

Bid documents were distributed to 13 general contractors. Bids were opened on January 15, 2008. Smith Contracting Co, Inc. submitted the lowest of seven bids received:

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| Smith Contracting Co., Inc, Austin, TX     | \$422,973.00 |
| Ranger Excavating, LP, Austin, TX          | \$447,120.00 |
| Austin Engineering Co., Ltd, Austin, TX    | \$481,425.00 |
| Austin Filter Systems, Inc., Austin, TX    | \$557,900.00 |
| Aaron Concrete Contractors, LP, Austin, TX | \$641,823.00 |
| Jay-Reese Contractors, Inc.; Austin, TX    | \$681,935.00 |
| Mac, Inc., Austin, TX                      | \$727,115.00 |

The contractor's choice of work methodology provides for 2 areas of subcontracting opportunities: erosion control and hauling services.

Participation subgoals stated in the solicitation were 14.12% MBE; and 1.80% WBE. Total participation estimated on bid amount of \$422,973.00:

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| <u>NON M/WBE TOTAL – PRIME</u>                         | <u>\$403,973.00</u> | <u>95.51%</u> |
| Smith Contracting Co., Inc, Austin, TX                 | \$403,973.00        | 95.51%        |
| <u>MBE TOTAL – SUBCONTRACTORS</u>                      | <u>\$11,000</u>     | <u>2.60%</u>  |
| (MH) JAG Trucking, Inc., Georgetown, TX (hauling svcs) | \$11,000            | 2.60%         |
| <u>WBE TOTAL – SUBCONTRACTORS</u>                      | <u>\$8,000.00</u>   | <u>1.89%</u>  |
| (FW) Fuquay, Inc., Austin, TX (erosion control)        | \$8,000.00          | 1.89%         |
| <u>NON M/WBE TOTAL – SUBCONTRACTORS</u>                | <u>\$0</u>          | <u>0%</u>     |

The Contractor submitted a MBE/WBE Compliance Plan that demonstrated a Good Faith Effort and was approved by the Department of Small & Minority Business Resources. Second and third low bidder information is provided.

SECOND BIDDER – Ranger Excavating, LP, Austin, TX - \$447,120.00

83.70% Non M/WBE prime participation; % MB; 14.31% MH; % NA; 1.99% WBE; 0% Non M/WBE subcontractor participation.

THIRD BIDDER – Austin Engineering Co., Inc., Austin, TX - \$481,425.00

83.76% Non M/WBE prime participation; 0% MB; 14.44% MH; 0% NA; 1.80% WBE; 0% Non M/WBE subcontractor participation.