M/WBE Summary

Bid documents were distributed to nineteen (19) general contractors. Bids were opened on December 17, 2009. Laughlin-Thyssen, Inc. submitted the lowest of the twelve (12) bids received:

Laughlin-Thyssen, Inc.	Houston, TX	\$ 2,116,403.00
McLean Construction, Ltd.	Killeen, TX	\$ 2,164,990.00
Austin Underground, Inc.	Lago Vista, TX	\$ 2,290,959.00
SJ Louis Construction of Texas, Ltd.	Mansfield, TX	\$ 2,350,125.00
Joe Bland Construction, LP	Austin, TX	\$ 2,420,978.68
Merryman Excavation, Inc.	Woodstock, IL	\$ 2,580,102.60
Capital Excavation Company	Austin, TX	\$ 2,610,945.00
Lewis Contractors, Inc.	Bertram, TX	\$ 2,733,958.00
Keystone Construction, Inc.	Austin, TX	\$ 2,984,449.00
Austin Engineering Co., Inc.	Austin, TX	\$ 3,072,333.50
Future Telecom, Inc.	Mesquite, TX	\$ 3,360,508.00
FT Woods Construction Services, Inc.	Georgetown, TX	\$ 3,419,100.25

The contractor's choice of work methodology provides for five areas of subcontracting opportunities which are listed below.

Project goals stated in the solicitation were **0.87%** African American; **5.88%** Hispanic; **0.00%** Native/Asian; and **2.21%** WBE. Total participation estimated on base bid amount of \$2,114,903.00

NON-M/WBE TOTAL – PRIME	\$ 1,409,182.74	66.63 %
Laughlin-Thyssen, Inc, Houston, Texas	\$ 1,409,182.74	66.63 %
MBE TOTAL – SUBCONTRACTORS	\$ 655,758.26	31.01 %
African American - Subcontractors	\$ 48,460.00	2.29 %
(MB) Comanche Express, Austin, TX (hauling)	\$ 48,460.00	2.29 %
Hispanic - Subcontractors	\$ 607,298.26	28.72 %
(MH) JA Road Boring, Kyle, TX (road bore)	\$ 585,137.76	27.67 %
(MH) Environmental Safety Services, Austin, TX (erosion control)	\$ 22,160.50	1.05 %
WBE TOTAL – SUBCONTRACTORS	\$ 50,000.00	2.36 %
(FW) Merida Pipe and Supply, LLC, Houston, TX (insert, pipe, pvc)	\$ 50,000.00	2.36 %

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

SECOND BIDDER – McLean Construction, Ltd.. – Killeen, TX \$ 2,164,990.00 0.97% African American; 28.18% Hispanic; 2.22% WBE; 2.42% Non M/WBE prime participation; 66.20% Non-certified.

THIRD BIDDER – Austin Underground, Inc. – Lago Vista, TX \$2,290,959.00 0.91% African American; 96.81% Hispanic; 2.27% WBE; 0.004% Non M/WBE prime participation