

Bid documents were distributed to 30 general contractors. Bids were opened on July 2, 2009. LAUGHLIN-THYSSEN, INC. submitted the lowest of 10 bids received:

LAUGHLIN-THYSSEN, INC., Houston, TX	\$7,498,841.45
MCLEAN CONSTRUCTION, LTD., Killeen, TX	\$8,425,520.75
CASH CONSTRUCTION, INC., Pflugerville, TX	\$8,708,581.50
OSCAR RENDA CONTRACTING, INC., Roanoke, TX	\$9,364,594.24
S.J. LOUIS CONSTRUCTION OF TEXAS, LTD., San Antonio, TX	\$9,398,440.63
LEWIS CONTRACTORS, INC., Bertram, TX	\$9,507,412.31
TEXAS STERLING CONSTRUCTION CO., San Antonio, TX	\$10,462,092.76
J.C. EVANS CONSTRUCTION CO., LP., Leander, TX	\$11,524,883.60
KEYSTONE CONSTRUCTION, INC., Austin, TX	\$11,577,290.90
JOE BLAND CONSTRUCTION, LP., Austin, TX	\$11,836,680.55

The contractor's choice of work methodology provides for subcontracting opportunities in 8 areas which are listed below. Project specific subgoals stated in the solicitation were 1.46% African American; 5.40% Hispanic; 0.50% Native/Asian; 3.04% WBE. Total participation estimated on base bid amount of \$6,963,719.30

NON M/WBE TOTAL – PRIME	\$2,952,594.30	42.40%
LAUGHLIN-THYSSEN, INC., Houston, TX	\$2,952,594.30	42.40%
MBE TOTAL – SUBCONTRACTORS	\$632,125.00	9.08%
African American Subtotal	\$165,000.00	2.37%
(MB) Comanche Express, Austin, TX (Hauling)	\$125,000.00	1.80%
(MB) Austex Tree Service, Round Rock, TX (Erosion Control And Tree Trimming)	\$40,000.00	0.57%
Hispanic Subtotal	\$405,125.00	5.82%
(MH) Gorrondona & Assoc., Inc., Austin, TX (Survey)	\$35,000.00	0.50%
(MH) Aaron Concrete Contractors, Austin, TX (Concrete)	\$130,125.00	1.87%
(MH) GV Enterprise, Buda, TX (Excavation)	\$240,000.00	3.45%
Native/Asian Subtotal	\$62,000.00	0.89%
(FA) Metalink, Austin, TX (Fencing)	\$62,000.00	0.89%
WBE TOTAL – SUBCONTRACTORS	\$3,329,000.00	47.80%
(FW) Texas Road & Utilities, Cedar Creek, TX (Construction)	\$3,329,000.00	47.80%
NON M/WBE TOTAL – SUBCONTRACTORS	\$50,000.00	0.72%
DIJ Construction, Inc., Bertram, TX (Striping)	\$50,000.00	0.72%

The Contractor submitted a M/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 – MCLEAN CONSTRUCTION, LTD., Killeen, TX - \$8,425,520.75
58.39% non-M/WBE prime participation; 1.48% African American; 5.65% Hispanic; 0.51% Native/Asian; 3.06% WBE; 30.91% Non M/WBE subcontractor participation.

THIRD BIDDER – CASH CONSTRUCTION, INC., Pflugerville, TX - \$8,708,581.50
67.26% non-M/WBE prime participation; 2.19% African American; 3.22% Hispanic; 0.29% Native/Asian; 2.74% WBE; 24.30% Non M/WBE subcontractor participation.