



Via Regular US Mail

10/4/2024

Tia Warner, Deputy City Clerk
City of LaBelle
481 West Hickpochee Avenue
LaBelle, FL 33935

Re: Review of Bids
City of LaBelle, FL for the Citrus Street Wastewater Treatment Plant Upgrades

Dear Ms. Warner:

Bids for the subject Project were opened on July 19, 2024, 2:00 PM at 481 West Hickpochee Avenue, LaBelle, FL 33935. We have completed our post bid evaluation for the above referenced project and items generated as part of the post bid processing effort are attached.

Our review included a tabulation of the Bids received, a check of the required Bid submissions, an arithmetic check of the Bids and a reference check for the apparent low Bidder.

Four Bids were received for the Project. The lowest Bid was submitted by US Water Services Corporation (US Water) of Lehigh Acres, FL with a Bid of \$2,966,753.30 (Base Bid \$2,938,489.30 (corrected) plus Alternate A \$28,264.00). The Bid Summary, Tabulation of Bids received, and Bid Package submitted by US Water are included in Attachments 1, 2, and 3 respectively. All required forms and certifications were submitted along with the Bid Form as required and the Bid complies with the Bidding Requirements.

Woodard & Curran contacted several references from the submitted project list and was successful at receiving references from five project contacts. Woodard & Curran received feedback from the following references:

- Stefano Ceriana, City of Casselberry, FL; Sausalito FM Replacement Project
- Teresa Irby-Butler, FGUA; General Reference
- Junos Reed, City of Port Orange; Herbert & Nova MLS Rehabilitation
- Scott Trigg, Saint Johns County BOCC; Lift Station Improvements for Fish Island, Bartram Oaks, and Bermuda Run
- Dave Watson, Charlotte County; Lift Station 815 Rehabilitation



Feedback from references submitted by the Bidder was acceptable and generally positive. Stefano Ceriana with the City of Casselberry, FL stated the quality of work by US Water was very good, the relationships and communication with owner, engineer, and subcontractor were also good. There were four change orders but all reasonable. Teresa Irby-Butler from FGUA states US Water is on time, generally on budget, and hard working. Junos Reed with the City of Port Orange called the quality of work "good" and that they would absolutely recommend US Water. There were two change orders but they were both owner-initiated. Scott Trigg of Saint Johns County BOCC reported the work of US Water to be good. He had no issues with their paperwork, communications, and there were no change orders. Lastly, Dave Watson of Charlotte County stated he was "very happy with the final product" and would recommend US Water for similar work.

In summary, t US Water appears to be the lowest qualified, responsive, and eligible Bidder. with a Bid of **\$2,966,753.30 (Base Bid plus Alternate A)**. Their Bid was accompanied by the required Bid Form, the Bid Bond and acknowledged all Addenda.

In general, the references received indicate US Water has the ability to perform the Work for the LaBelle WWTF Emergency Upgrades. If the City intends to award the contract to US Water, at this time, the City should copy the attached Notice of Intent to Award onto its letterhead, date, insert name, sign and return a scanned PDF version to W&C. A proposed Notice of Award is also included that will be needed to transmit the conformed Agreement to US Water for execution if the City approves the bonds and insurance and approves the award.

Please review the information provided herein and let us know of the City's decision on award of this Project at your earliest convenience. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me at 401.484.8970.

Sincerely,

Woodard & Curran, Inc.

Amanda Boone, P.E.
Project Manager 2

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Attachments: Bid Opening Checklist
Tabulation of Bids
Bid Package submitted by US Water
Contractor References
Notice of Intent to Award
Draft Notice of Award

PN: 0234532.17



ATTACHMENT 1: BID OPENING CHECKLIST

BID OPENING CHECKLIST
City of LaBelle, FL

CONTRACT NO.	0234532.04 / 0234532.17	DATE:	July 19, 2024
CONTRACT NAME:	LaBelle WWTF Emergency Upgrades	BID OPENING TIME:	2:00 PM

DO NOT OPEN BIDS THAT ARE NOT SUBMITTED ON TIME OR BIDDER DID NOT ATTEND MANDATORY PRE-BID CONFERENCE IF REQUIRED.

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION IS READ ALOUD.

	BIDDER NAME	TOTAL BASE BID PRICE (PER 004101 BID FORM PAGE 3)	TOTAL ALTERNATE 1 BID PRICE (PER 004101 BID FORM PAGE 3)	BID SECURITY Provided (Bond or check) (Yes/No)	2 Addendum issued ADDENDA Acknowledged in Bid Form (Yes/No) (page 004101-2)
1	Razorback LLC	\$4,279,694.00	\$41,360.00	Bond - Yes	Yes
2	US Water Services Corporation	\$2,938,489.30	\$28,264.00	Bond - Yes	Yes
3	PWC Joint Venture LLC	\$3,321,290.00	\$90,000.00	Bond - Yes	Yes
4	Lawrence Lee Construction Services, Inc.	\$2,965,000.00	\$125,000.00	Bond - Yes	Yes
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Opened by:

Amanda C. Boone, PE, Project Manager, Woodard & Curran
Name, Title:

Witness:

Tijauna Warner, Deputy City Clerk, City of LaBelle
Name, Title:

ATTACHMENT 2: TABULATION OF BIDS



WOODARD & CURRAN, INC.

LABELLE, FL

WWTF EMERGENCY REPAIRS

Bid Summary

Bid Opening Date: July 19, 2024

	<u>Contractor</u>	<u>BASE Bid Price</u>	<u>ALTERNATE # Bid Price</u>
1	Razorback LLC	\$ 4,279,694.00	\$ 41,360.00
2	US Water Services Corporation	\$ 2,938,489.30	\$ 28,264.00
		Bid Price Corrected	
3	PWC Joint Venture LLC	\$ 3,321,290.00	\$ 90,000.00
4	Lawrence Lee Construction Services, Inc.	\$ 2,965,000.00	\$ 125,000.00
	Notes: See Tabulation of Unit Prices		

WOODARD & CURRAN, INC.
 LABELLE, FL
 WWTF EMERGENCY REPAIRS
 BASE BID
 Tabulation of Unit Prices
 Bid Opening Date: July 19, 2024

