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Mr. Eddie Zapata  
City of Round Rock  
Utilities and Environmental Services  
2008 Enterprise Drive  
Round Rock, Texas 78664

Re: City of Round Rock – Gattis School Road Wastewater Improvements  
Recommendation to Award Contract

Dear Mr. Zapata:

On November 29, 2018, DCS Engineering (DCS) assisted the City in opening bids for the above referenced project. Eleven (11) bid proposals were received with total base bid prices ranging from \$665,357 to \$1,225,778.80. The engineer's opinion of most probable construction cost was \$972,500. A tabulation of the bids received is attached. The low bidder for the total base bid is Austin Underground, Inc. of Austin, Tx with a bid of \$665,357.


DCS has reviewed the bid proposal submitted by Austin Underground, Inc. and found it to be accurate and complete. We spoke with the City about past projects completed Austin Underground, Inc. for the City and noted positive experiences as it relates to this project. DCS also obtained a Dun and Bradstreet Business Information Report for the company. The report stated that the company has a "low-mod" credit risk and shows the majority of payments to suppliers are within terms.

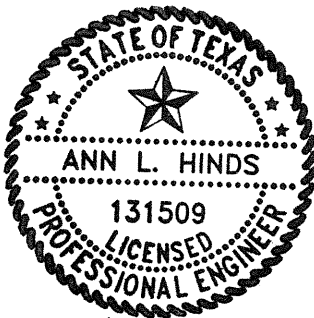
Based on the information presented, we recommend that the City accept the base bid of Austin Underground, Inc. for the Total Bid amount of \$665,357 for the construction of the 3,500 linear feet of sanitary sewer lines, 140 linear feet of water line, and appurtenances.

If you have any questions, please call me at (512) 614-6171.

Sincerely,

DCS Engineering, LLC

  
Ann L. Hinds, P.E.  
Design Manager



Enclosure

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