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Subject: Agenda Request

Good morning, Maegan.

Could you please place the following item on the November 14, 2020 Commissioner's Court agenda:

Consider Bids for Tyler County FY 2020 TDA Project, TxCDBG Number 7220470 and Award the Small Purchase Contract.

I have attached supporting documents. Should you have any questions or concerns, please let me know.

Sincerely,

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November 7, 2022

Tyler County
100 W. Bluff, Room 102
Woodville, Texas 75851

Attn: Jacques Blanchette, County Judge
Judge@co.tyler.tx.us

**RE: Tyler County
FY 2020 CDBG Water System Improvements
TxCDBG Contract No. 7220470
SMALL PURCHASE BORE - Bid Results and Engineers Recommendation**

Dear Judge Blanchette,

Informal bids to construct the bore of Wolf Creek along FM 256, using materials furnished by the SUD, were received at my office by email and the attachments were opened at 9:00 a.m. on November 3, 2022. Three bidders were solicited for bids. Results were as follows:

Duplichain Contractors, LLC:	\$31,000.00
5-T Utilities, Inc:	\$44,200.00
Terry Black Construction:	NO BID

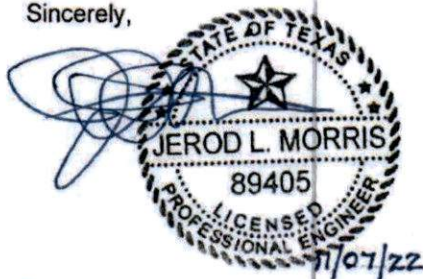
The budgeted amount (Grant Funds) for this project is \$201,370.00. The Materials Only contract amount was \$167,976.40. Therefore, the amount of grant funds available for this work is \$33,393.60, which exceeds the amount of Duplichain Contractors' bid.

We recommend award of the Small Purchase Bore contract to Duplichain Contractors in the amount of \$31,000.00. I have attached a copy of a letter whereby the Tyler County SUD agreed with this recommendation.

Please sign and return a copy of the attached Small Purchase Procurement Record, Notice of Award and Construction Contract should you choose to accept our recommendation.

Please call us if you have any questions.

Sincerely,



Enclosures

Cc: Mike Marshall, Tyler County Precinct 3 (mikemarshall476@gmail.com)
Jerry Lovelady, Gen. Manager Tyler Co SUD (generalmanager@tylercountywater.com)
Susan Stover (susan.stover@sbcglobal.net)
Lesley Waxman (lesley.waxman@sbcglobal.net)

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November 3, 2022

Tyler County SUD
12139 FM 92
Spurger, Texas 77660

Attn: Jerry Lovelady, General Manager
generalmanager@tylercountywater.com

RE: Tyler County
FY 2020 CDBG Water System Improvements
TxCDBG Contract No. 7220470
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We recommend award of the Small Purchase Bore contract to Duplichain Contractors in the amount of \$31,000.00

Please sign and return a copy of this letter the attached Material Contract should you choose to accept our recommendation. If you can return this signed by next Wednesday (November 9, 2022), we will present this to the County at their November 14, 2022 Commissioners Court meeting.

Please call us if you have any questions.

Sincerely,


Jed Morris, P.E.

**AGREEMENT WITH ENGINEER'S
RECOMMENDATION**

 11-7-22
signature date

Cc: Susan Stover (susan.stover@sbcglobal.net)
Lesley Waxman (lesley.waxman@sbcglobal.net)

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Small Purchase Procurement Record

Grant Recipient: Tyler County Contract No: 7220470

Region: DETCOG

Scope of Service/Item Description:

Install 200 LF of 6" HDPE carrier pipe and 190 LF of 12 HDPE Casing and associated valves and fittings furnished by owner by bore under Wolf Creek.

Contacts Made:

- | | | |
|----|---|------------------------------------|
| 1. | <u>Duplichain Contractors, LLC</u>
Name of Firm/Supplier (No. 1) | <u>10/28/22</u>
Date Contacted |
| | <u>Jeff Duplichain</u>
Name of Person Contacted | <u>\$31,000.00</u>
Quoted Price |
| 2. | <u>5-T Utilities, Inc.</u>
Name of Firm/Supplier (No. 2) | <u>10/28/22</u>
Date Contacted |
| | <u>Raybo Twardeski</u>
Name of Person Contacted | <u>\$44,200.00</u>
Quoted Price |
| 3. | <u>Terry Black Construction</u>
Name of Firm/Supplier (No. 3) | <u>10/28/22</u>
Date Contacted |
| | <u>Casey Hopper</u>
Name of Person Contacted | <u>NO BID</u>
Quoted Price |

Verified on 10/20/22 that successful bidder was not excluded as a vendor per Sam.gov.