Item No.	Description	Unit	Estimated Quantity	Razorback LLC		US Water Services Corporation		PWC Joint Venture LLC		Lawrence Lee Construction Services, Inc.	
				Unit Bid Price	Total Bid Price	Unit Bid Price	Total Bid Price	Unit Bid Price	Total Bid Price	Unit Bid Price	Total Bid Price
1	Mobilization	LS	1	\$ 400,000.00	\$ 400,000.00	\$ 84,750.00	\$ 84,750.00	\$ 150,000.00	\$ 150,000.00	\$ 250,000.00	\$ 250,000.00
2	WWTF Emergency Upgrades	LS	1	\$ 3,392,694.00	\$ 3,392,694.00	\$ 2,630,111.30	\$ 2,630,111.30	\$ 3,039,040.00	\$ 3,039,040.00	\$ 2,544,000.00	\$ 2,544,000.00
3	Excavation of Unsuitable Materials	CY	250	\$ 396.00	\$ 99,000.00	\$ 43.60	\$ 10,900.00	\$ 20.00	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 40.00	\$ 10,000.00
4	Select Backfill	CY	250	\$ 808.00	\$ 202,000.00	\$ 118.30	\$ 29,575.00	\$ 85.00	\$ 21,250.00	\$ 32.00	\$ 8,000.00
5	Test Pits	EA	5	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 15,000.00	\$ 4,876.20	\$ 24,381.00	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 7,500.00	\$ 1,200.00	\$ 6,000.00
6	Owner's Contingency Allowance for Testing	NTE	1	\$ 20,000.00	\$ 20,000.00	\$ 20,000.00	\$ 20,000.00	\$ 20,000.00	\$ 20,000.00	\$ 20,000.00	\$ 20,000.00
7	Type A - Shallow Concrete Spall Repair	SF	200	\$ 300.00	\$ 60,000.00	\$ 130.78	\$ 26,156.00	\$ 95.00	\$ 19,000.00	\$ 165.00	\$ 33,000.00
8	Type B - Deep Concrete Spall Repair	SF	100	\$ 400.00	\$ 40,000.00	\$ 373.80	\$ 37,380.00	\$ 100.00	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 300.00	\$ 30,000.00
9	Type C - Concrete Route & Seal Crack Repair	LF	100	\$ 120.00	\$ 12,000.00	\$ 226.18	\$ 22,618.00	\$ 95.00	\$ 9,500.00	\$ 250.00	\$ 25,000.00
10	Type D - Polyurethane Crack Injection Repair	LF	100	\$ 90.00	\$ 9,000.00	\$ 226.18	\$ 22,618.00	\$ 100.00	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 90.00	\$ 9,000.00
11	Owner's Contingency Allowance for Influent Bypass(Temporary Pumping)	NTE	1	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 10,000.00
12	Owner's Contingency Allowance for Electrical Bypass (Temporary Generator)	NTE	1	\$ 20,000.00	\$ 20,000.00	\$ 20,000.00	\$ 20,000.00	\$ 20,000.00	\$ 20,000.00	\$ 20,000.00	\$ 20,000.00
Bid Price				\$ 4,279,694.00		\$ 2,938,489.30		\$ 3,321,290.00		\$ 2,965,000.00	

Notes:

Bid Total corrected. See below.
ITEM 4 Error: Unit Bid Price (\$118.30) multiplied by Estimated Quantity (250) does not equal Total Bid Price (\$29,575.76). Should be 118.30 * 250 = 29,575.00
 Error: Total Base Bid

WOODARD & CURRAN, INC.
 LABELLE, FL
 WWTF EMERGENCY REPAIRS
 ALTERNATE 1
 Tabulation of Unit Prices
 Bid Opening Date: July 19, 2024

Item No.	Description	Unit	Estimated Quantity	Razorback LLC		US Water Services Corporation		PWC Joint Venture LLC		Lawrence Lee Construction Services, Inc.	
				Unit Bid Price	Total Bid Price	Unit Bid Price	Total Bid Price	Unit Bid Price	Total Bid Price	Unit Bid Price	Total Bid Price
1	Equalization Pump and Blower Pad Canopy	LS	1	\$ 41,360.00	\$ 41,360.00	\$ 28,264.00	\$ 28,264.00	\$ 90,000.00	\$ 90,000.00	\$ 125,000.00	\$ 125,000.00
Bid Price				\$ 41,360.00		\$ 28,264.00		\$ 90,000.00		\$ 125,000.00	

ATTACHMENT 3: US WATER BID PACKAGE



SECTION 00 41 01

BID FORM

ARTICLE 1 – DEFINED TERMS

- 1.01 The terms used in this Bid with initial capital letters have the meanings stated in the Instructions to Bidders, the General Conditions and Supplementary Conditions, if any.

ARTICLE 2 – BID RECIPIENT

- 2.01 This Bid is submitted to:

**Attn: Gary Hull, Superintendent of Public Works
City of LaBelle, FL
481 West Hickpochee Avenue
LaBelle, FL 33935**

- 2.02 The undersigned Bidder proposes and agrees, if this Bid is accepted, to enter into an Agreement with Owner in the form included in the Bidding Documents to perform all Work as specified or indicated in the Bidding Documents for the prices and within the times indicated in this Bid and in accordance with the other terms and conditions of the Bidding Documents.

ARTICLE 3 – BIDDER'S ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

- 3.01 Bidder accepts all of the terms and conditions of the Bidding Documents including, without limitation:
- A. those dealing with disposition of Bid security;
 - B. those included in the Supplementary Instructions to Bidders;
 - C. insurance and bonding requirements (Payment Bond and Performance Bond each equal to 100% of the total Contract Price) set forth in the General Conditions and Supplementary Conditions, if any;
 - D. Contract Times as set forth in the Agreement; and
 - E. provisions for liquidated damages as set forth in the Agreement.
- 3.02 This Bid will remain subject to acceptance for 90 days after the Bid opening or for such longer period of time that Bidder may agree to in writing upon request of Owner.

3.03 Bidder acknowledges receipt of the following Addenda.

<u>Addendum No.</u>	<u>Addendum Date</u>
1	7/1/2024
2	7/12/2024

3.04 Bidder acknowledges the representations and certifications included in Section 00 45 05 are made a condition of the Bid.

ARTICLE 4 – BASIS OF BID

4.01 Bidder will complete the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents for the following price(s). The method for determining award is as set forth in Section 00 21 13. **Bidder must complete all items.**

BID PRICES SHALL INCLUDE SALES AND USE TAX.

