

## THE COUNTY OF GALVESTON

RUFUS G. CROWDER, CPPO, CPPB PURCHASING AGENT

COUNTY COURTHOUSE
722 Moody (21st Street)
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Fifth (5<sup>th</sup>) Floor GALVESTON, TEXAS 77550 (409) 770-5371 **GWEN MCLAREN, CPPB** ASST. PURCHASING AGENT

August 10, 2020

Jerry Wade WadeCon, LLC 1525 Lakeville Dr., Suite 115 Kingwood, TX 77339

Re: Bid #B201034, Gum Bayou Tributary Channel Improvements Contract #CM20262

Dear Mr. Wade.

At our regular meeting of the Galveston County Commissioners' Court on August 10, 2020, your company was awarded the bid for Bid #B201034, Gum Bayou Tributary Channel Improvements. Prior to receiving the notification to proceed, please forward all required documents as requested per the bid or proposal conditions.

Invoices are to be sent to the following address:

Galveston County Auditor's Office P.O. Box 1418 Galveston, Texas 77553

If you have any questions, please feel free to call.

CONGRATULATIONS and we look forward to doing business with your company!

Sincerely,

Rufus Crowder, CPPO CPPB

Purchasing Agent

County of Galveston County

July 31, 2020

Mr. Michael Shannon, P.E. **Galveston County** County Engineer 722 Moody Galveston, Texas 77550

Re: Gum Bayou Tributary Channel Improvements

Dear Mr. Shannon:

HR Green has completed the bid tabulation for the referenced project. A total of nine bidders submitted bids for the project. The following table provides a summary of the bid tabulation results.

	Vendor	Base Bid Amount	Extra Items Bid Amount	Total Bid	Adjusted Bid
1.	WadeCon	\$594,040.00	\$5,150.00	\$599,190.00	Amount No change
2.	Site Work Contractors	\$596,792.50*	\$15,850.00	\$612,642.50	\$616,162.50
3.	Teamwork Construction	\$634,837.00**	\$5,150.00	\$639,987.00	\$642,077.00
4.	Mar-Con Services	\$699,858.50	\$13,077.50	\$682,936.00	No change
5.	TLC Construction	\$679,865.50	\$5,150	\$685,015.50	No change
6.	Main Lane Industries	\$677,430.00	\$16,550.00	\$694,080.00	No change
7.	Solid Bridge Construction	\$697,137.50	\$12,050.00	\$709,187.50	No change
8.	TW Dirt, LLC	\$744,324.00	\$5,950.00	\$750,274.00	No change
9.	ERS of MS, Inc.	\$1,059,571.00	\$66,050.00***	\$1,121,121.00	\$1,121,121.00
10	. Engineer's Estimate	\$726,730.00	\$5,150.00	\$731,880.00	

<sup>\*</sup>Vendor No. 2 had a mathematical error resulting in a \$3,520.00 increase in bid.

The low bidder is WadeCon, LLC. The bid amount is approximately 22% below the Engineer's estimate. The major items related to the cost difference are Item 1 Mobilization (Contractor bid

<sup>\*\*</sup>Vendor No. 3 had a mathematical error resulting in a \$2,090.00 increase in bid.

<sup>\*\*\*</sup>Vendor No. 9 had a mathematical error that did not change the total amount.



\$50,000 vs. estimate of \$90,000) and Item 3 Excavation (Contractor bid \$10/CY vs. estimate of \$25/CY).

HR Green was able to contact project managers on four of the six referenced projects included in the Contractor's bid documents. The contacts stated that WadeCon performed well on the identified projects and that they generally met project schedules and completed the work on time. They also indicated that they would use WadeCon on future projects if they were the low bidder.

HR Green recommends that the bid be awarded to WadeCon, LLC as the qualified and lowest bidder. Please call should you have any questions or comments regarding this recommendation.

Sincerely, HR GREEN, INC

Stephen Sparks, P.E.

Vice-President