



To: Luis Pedroza From: Cameron Smith, P.E.

425 10th Street, Douglas, AZ 85607 Chandler

Project/File: 181301800 Date: August 27, 2025

Reference: West Douglas Utilities Expansion - SR-80 - RFP 2026 PW 001

Dear Mr. Pedroza,

Following a thorough review of the submitted bids, the Engineering staff recommends KE&G as the selected lowest bidder for the West Douglas Expansion – SR-80 Project, with a total base bid of \$11,112,099. This recommendation is based on a comprehensive evaluation of bid compliance, pricing, and clarification of minor discrepancies.

Three bidders successfully submitted bids for the work:

KE&G: \$11,112,099 (recommended lowest bidder)

Markham: \$14,991,377

• W.W. Clyde & Co: \$14,668,646

Stantec has completed an analysis of KE&G's ability and is satisfied that they can perform under the terms and conditions of the contract documents. The EJCDC's were returned as required and appears to have included all documentation required. City of Douglas has worked with KE&G on previous projects and is satisfied with their ability to perform. Stantec has completed a review of the three bidding contractors including KE&G. Stantec has verified that the Contractor has the appropriate construction license and is in good standing with the Arizona Registrar of Contractors.

A review of the bid tabulation found an error regarding the unit price listed for Item 34 – Furnish and Install 12-inch PVC ASTM D3034 SPDR-35. The error appeared to be a typo on the unit price and was not carried onto the item subtotal or the bid total price. We recommend proceeding with KE&G as the contractor for this project, contingent upon final legal and administrative review and approval.

Please let us know if further clarification or documentation is required.

Thank you,

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