BASE BID

Item No.	Description	Estimated Quantity	Unit	Unit Bid Price	Total Bid Price
1	Mobilization	1	LS	\$84,750.00	\$84,750.00
2	WWTF Emergency Upgrades	1	LS	\$2,630,111.30	\$2,630,111.30
3	Excavation of Unsuitable Materials	250	CY	\$43.60	\$10,900.00
4	Select Backfill	250	CY	\$118.30	\$29,575.76
5	Test Pits	5	EA	\$4,876.20	\$24,381.00
6	Owner’s Contingency Allowance for Testing	1	NTE	\$20,000.00	\$20,000.00
7	Type A – Shallow Concrete Spall Repair	200	SF	\$130.78	\$26,156.00
8	Type B – Deep Concrete Spall Repair	100	SF	\$373.80	\$37,380.00
9	Type C – Concrete Route & Seal Crack Repair	100	LF	\$226.18	\$22,618.00
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11	Owner’s Contingency Allowance for Influent Bypass (Temporary Pumping)	1	NTE	\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00
12	Owner’s Contingency Allowance for Electrical Bypass (Temporary Generator)	1	NTE	\$20,000.00	\$20,000.00

TOTAL BASE BID PRICE (based on Unit Price Schedule above and excluding Alternates)

Two million nine hundred thirty-eight thousand

four hundred ninety _____ Dollars and

six _____ Cents

\$ 2,938,490.06

(Use words)

(Use figures)

- 4.02 Unit Prices have been computed in accordance with Paragraph 11.03.A of the General Conditions and Supplementary Conditions, if any.
- 4.03 Bidder acknowledges that estimated quantities are not guaranteed, and are solely for the purpose of comparison of Bids, and final payment for unit price items will be based on actual quantities determined and based on the unit prices included above, as provided in the General Conditions and Supplementary Conditions, if any.
- 4.04 Owner's Contingency Allowances are per Paragraph 11.02 of the General Conditions.

ALTERNATES (IF AWARDED BY OWNER)

BID PRICES FOR ALTERNATES SHALL INCLUDE SALES AND USE TAX.

ALTERNATE A BID PRICE: all Work for Equalization Pump and Blower Pad Canopy

ADD

Twenty-eight thousand two hundred sixty-four _____ Dollars and _____ zero _____ Cents

\$ 28,264.00

(Use words)

(Use figures)

ARTICLE 5 – TIME OF COMPLETION

- 5.01 Bidder agrees that the Work will be substantially complete and will be completed and ready for final payment in accordance with Paragraph 14.07 of the General Conditions and Supplementary Conditions, if any, on or before the dates or within the number of calendar days indicated in the Agreement.
- 5.02 Bidder accepts the provisions of the Agreement as to liquidated damages.

ARTICLE 6 – ATTACHMENTS TO THIS BID

6.01 The following documents are fully completed, submitted with and made a part of and a condition of this Bid.

00 43 13 Bid Bond

OR

Required Bid security in the form of _____

Supplements

00 43 37 Proposed Suppliers Form

00 43 40 Information, Schedules and Data

00 45 05 Bidder's Representations and Certifications **including required documents and submittals specified**

00 45 13 Bidder's Qualifications

00 45 19 Non-collusion Affidavit

ARTICLE 7 – COMMUNICATIONS WITH BIDDER

7.02 Communications concerning this Bid shall be addressed to:

Name	Natalie Harvey
Title	Assistant Project Manager
Business Address	5605 2nd St W
	Lehigh Acres, FL 33971
Telephone No.	239-209-9805
Facsimile No.	
Email address	NHARVEY@USWATERCORP.NET

ARTICLE 8 – BID SUBMITTAL

SUBMITTED ON:	July 19, 2024
EIN/FEIN:	20-0008821

8.01 This Bid is submitted by:

A Corporation

Corporation Name: U.S. Water Services Corporation

State of incorporation: Florida

Type: Underground Construction

(General Business, Professional, Service, other)

By: _____

(Signature – attach evidence of authority to sign)

Name (typed or printed): Gary Deremer

Title: President



Attest: _____

(Signature of Corporate Secretary)

Business Address: 4939 Cross Bayou Blvd.,

New Port Richey FL 34652

Phone & Facsimile Nos: 727-848-8292 / 727-842-6412

Email address: CCREGO@USWATERCORP.NET

Date of qualification to do business as out-of-state corporation: _____

A Limited Liability Company (LLC)

LLC Name: _____

State in which organized: _____

By: _____
(Signature – attach evidence of authority to sign)

Name *(typed or printed)*: _____

Title: _____

Business Address: _____

Phone & Facsimile Nos: _____

Email address: _____

A Joint Venture

First Joint Venturer Name: _____

By: _____
(Signature – attach evidence of authority to sign)

Name *(typed or printed)*: _____

Title: _____

Business Address: _____

Phone & Facsimile Nos: _____

Email address: _____

Second Joint Venturer Name: _____

By: _____
(Signature – attach evidence of authority to sign)

Name (typed or printed): _____

Title: _____

Business Address: _____

Phone & Facsimile Nos: _____

Email address: _____

(Each joint venturer must sign. The manner of signing for each individual, partnership, corporation and limited liability company that is a party to the joint venture should be in the manner indicated above.)

A Partnership

Partnership Name: _____ (SEAL)

By: _____
(Signature of general partner – attach evidence of authority to sign)

Name (typed or printed): _____

Business Address: _____

Phone & Facsimile Nos: _____

Email address: _____

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City of LaBelle, FL

An Individual

Name (*typed or printed*): _____

By: _____
(*Individual's signature*)

Doing business as: _____

Business Address: _____

Phone & Facsimile Nos: _____

Email address: _____

END OF SECTION

BID BOND

Any singular reference to Bidder, Surety, Owner or other party shall be considered plural where applicable.

BIDDER (Name and Address):

U. S. Water Services Corporation
4939 Cross Bayou Blvd., New Port Richey, FL 34652

SURETY (Name and Address of Principal Place of Business):

Swiss Re Corporate Solutions America Insurance Corporation
1200 Main Street, Suite 800, Kansas City, MO 64105

OWNER (Name and Address):

City of Labelle
481 West Hickpochee Avenue, Labelle, FL 33935

BID

Bid Due Date: July 19, 2024

Description (Project Name and Include Location): City of Labelle, FL WWTF Emergency Upgrades

BOND

Bond Number: N/A

Date (Not earlier than Bid due date): July 19, 2024

Penal sum ** FIVE PERCENT OF AMOUNT BID ** \$ 5% of Bid
(Words) (Figures)

Surety and Bidder, intending to be legally bound hereby, subject to the terms set forth below, do each cause this Bid Bond to be duly executed by an authorized officer, agent, or representative.

