Bid documents were distributed to seven general contractors. Bids were opened June 14, 2007. Aaron Concrete Contractors, LP submitted the lowest of three bids received:

Aaron Concrete Contractors, LP, Austin, TX	$463,265.00
Muniz Concrete & Contracting, Inc, Austin, TX	$528,255.00
Smith Contracting Company, Inc., Austin, TX	$594,060.00

The contractor's choice of work methodology provides for subcontracting opportunities in four areas which are listed below. Project specific goals stated in the solicitation were 12.90% MBE and 12.60% WBE. Total participation estimated on base bid amount of $463,265.00:

MBE TOTAL – PRIME	$385,886.86	83.30%
Aaron Concrete Contractors, LP, Austin, TX	$385,886.86	83.30%
WBE TOTAL – SUBCONTRACTORS	$69,457.50	14.99%
Diva Imaging, Austin, TX (Job Photos and Video)	$1,550.00	0.33%
Peabody General Contractors, Inc., Dripping Springs, TX (Manhole & Valve Adjustments)	$67,500.00	14.57%
(FH) ABC Erosion Control, Austin, TX (Erosion Control and Safety Fence)	$407.50	0.09%
NON M/WBE TOTAL – SUBCONTRACTORS	$7,920.64	1.71%
United Rentals, Austin, TX (Traffic Control and Barricades)	$7,920.64	1.71%

The Contractor submitted an MBE/WBE Compliance Plan that met the goals of the solicitation and was approved by the Department of Small and Minority Business Resources. Second and third low bidder information is provided.

SECOND BIDDER – Muniz Concrete Contracting, Inc., Austin, TX $528,255.00
89% MBE prime participation; 11% Non M/WBE subcontractor participation.

THIRD BIDDER – Smith Contracting Company Inc., Austin, TX $594,060.00
74.50% Non M/WBE prime participation; 12.90% MBE; 12.60% WBE; subcontractor participation.