Based on the contacts made concerning the above-referenced scope of services/item description and that Vendor is not excluded from Sam.gov on 10/20/22 (date of clearance), I authorize Duplichain Contractors, LLC on _____, 20____ to begin work or to supply the item(s) for the quoted price.

Signature of Authorized Person

Jacques Blanchette
Printed Name

County Judge
Title

09/01/2020

CONSTRUCTION CONTRACT

THIS AGREEMENT made this the 14th day of November, 2022 by and between Duplichain Contractors, LLC, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Texas hereinafter called the "Contractor", and Tyler County hereinafter called the "County."

WITNESSETH, that the Contractor and the County for the considerations stated herein mutually agree as follows:

ARTICLE 1. Statement of Work. The Contractor shall furnish all supervision, technical personnel, labor, materials, machinery, tools, equipment and services, including utility and transportation services, and perform and complete all work required for the construction of the Improvements embraced in the Project; namely, Tyler County TDA Road Project TDA No. 7220470 - BORE, all in strict accordance with the contract documents including all addenda thereto, numbered N/A () dated N/A, all as prepared by Goodwin-Lasiter-Strong acting and in these contract documents preparation, referred to as the "Engineer".

ARTICLE 2. The Contract Price. The County will pay the Contractor for the performance of the Contract in current funds, for the total quantities of work performed at the *unit prices* stipulated in the Bid for the several respective items of work completed subject to additions and deductions as provided in Section 00320 hereof.

ARTICLE 3. The Contract. The executed contract documents shall consist of the following components:

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|-----------------------------------|--|
| a. This Agreement | f. General Conditions, Part I |
| b. Addenda | g. Special Conditions |
| c. Invitation for Bids | h. Technical Specifications |
| d. Instructions to Bidders | i. Drawings (<i>as listed in the Schedule of Drawings</i>) |
| e. Signed Copy of Bid | |

ARTICLE 4. Performance. Work, in accordance with the Contract dated _____, shall commence as specified in the Notice to Proceed.

This Agreement, together with other documents enumerated in this ARTICLE 3, which said other documents are as fully a part of the Contract as if hereto attached or herein repeated, forms the Contract between the parties hereto. In the event that any provision in any component part of this Contract conflicts with any provision of any other component part, the provision of the component part first enumerated in this ARTICLE 3 shall govern, except as otherwise specifically stated.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be executed in Four (4) original copies on the day and year first above written.

Duplichain Contractors, LLC.
(Contractor)

By _____

Title _____

Tyler County
(City/ County)

By _____

Title _____

Corporate Certificatlons

I, _____, certify that I am the _____ of the corporation named as Contractor herein; that _____, who signed this Agreement on behalf of the Contractor, was then _____ of said corporation; that said Agreement was duly signed for and in behalf of said corporation by authority of its governing body, and is within the scope of its corporate powers.

Corporate
Seal

(Corporate Secretary)

SECTION 00510
NOTICE OF AWARD

To: Duplchain Contractors, LLC
P.O. Box 637
Alto, Texas 75925

Date: _____

Project Description: Tyler County
FY 2020 TDA Water Project
TDA Contract No. 7220470 - BORE

The OWNER has considered the BID submitted by you for the above described WORK in response to its Advertisement for Bids dated October 28, 2022, and Information for Bidders.

You are hereby notified that your BID has been accepted for items in the amount of \$ 31,000.00.

You are required by the Information for Bidders to execute the Agreement and furnish the required CONTRACTOR'S Performance BOND, Payment BOND and certificate of insurance within ten (10) calendar days from the date of this Notice to you.

If you fail to execute said Agreement and to furnish said BONDS within ten (10) days from the date of this Notice, said OWNER will be entitled to consider all your rights arising out of the OWNER'S acceptance of your BID as abandoned and as a forfeiture of your BID BOND. The OWNER will be entitled to such other rights as may be granted by law.

You are required to return an acknowledged copy of this NOTICE OF AWARD to the OWNER.

Dated this _____ day of _____, 2022.

OWNER: Tyler County

BY: Jacques Blanchette

TITLE: County Judge

SIGNED: _____

ACCEPTANCE OF NOTICE

Receipt of the above NOTICE OF AWARD is hereby acknowledged by Duplchain Contractors, LLC, this the _____ day of _____.

BY: _____

TITLE: _____

SIGNED: _____