BIDDER

U. S. Water Services Corporation (Seal)
Bidder's Name and Corporate Seal

By: _____
Signature

Gary Beremer
Print Name

President
Title

Attest: _____
Signature

Edward Mitchell
Secretary, VP
Title

SURETY

Swiss Re Corporate Solutions America (Seal)
Insurance Corporation
Surety's Name and Corporate Seal

By: _____
Signature (Attach Power of Attorney)

April L. Lively
Print Name

Attorney-in-Fact & FL Licensed Resident Agent
Title

Attest: _____
Signature

Allyson Foss Wing, Witness
Title



Note: Above addresses are to be used for giving any required notice. Provide execution by any additional parties, such as joint venturers, if necessary. Inquiries: (407) 834-0022

1. Bidder and Surety, jointly and severally, bind themselves, their heirs, executors, administrators, successors, and assigns to pay to Owner upon default of Bidder the penal sum set forth on the face of this Bond. Payment of the penal sum is the extent of Bidder's and Surety's liability. Recovery of such penal sum under the terms of this Bond shall be Owner's sole and exclusive remedy upon default of Bidder.
2. Default of Bidder shall occur upon the failure of Bidder to deliver within the time required by the Bidding Documents (or any extension thereof agreed to in writing by Owner) the executed Agreement required by the Bidding Documents and any performance and payment bonds required by the Bidding Documents.
3. This obligation shall be null and void if:
 - 3.1 Owner accepts Bidder's Bid and Bidder delivers within the time required by the Bidding Documents (or any extension thereof agreed to in writing by Owner) the executed Agreement required by the Bidding Documents and any performance and payment bonds required by the Bidding Documents, or
 - 3.2 All Bids are rejected by Owner, or
 - 3.3 Owner fails to issue a Notice of Award to Bidder within the time specified in the Bidding Documents (or any extension thereof agreed to in writing by Bidder and, if applicable, consented to by Surety when required by Paragraph 5 hereof).
4. Payment under this Bond will be due and payable upon default of Bidder and within 30 calendar days after receipt by Bidder and Surety of written notice of default from Owner, which notice will be given with reasonable promptness, identifying this Bond and the Project and including a statement of the amount due.
5. Surety waives notice of any and all defenses based on or arising out of any time extension to issue Notice of Award agreed to in writing by Owner and Bidder, provided that the total time for issuing Notice of Award including extensions shall not in the aggregate exceed 120 days from Bid due date without Surety's written consent.
6. No suit or action shall be commenced under this Bond prior to 30 calendar days after the notice of default required in Paragraph 4 above is received by Bidder and Surety and in no case later than one year after Bid due date.
7. Any suit or action under this Bond shall be commenced only in a court of competent jurisdiction located in the state in which the Project is located.
8. Notices required hereunder shall be in writing and sent to Bidder and Surety at their respective addresses shown on the face of this Bond. Such notices may be sent by personal delivery, commercial courier, or by United States Registered or Certified Mail, return receipt requested, postage pre-paid, and shall be deemed to be effective upon receipt by the party concerned.
9. Surety shall cause to be attached to this Bond a current and effective Power of Attorney evidencing the authority of the officer, agent, or representative who executed this Bond on behalf of Surety to execute, seal, and deliver such Bond and bind the Surety thereby.
10. This Bond is intended to conform to all applicable statutory requirements. Any applicable requirement of any applicable statute that has been omitted from this Bond shall be deemed to be included herein as if set forth at length. If any provision of this Bond conflicts with any applicable statute, then the provision of said statute shall govern and the remainder of this Bond that is not in conflict therewith shall continue in full force and effect.
11. The term "Bid" as used herein includes a Bid, offer, or proposal as applicable.

SWISS RE CORPORATE SOLUTIONS

SWISS RE CORPORATE SOLUTIONS AMERICA INSURANCE CORPORATION ("SRCSAIC")
SWISS RE CORPORATE SOLUTIONS PREMIER INSURANCE CORPORATION ("SRCSPIC")
WESTPORT INSURANCE CORPORATION ("WIC")

GENERAL POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, THAT SRCSAIC, a corporation duly organized and existing under laws of the State of Missouri, and having its principal office in the City of Kansas City, Missouri, and SRCSPIC, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Missouri and having its principal office in the City of Kansas City, Missouri, and WIC, organized under the laws of the State of Missouri, and having its principal office in the City of Kansas City, Missouri, each does hereby make, constitute and appoint:

BRYCE R. GUIGNARD, APRIL L. LIVELY, JENNIFER L. HINDLEY, MARGIE L. MORRIS, DEBORAH ANN DEFOE,
M. GARY FRANCIS, CHRISTINE MORTON, KELLY PHELAN, ALLYSON FOSS WING, DAVID TURCIOS,
WESLEY MATT ADCOCK and AMANDA JO HERSTINE JOINTLY OR SEVERALLY

Its true and lawful Attorney(s)-in-Fact, to make, execute, seal and deliver, for and on its behalf and as its act and deed, bonds or other writings obligatory in the nature of a bond on behalf of each of said Companies, as surety, on contracts of suretyship as are or may be required or permitted by law, regulation, contract or otherwise, provided that no bond or undertaking or contract or suretyship executed under this authority shall exceed the amount of:

TWO HUNDRED MILLION (\$200,000,000.00) DOLLARS

This Power of Attorney is granted and is signed by facsimile under and by the authority of the following Resolutions adopted by the Boards of Directors of both SRCSAIC and SRCSPIC at meetings duly called and held on the 18th of November 2021 and WIC by written consent of its Executive Committee dated July 18, 2011.

"RESOLVED, that any two of the President, any Managing Director, any Senior Vice President, any Vice President, the Secretary or any Assistant Secretary be, and each or any of them hereby is, authorized to execute a Power of Attorney qualifying the attorney named in the given Power of Attorney to execute on behalf of the Corporation bonds, undertakings and all contracts of surety, and that each or any of them hereby is authorized to attest to the execution of any such Power of Attorney and to attach therein the seal of the Corporation; and it is

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the signature of such officers and the seal of the Corporation may be affixed to any such Power of Attorney or to any certificate relating thereto by facsimile, and any such Power of Attorney or certificate bearing such facsimile signatures or facsimile seal shall be binding upon the Corporation when so affixed and in the future with regard to any bond, undertaking or contract of surety to which it is attached."



By Erik Janssens, Senior Vice President of SRCSAIC & Senior Vice President of SRCSPIC & Senior Vice President of WIC

By Gerald Jagrowski, Vice President of SRCSAIC & Vice President of SRCSPIC & Vice President of WIC



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, SRCSAIC, SRCSPIC, and WIC have caused their official seals to be hereunto affixed, and these presents to be signed by their authorized officers

this 28TH day of JUNE, 20 24

State of Illinois
County of Cook
Swiss Re Corporate Solutions America Insurance Corporation
Swiss Re Corporate Solutions Premier Insurance Corporation
Westport Insurance Corporation

On this 28TH day of JUNE, 20 24, before me, a Notary Public personally appeared Erik Janssens, Senior Vice President of SRCSAIC and Senior Vice President of SRCSPIC and Senior Vice President of WIC and Gerald Jagrowski, Vice President of SRCSAIC and Vice President of SRCSPIC and Vice President of WIC, personally known to me, who being by me duly sworn, acknowledged that they signed the above Power of Attorney as officers of and acknowledged said instrument to be the voluntary act and deed of their respective companies.

