Participation subgoals stated in the solicitation were 1.9% African American; 9.0% Hispanic; 4.9% Native/Asian; and 15.8% WBE. The recommended and alternate firms provided a MBE/WBE Compliance Plan that met the goals of the solicitation and was approved by the Small and Minority Business Resources Department.

Notification of issuance of a Request for Qualifications (RFQ) for the subject services was sent to 278 firms on April 10, 2009. The RFQ was obtained by 48 firms, and 14 firms submitted qualification statements. Two of the firms were certified MBE/WBE firms. Of the number 14 firms evaluated, five firms were short-listed and interviewed. Interviewing of the short-listed firms resulted in the following recommendation:

RECOMMENDED FIRM: LOCKWOOD, ANDREWS & NEWNAM, INC., AUSTIN, TX – Total Participation:

NON MBE/WBE TOTAL – PRIME		67.00%
Lockwood, Andrews & Newnam, Inc., Austin, TX		67.00%
MBE TOTAL – SUBCONSULTANT		16.00%
African American Subtotal	2.00%	
(MB) HVJ Associates, Inc., Austin, TX (traffic and transportation engineering)	2.00%	
Hispanic Subtotal	9.00%	
(MH) Crespo Consulting Services, Inc., Austin, TX (hydrology, hydraulics, civil engineering)	9.00%	
Native/Asian Subtotal	5.00%	
(MA) Raymond Chan & Associates, Inc., Austin, TX (civil and drainage engineering; hydrology, hydraulics)	5.00%	
WBE TOTAL – SUBCONSULTANT		17.00%
(FW) ACI-Group, Austin, TX (environmental studies and consulting)	1.50%	
(FW) Holt Engineering, Inc., Austin, TX (geotechnical engineering)	2.40%	
(FW) McGray & McGray Land Surveyors, Inc., Austin, TX (land surveying,	10.70%	
surveying) (FH) MWM Design Group, Austin, TX (landscape architecture, drainage engineering)	2.00%	
(FW) Texas Star Documents, Austin, TX (copying)	0.40%	

<u>ALTERNATE FIRM</u>: ESPEY CONSULTANTS, INC., AUSTIN, TX – Total Participation:

NON MBE/WBE TOTAL – PRIME		63.90%
Espey Consultants, Inc., Austin, TX	63.90%	
MBE TOTAL – SUBCONSULTANT		15.80%
African American Subtotal	1.90%	
(MB) HVJ Associates, Inc., Austin, TX (geotechnical-soils, lab and field testing)	1.90%	
Hispanic Subtotal	9.00%	
(MH) Jose I. Guerra, Inc., Austin, TX (engineering services, structural engineering)	1.50%	
(MH) Macias & Associates, LP, Austin, TX (land surveying, surveying)	7.50%	
Native/Asian Subtotal	4.90%	
(MA) CAS Consulting & Services, Inc., Austin, TX (civil engineering, traffic and transportation engineering)	4.90%	
WBE TOTAL – SUBCONSULTANT		20.30%
(FW) Hicks & Company, Austin, TX (environmental consulting)	2.00%	
(FW) Holt Engineering, Inc., Austin, TX (geotechnical-soils, lab and field testing)	7.00%	
(FH) MWM Design Group, Austin, TX (civil engineering, surveying)	11.30%	