

M/WBE Summary □ Stand Alone

Participation subgoals stated in the solicitation were 1.90% African American; 9.00% Hispanic; 4.90% Native/Asian; 15.80% WBE. The recommended firm provided a MBE/WBE Compliance Plan that met the goals of the solicitation and was approved by the Small and Minority Business Resources Department. The alternate firm also 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 was issued on July 13, 2015 through the City's Vendor Connection web portal, which resulted in 1712 firms receiving notice. In addition, Austin Water advertised the issuance of the Request for Qualifications in several national outlets including the American Water Works Association web-site, the American Society of Civil Engineers' Environmental and Water Resources Institute monthly electronic newsletter, and the Alliance for Water Efficiency posting board. The solicitation was obtained by 154 firms and five submitted qualification statements. None of the firms were certified MBE/WBE. Of the three firms evaluated, two were short-listed and interviewed which resulted in the following recommendation:

RECOMMENDED FIRM: CDM SMITH INC., Austin, TX – Total Participation:

<u>NON M/WBE TOTAL – PRIME</u>	38.40%
CDM Smith Inc., Austin, TX,	38.40%

<u>MBE TOTAL – SUBCONSULTANTS</u>	15.80%
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<u>African American Subtotal</u>	1.90%
(FB) Adisa Public Relations, Austin, TX (public information services, web page design, communications: public relations consulting, partnering workshop facilitation services, event planning)	1.90%

<u>Hispanic Subtotal</u>	9.00%
(MH) Crespo Consulting Services, Austin, TX (environmental impact studies, environmental consulting, environmental engineering, civil engineering, engineering consulting, water supply, treatment and distribution engineering)	9.00%

<u>Native/Asian Subtotal</u>	4.90%
(MA) Encotech Engineering Consultants, Inc., Austin, TX (civil engineering, water supply, treatment and distribution engineering)	4.90%

<u>WBE TOTAL – SUBCONSULTANTS</u>	15.80%
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(FW) Rifeline LLC, Austin, TX (communications/media relations, advertising/public relations, communications marketing services, conference and planning services, graphic arts, public information services, public awareness, consulting, community development, marketing consulting, public art consulting, urban planning, public opinion surveys, writing services, event planning)	7.00%
(FW) Susan Roth Consulting, LLC, Austin, TX (civil engineering, communications-public Relations consulting, environmental engineering, water/waste water conservation services)	6.00%
(FW) K2 Partners, LLC, Wimberley, TX (designing services, drafting services, copying services, mapping services)	2.80%

<u>NON M/WBE TOTAL – SUBCONSULTANTS</u>	30.00%
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GHD Inc., Irvine, CA (water, environmental consulting, water/wastewater services)	20.00%
Amy Vickers & Associates, Inc., Amherst, MA (communications: public relations)	5.00%

consulting, environmental consulting, water/wastewater conservation services)	
Michael Barrett, Ph.D., PE, Austin, TX (engineering consulting, environmental consulting)	3.00%
LBG-Guyton Associates, Austin, TX (water supply, treatment and distribution engineering, environmental engineering, engineer services, professional)	2.00%

ALTERNATE FIRM: CH2MHILL ENGINEERS, INC., Austin, TX – Total Participation:

<u>NON M/WBE TOTAL – PRIME</u>	<u>67.80%</u>
CH2MHILL Engineers, Inc., Austin, TX	67.80%

<u>MBE TOTAL – SUBCONSULTANTS</u>	<u>16.40%</u>
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<u>African American Subtotal</u>	<u>2.50%</u>
(FB) Adisa Public Relations, Austin, TX (communications: public relations consulting)	2.50%

<u>Hispanic Subtotal</u>	<u>9.00%</u>
(MH) Crespo Consulting Services, Inc., Austin, TX (GIS, flood control services, zoning, land use studies, testing and monitoring, hydrological services, environmental impact studies, site assessments, utilities consulting, urban planning consulting, feasibility studies consulting, environmental consulting, site field observation, designing services, water supply, treatment and distribution engineering, wastewater treatment engineering, pollution control engineering, land development and planning/engineering, environmental engineering, drainage engineering, civil engineering, engineering consulting)	6.50%

(MH) Luis Pablo Martinez dba Virtuin, Austin, TX (communication marketing services, analytical studies and surveys, statistical analysis, business consulting, communications: public relations consulting, community development consulting, feasibility studies-consulting, marketing consulting, organizational development consulting, business research services, project management services, marketing services, public opinion surveys)	2.50%
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<u>Native/Asian Subtotal</u>	<u>4.90%</u>
(MA) Asakura Robinson Company, LLC, Austin, TX (architectural services-professional, consulting services, roadside grounds, recreational & park area services)	4.90%

<u>WBE TOTAL – SUBCONSULTANTS</u>	<u>15.80%</u>
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(FW) Susan Roth Consulting, LLC, Austin, TX (environmental engineering, communications: public relations consulting, water/wastewater conservation services, civil engineering)	15.80%
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