Karen M Szweda, Notary

I, Jeffrey Goldberg, the duly elected Senior Vice President and Assistant Secretary of SRCSAIC and SRCSPIC and WIC, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of a Power of Attorney given by said SRCSAIC and SRCSPIC and WIC, which is still in full force and effect. IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have set my hand and affixed the seals of the Companies this 19th day of July, 20 24.



Jeffrey Goldberg, Senior Vice President & Assistant Secretary of SRCSAIC and SRCSPIC and WIC

SECTION 00 43 37

PROPOSED SUPPLIERS FORM

The following Suppliers are proposed to furnish the identified products, material and equipment to be incorporated into the Work. Attach additional sheets, as necessary.

Name	Address	Product, Material, Equipment
Florida Aquastore	4722 NW Boca Raton Blvd.	Steel bolted tank
	Suite C102 Boca Raton, FL 33431	
Heartland Machine and Field Services Inc.	6309 E LANE	Pipe supports and concrete
	SEBRING, FL 33875	
BCI Technologies Inc.	13891 Jetport Loop, Unit #14	Control Panels and Instrumentation
	Fort Myers, FL. 33913	
MG Electrical Developers Inc.	6130 Neal Rd.	Electrical
	Ft. Myers, FL 33905	
EMMI Inc.	6115 31st St. East	Pumps and Blowers
	Bradenton, Florida USA 34203	
McDade Waterworks Inc.	6520 Harney Rd.	Pipes, valves, and fittings
	Tampa, FL 33610	

END OF SECTION

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SECTION 00 43 40

INFORMATION, SCHEDULES AND DATA

Bidder has submitted the following items with its Bid.

SCHEDULE

Provide a proposed Project Schedule based on a Notice to Proceed approximately 21 days after Bid opening, and a Substantial Completion and Final Completion as indicated in the Invitation to Bid. The schedule shall be presented in sufficient detail for the Owner to evaluate the Bidder's ability to perform the Work within the Contract Times and shall include:

- **milestones related to submittal schedules, procurement, construction, and checkout & functional testing; and**
- sequencing to limit impacts from construction.

WORK PLAN

Submit a narrative work plan describing the Bidder's approach to the successful execution of the Work to accommodate the proposed Project Schedule and provide for special requirements. Allow for review of submittals, coordination, and development of detailed construction sequencing and coordination; and compliance with special requirements.

Describe:

- how schedule progress will be measured and tracked;
- how the Schedule of Values and cash flow will be determined and how progress for payment will be determined; and
- how documents will be controlled to ensure the appropriate revision is used in design, procurement, and construction/installation.

CERTIFIED BY BIDDER ON: July 19, 2024	
By:	Gary Deremer, President
<i>Authorized person per Form for General Bid and Annex</i>	

END OF SECTION

July 19, 2024

Attn: Gary Hull, Superintendent of Public Works
City of LaBelle, FL
481 West Hickpochee Avenue
LaBelle, FL 33935

From: U.S. Water Services Corporation

Subject: SECTION 00 43 40 Schedule and Work Plan

Schedule

Please see Project Schedule attached.

Work Plan

1. How schedule progress will be measured and tracked?

US Water’s proposed work plan will incorporate a tight project schedule that includes critical path items and construction is underway on site while procurement of large lead time items is in progress. Schedule progress will be measured based on the completion of the 4 major milestones including: lift station repairs, tank installation, blowers and pumps, and instrumentation and controls. US Water intends to hold on-site meetings with all stakeholders to discuss and track progress.

2. How the Schedule of Values and cash flow will be determined and how progress for payment will be determined?

US Water plans to produce progress payment forms once a month for the City as per the specifications. The payments will be based on the schedule of values and the percentage completed from the month prior.

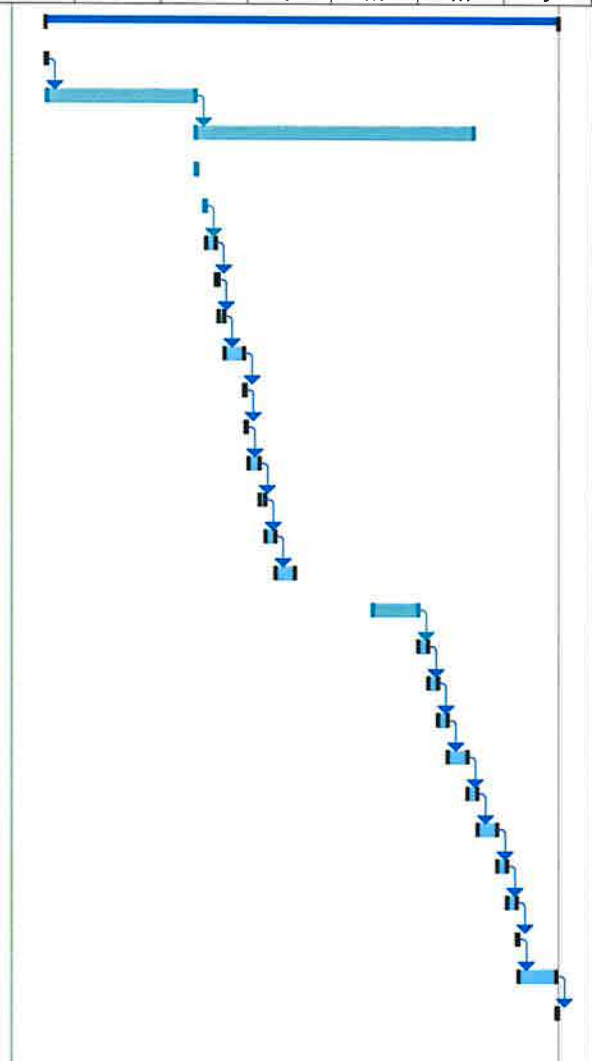
3. How documents will be controlled to ensure the appropriate revision is used in design, procurement, and construction/installation?

Per the specifications, documents will be dated and labeled according to the revision number. This indicates which documents supersede older versions. A submittal log sheet will be used to track and organize submittal revisions. Any change orders and RFIs will be produced on forms provided in the specifications.



