement
- Alternative Bid Schedule 2 Hamner Avenue Widening Project

Therefore, the total contract amount is \$47,115,357.52.

This is a federally funded project and the DBE contract goal set at 8%. Your company submitted Exhibit 15G Construction Contract DBE Commitment within the allowed period for compliance after bids were received and the total claimed DBE participation is in the amount of \$4,756,471.94. Base Bid Schedule 1, proposed cost amount of \$43,506,441.19, is the only portion of work that is federally funded for this project.

After reviewing your submittal, the DBE Liaison Officer has accepted your DBE submittal.

Attached for execution, by your company, are four sets of the construction contracts, Performance Bond form, and Payment Bond form. Per funding requirements, Form FHWA 1273 (Revised May 1, 2012), Federal Prevailing Wage Decision (updated by addendum No. 8), and Appendix E of the Title VI Assurances (US DOT Order 1050.2A) are physically attached to the Contract.

In accordance with "Instructions to Bidders" Section 28 "Award of Contract" of the bid documents, you are directed to return to this office, within 10 working days of the date of this letter, four (4) sets of executed original construction contracts, two (2) original Performance Bonds, two (2) original Payment Bonds, and one (1) complete insurance certificate package that conforms to the terms of the bid documents.

Insurance documentation must include additional insured endorsements for General Liability policies, Automobile Liability policies, and Excess Liability policies. Additionally, a Waiver of Subrogation shall be furnished for the Worker's compensation policy. All endorsements must be signed by authorized broker or insurance carrier.

In addition to the requirements of "General Conditions" Section 4 "Insurance and Hold Harmless" of contract documents, the Contractor's Certificate of Insurance and endorsements for the project shall name the following listed entity(s) as additional insured under the Contractor's general liability, excess liability, and auto liability insurance policies, and each listed entity shall be named on the Waiver of Subrogation for the Contractor's Workers Compensation policy:

1. County of Riverside, its Agencies, Districts, Special Districts and Departments, their respective directors, officers, Board of Supervisors, elected and appointed officials, employees, agents, and representatives.
2. City of Norco, its elected or appointed officials, officers, directors, employees and agents.
3. City of Eastvale, its elected or appointed officials, officers, directors, employees and agents.
4. Jurupa Community Services District Park and Recreation, its elected or appointed officials, its officers, directors, employees and agents.
5. Riverside County Regional Parks & Open Space District, its elected and appointed officials, employees, agents, and representatives.
6. Chino Basin Desalter Authority, its elected and appointed officials, employees, agents, and representatives.
7. Riverside-Corona Resource Conservation District, its elected and appointed officials, employees, agents, and representatives.

Each of the above listed entities shall also be held harmless, in accordance with the requirements of General Conditions Section 4, "Insurance and Hold Harmless" of the Specifications and Contract Documents Book.

Attention is also directed to Special Provisions Section 00-1.09, "Course of Construction Insurance" regarding additional insurance requirements.

Also, please provide us with a Corporate Resolution authorizing the signatory of the contract to sign such documents on behalf of your corporation.

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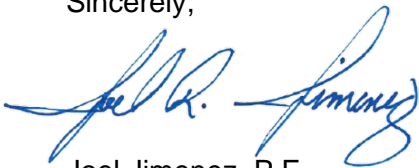
Failure to execute the documents and submit all of the above listed documents to the Transportation Department within the specified time may cause the County of Riverside to consider your firm as not being in compliance with the bid documents, resulting in rescission of the Notice of Acceptance and Intent to Award, and your bid bond being forfeited on that basis.

Following full execution and award of the contract by the County of Riverside Board of Supervisors, one original set of the Contract and bonds will be returned to you for your file.

Attached is a copy of the summary of bids for your use and reference.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact me at your convenience at (951) 955-1537 or Roman Ramirez at (951) 955-6786.

Sincerely,



Joel Jimenez, P.E.
Engineering Project Manager
DBE Liaison Officer
Contracts / Bidding Unit

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Attachments: Contract, 4 sets (including Form FHWA-1273, Federal Prevailing Wages, and Appendix E of the Title VI Assurances)
Performance Bond form with each Contract
Payment Bond form with each Contract
Brief List of Contract Insurance Requirements
Summary of Bids

cc (Email): Khalid Nasim
Cesar Tolentino, PM

cc (Paper): Chronological File
Construction/Inspection File with Attachments
Project File