**City of Labelle
WWTP Emergency Upgrades Bid
Project Schedule**

ID	Task Name	Duration	Start	Finish	Half 2, 2024			Half 1, 2025			Half 2, 2025
					J	S	N	J	M	M	J
1	City of Labelle WWTP Emergency Upgrades	362 days	Mon 8/12/24	Fri 8/8/25							
2	Limited Notice to Proceed	1 day	Mon 8/12/24	Mon 8/12/24							
3	Submittals	105 days	Tue 8/13/24	Mon 11/25/24							
4	Procure Material	196 days	Tue 11/26/24	Mon 6/9/25							
5	Notice to Proceed	1 day	Tue 11/26/24	Tue 11/26/24							
6	Preconstruction Video	1 day	Mon 12/2/24	Mon 12/2/24							
7	Mobilization	7 days	Tue 12/3/24	Mon 12/9/24							
8	Stake Out and Survey	2 days	Tue 12/10/24	Wed 12/11/24							
9	Bypass lift station	4 days	Thu 12/12/24	Sun 12/15/24							
10	Concrete repairs to lift station wetwell	14 days	Mon 12/16/24	Sun 12/29/24							
11	Install new lift station pumps	1 day	Mon 12/30/24	Mon 12/30/24							
12	Remove bypass pump	1 day	Tue 12/31/24	Tue 12/31/24							
13	Demo area for tank	8 days	Thu 1/2/25	Thu 1/9/25							
14	Demo 4" PVC	4 days	Fri 1/10/25	Mon 1/13/25							
15	Site prep	7 days	Tue 1/14/25	Mon 1/20/25							
16	Density and soil testing	14 days	Tue 1/21/25	Mon 2/3/25							
17	Install steel bolted tank	32 days	Mon 3/31/25	Thu 5/1/25							
18	Install blower and pump pad	7 days	Fri 5/2/25	Thu 5/8/25							
19	Install blowers and pumps	7 days	Fri 5/9/25	Thu 5/15/25							
20	Install diffusers in tank	7 days	Fri 5/16/25	Thu 5/22/25							
21	Install all pipe supports	14 days	Fri 5/23/25	Thu 6/5/25							
22	Install pipes from tank to the lift station	7 days	Fri 6/6/25	Thu 6/12/25							
23	Instrumentation and controls	14 days	Fri 6/13/25	Thu 6/26/25							
24	Start up and testing	7 days	Fri 6/27/25	Thu 7/3/25							
25	Restoration	7 days	Fri 7/4/25	Thu 7/10/25							
26	Substantial Completion	1 day	Fri 7/11/25	Fri 7/11/25							
27	Punch List	27 days	Sat 7/12/25	Thu 8/7/25							
28	Final Completion	1 day	Fri 8/8/25	Fri 8/8/25							
29											



Task		Inactive Task		Manual Summary Rollup		External Milestone	
Split		Inactive Milestone		Manual Summary		Deadline	
Milestone		Inactive Summary		Start-only		Progress	
Summary		Manual Task		Finish-only		Manual Progress	
Project Summary		Duration-only		External Tasks			

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SECTION 00 45 05

BIDDER'S REPRESENTATIONS AND CERTIFICATIONS

The undersigned, under the penalties of perjury, represents and certifies the following which is made a condition of the Bid.

1.01 BIDDER'S REPRESENTATIONS

- A. Bidder has examined and carefully studied the Bidding Documents and other related data identified in the Bidding Documents.
- B. Bidder has visited the Site and become familiar with and is satisfied as to the general, local, and Site conditions that may affect cost, progress, and performance of the Work.
- C. Bidder is familiar with and is satisfied as to all Laws and Regulations that may affect cost, progress, and performance of the Work.
- D. Bidder has carefully studied all: (1) reports of explorations and tests of subsurface conditions at or contiguous to the Site and all drawings of physical conditions relating to existing surface or subsurface structures at the Site (except Underground Facilities) that have been identified in Section 00 73 10 of the Supplementary Conditions Paragraph 4.02 as containing reliable "technical data," and (2) reports and drawings of Hazardous Environmental Conditions, if any, at the Site that have been identified in Section 00 73 10 of the Supplementary Conditions Paragraph 4.06 as containing reliable "technical data."
- E. Bidder has considered the information known to Bidder; information and observations obtained from visits to the Site; the Bidding Documents; and the Site-related reports and drawings identified in the Bidding Documents, with respect to the effect of such information, observations, and documents on (1) the cost, progress, and performance of the Work; (2) the means, methods, techniques, sequences, and procedures of construction to be employed by Bidder, including applying the specific means, methods, techniques, sequences, and procedures of construction expressly required by the Bidding Documents; and (3) Bidder's safety precautions and programs.
- F. Based on the information and observations referred to in Paragraph E above, Bidder does not consider that further examinations, investigations, explorations, tests, studies, or data are necessary for the determination of the Bid for performance of the Work at the price(s) bid and within the times required, and in accordance with the other terms and conditions of the Bidding Documents.

- G. Bidder is aware of the general nature of work to be performed by Owner and others at the Site that relates to the Work as indicated in the Bidding Documents.
- H. Bidder has given Engineer written notice of all conflicts, errors, ambiguities, or discrepancies that Bidder has discovered in the Bidding Documents, and the written resolution thereof by Engineer is acceptable to Bidder.
- I. The Bidding Documents are generally sufficient to indicate and convey understanding of all terms and conditions for the performance of the Work for which the Bid is submitted.

1.02 BIDDER'S CERTIFICATIONS

- A. The Bid is genuine and not made in the interest of or on behalf of any undisclosed individual or entity and is not submitted in conformity with any collusive agreement or rules of any group, association, organization, or corporation.
- B. Bidder has not directly or indirectly induced or solicited any other Bidder to submit a false or sham Bid and has not solicited or induced any individual or entity to refrain from bidding.
- C. Bidder has not engaged in corrupt, fraudulent, collusive, or coercive practices in competing for the Contract. For the purposes of this Paragraph:
 - 1. "corrupt practice" means the offering, giving, receiving, or soliciting of anything of value likely to influence the action of a public official in the bidding process;
 - 2. "fraudulent practice" means an intentional misrepresentation of facts made (a) to influence the bidding process to the detriment of Owner, (b) to establish Bid prices at artificial non-competitive levels, or (c) to deprive Owner of the benefits of free and open competition;
 - 3. "collusive practice" means a scheme or arrangement between two or more Bidders, with or without the knowledge of Owner, a purpose of which is to establish Bid prices at artificial, non-competitive levels; and
 - 4. "coercive practice" means harming or threatening to harm, directly or indirectly, persons or their property to influence their participation in the bidding process or affect the execution of the Contract.
- D. Bidder will comply with the requirements of the Contract Documents, and if Bidder is awarded a Contract, agrees to incorporate applicable provisions into all subcontracts and Purchase Orders so that such provisions will be binding upon each Subcontractor or Supplier, including as a minimum, Statutory Requirements, safety and health regulations; and Wage Rate Requirements.

1.03 STATUTORY CERTIFICATIONS

- A. Bidder has not been found guilty by a court of any violation of federal labor or employment tax laws regarding subjects such as safety, tax withholding, workers' compensation, reemployment assistance or unemployment tax, social security and Medicare tax, wage or hour, or prevailing rate laws within the past 5 years pursuant to Section 255.20 Florida Statutes, and is therefore, eligible to Bid pursuant to Section 255.20 Florida Statutes.
- B. If the Bid is \$1,000,000 or more, Bidder is not on either the Scrutinized Companies with Activities in Sudan List or the Scrutinized Companies with Activities in the Iran Petroleum Energy Sector List, created pursuant to Section 215.473, Florida Statutes, and is not on the Scrutinized Companies that Boycott Israel List, created pursuant to Section 215.4725, Florida Statutes, (effective October 1, 2016) or is not engaged in a boycott of Israel (effective October 1, 2016) or is not engaged in business operations in Cuba or Syria, and is therefore is eligible to Bid, pursuant to Section 287.135, Florida Statutes.
- C. Bidder has not been placed on the convicted vendor list, has submitted the Affidavit on Public Entity Crimes included as an attachment to this Section, and therefore is eligible to Bid pursuant to Section 287.133, Florida Statutes.
- D. Bidder has not been placed on the discriminatory vendor list, and therefore is eligible to Bid pursuant to Section 287.134, Florida Statutes.
- A. If awarded a Contract, Bidder agrees to utilize the U.S. Department of Homeland Security's E-Verify Systems to verify the employment eligibility of all persons employed during the term of the Contract.
- E. Pursuant to Chapter 112 Florida Statutes, Bidder has disclosed with their Bid the name of any officer, director, agent, or shareholder who is also an employee of the Owner and the name of any employee of the Owner who owns, directly or indirectly, an interest of 5 percent or more in the Bidder's firm or any of its branches.
- F. Bidder has implemented a drug-free workplace program. Yes No

1.04 BIDDER'S CERTIFICATIONS REQUIRED BY FEDERAL LAW (FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION (FDEP) GRANT)

- A. Bidder will comply with requirements for use of *minority businesses, women's business enterprises, and labor surplus* per 2 CFR Part 200 Subpart D §200.321 and will take affirmative steps to assure firms are used when possible.

- B. Bidder will provide *preference for the purchase, acquisition, or use of goods, products, or materials produced in the United States* (including but not limited to iron, aluminum, steel, cement, and other manufactured products) per 2 CFR Part 200 Subpart D §200.322 and will comply with 2 CFR Part 200 Subpart D §200.323, *Procurement of recovered materials*, as applicable, which covers compliance with section 6002 of the Solid Waste Disposal Act, as amended by the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act.
- C. Bidder will provide *access to records* by Federal government representatives per 2 CFR Part 200 Subpart D §200.337.
- D. Bidder will comply with requirements for *prohibition on certain telecommunications and video surveillance services or equipment* per 2 CFR Part 200 Subpart D §200.216.
- E. Bidder will comply with the requirements for *equal employment opportunity* per 41 CFR 60 and in accordance with Executive Order 11246 and has submitted the attached “Certificate of Non-Segregated Facilities” with its Bid.
- F. Bidder will comply with the requirements of the *Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act (40 U.S.C. 3701-3708)*, the *Davis-Bacon Act*, *Federal minimum wage rates and Copeland Anti-KickBack Act (40 USC 3145)*.
- G. Bidder will comply with the *Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. 7401-7671q.)* and the *Federal Water Pollution Control Act (33 U.S.C. 1251-1387)*, as amended
- H. Bidder is not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for disbarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any Federal department or agency or from receiving a contract with Federal financial assistance (see <https://www.dol.gov/agencies/ofccp/debarred-list>) and certifies it does not appear on the System for Award Management (SAM) at as a debarred entity (<https://sam.gov/content/home>).
- I. Bidder has disclosed its lobbying activities and submitted the attached “Certification for Contracts, Grants, and Loans” (no lobbying) OR “Standard Form LLL Disclosure of Lobbying Activities” (if applicable) with its Bid.

ATTACHMENTS

- A. Affidavit on Public Entity Crimes
- B. Certificate of Non-Segregated Facilities
- C. Certification for Contracts, Grants, and Loans (no lobbying) **OR**
- D. Standard Form LLL Disclosure of Lobbying Activities (if applicable)

SUBMITTED ON: July 19, 2024	
By:	Gary Deremer, President
<i>Authorized person per Bid Form</i>	

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AFFIDAVIT ON PUBLIC ENTITY CRIMES

(SWORN STATEMENT PURSUANT TO SECTION 287.133(3)(a), FLORIDA STATUTES)

THIS FORM MUST BE SIGNED AND SWORN TO IN THE PRESENCE OF A NOTARY PUBLIC OR OTHER OFFICIAL AUTHORIZED TO ADMINISTER OATHS.

1. This sworn statement is submitted to The City of LaBelle
by Gary Deremer, President
(Print individual's name and title)
for U.S. Water Services Corporation
(Print name of entity submitting sworn statement)
whose business address is 4939 Cross Bayou Blvd., New Port Richey FL 34652

and (if applicable) its Federal Employer Identification Number (FEIN) is
20-0008821 (If the entity has no FEIN, include the Social Security Number of
the individual signing this sworn
statement: _____).

2. I understand that a "public entity crime" as defined in Paragraph 287.133(1)(g), Florida Statutes, means a violation of any state or federal law by a person with respect to and directly related to the transaction of business with any public entity or with an agency or political subdivision of any other state or of the United States, including, but not limited to, any bid or contract for goods or services to be provided to any public entity or an agency or political subdivision of any other state or of the United States and involving antitrust, fraud, theft, bribery, collusion, racketeering, conspiracy, or material misrepresentation.
3. I understand that "convicted" or "conviction" as defined in Paragraph 287.133(1)(b), Florida Statutes, means a finding of guilt or a conviction of a public entity crime, with or without an adjudication of guilt, in any federal or state trial court of record relating to charges brought by indictment or information after July 1, 1989, as a result of a jury verdict, nonjury trial, or entry of a plea of guilty or nolo contendere.
4. I understand that an "affiliate" as defined in Paragraph 287.133(1)(a), Florida Statutes, means:
- A predecessor or successor of a person convicted of a public entity crime; or
 - An entity under the control of any natural person who is active in the management of the entity and who has been convicted of a public entity crime. The term "affiliate" includes those officers, directors, executives, partners, shareholders, employees, members, and agents who are active in the management of an affiliate. The

ownership by one person of shares constituting a controlling interest in another person, or a pooling of equipment or income among persons when not for fair market value under an arm's length agreement, shall be a prima facie case that one person controls another person. A person who knowingly enters into a joint venture with a person who has been convicted of a public entity crime in Florida during the preceding 36 months shall be considered an affiliate.

5. I understand that a "person" as defined in Paragraph 287.133(1)(e), Florida Statutes, means any natural person or entity organized under the laws of any state or of the United States with the legal power to enter into a binding contract and which bids or applies to bid on contracts for the provision of goods or services let by a public entity, or which otherwise transacts or applies to transact business with a public entity. The term "person" includes those officers, directors, executives, partners, shareholders, employees, members, and agents who are active in management of an entity.
6. Based on information and belief, the statement which I have marked below is true in relation to the entity submitting this sworn statement. **(Indicate which statement applies)**

Neither the entity submitting this sworn statement, nor any of its officers, directors, executives, partners, shareholders, employees, members, or agents who are active in the management of the entity, nor any affiliate of the entity has been charged with and convicted of a public entity crime subsequent to July 1, 1989.

The entity submitting this sworn statement, or one or more of its officers, directors, executives, partners, shareholders, employees, members, or agents who are active in the management of the entity, or an affiliate of the entity has been charged with and convicted of a public entity crime subsequent to July 1, 1989.

The entity submitting this sworn statement, or one or more of its officers, directors, executives, partners, shareholders, employees, members, or agents who are active in the management of the entity, or an affiliate of the entity has been charged with and convicted of a public entity crime subsequent to July 1, 1989. However, there has been a subsequent proceeding before a Hearing Officer of the State of Florida, Division of Administrative Hearings and the Final Order entered by the Hearing Officer determined that it was not in the public interest to place the entity submitting this sworn statement on the convicted vendor list. **(Attach a copy of the final order)**

I UNDERSTAND THAT THE SUBMISSION OF THIS FORM TO THE CONTRACTING OFFICER FOR THE PUBLIC ENTITY IDENTIFIED IN PARAGRAPH 1 (ONE) ABOVE IS FOR THAT PUBLIC ENTITY ONLY AND, THAT THIS FORM IS VALID THROUGH DECEMBER 31 OF THE CALENDAR YEAR IN WHICH IT IS FILED. I ALSO UNDERSTAND THAT I AM REQUIRED TO INFORM THE PUBLIC ENTITY PRIOR TO ENTERING INTO A CONTRACT IN EXCESS OF THE THRESHOLD AMOUNT PROVIDED IN SECTION

287.017, ~~FLORIDA STATUTES~~ FOR CATEGORY TWO OF ANY CHANGE IN THE INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THIS FORM.

(Signature)

July 19, 2024

(Date)

STATE OF Florida

COUNTY OF Pasco

PERSONALLY APPEARED BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority,
Gary Deremer who, after first being

(Name of individual signing

sworn by me, affixed his/her signature in the space provided above on this
19th day of July 2024, 2016.

Attest: Christina R. Crego
Notary Public

My commission expires: January 26, 2025

(Notary Seal)



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CERTIFICATE OF NON-SEGREGATED FACILITIES

We, U.S. Water Services Corporation (Company) certify that we do not and will not maintain or provide for our employees any segregated facilities at any of our establishments, and that we do not and will not permit our employees to perform their services at any location, under our control, where segregated facilities are maintained. We understand and agree that breach of this certification is a violation of Equal Opportunity clause required by Executive Order 11246, amended.

As used in this certification, the term "segregated facilities" means any waiting rooms, work areas, rest rooms and wash rooms, restaurants and other eating areas, time clocks, locker rooms and other storage or dressing areas, parking lots, drinking fountains, recreation or entertainment areas, transportation and housing facilities provided for employees which are segregated by explicit directive or are in fact segregated on the basis of race, creed, color, or national origin, because of habit, local custom or otherwise.

We further agree that (except where we have obtained identical certifications from proposed Subcontractors for specific time periods) we will obtain identical certifications from proposed Subcontractors prior to the award of subcontracts exceeding \$10,000 which are not exempt from the provisions of the Equal Opportunity clause; that we will retain such certification in our files; and that we will forward the following notice to such proposed Subcontractors (except where the proposed Subcontractors have submitted identical certifications for specific time periods).

NOTICE TO PROSPECTIVE SUBCONTRACTORS OF REQUIREMENT FOR CERTIFICATION OF NON-SEGREGATED FACILITIES. A certification of Non-segregated facilities as required by the 9 May 1967 order on Elimination of Segregated Facilities, by the Secretary of Labor (32 Fed. Reg. 7439, 19 May 1967), must be submitted from the provisions either for each subcontract or for all subcontracts during a period (i.e., quarterly, semi-annually, or annually).

NOTE: Whoever knowingly and willfully makes any false, fictitious or fraudulent representation may be liable to criminal prosecution under 18 U.S.C. 1001.

U.S. Water Services Corporation
(Name of Company)

By: _____

Title: Gary Deremer, President

Date: July 19, 2024

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CERTIFICATION FOR CONTRACTS, GRANTS AND LOANS

The undersigned certifies, to the best of his or her knowledge and belief, that:

1. No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the undersigned, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the awarding of any Federal contract, the making of any Federal grant or Federal loan, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal contract, grant or loan.

2. If any funds other than Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this Federal contract, grant or loan, the undersigned shall complete and submit Standard Form - LLL, "Disclosure of Lobbying Activities," in accordance with its instructions.

3. The undersigned shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subawards at all tiers (including contracts, subcontracts, and subgrants under grants and loans) and that all subrecipients shall certify and disclose accordingly.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by section 1352, title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$10,000 and not more than \$100,000 for each such failure.

U.S. Water Services Corporation

July 19, 2024

(name)

(date)

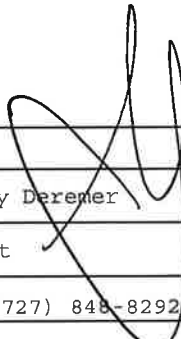
(title)

Gary Deremer, President

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DISCLOSURE OF LOBBYING ACTIVITIES

Complete this form to disclose lobbying activities pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 1352
(See Reverse for public burden disclosure.)

1. Type of Federal Action: <input type="checkbox"/> a. contract <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> b. grant <input type="checkbox"/> c. cooperative agreement <input type="checkbox"/> d. loan <input type="checkbox"/> e. loan guarantee <input type="checkbox"/> f. loan insurance	2. Status of Federal Action: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> a. bid/offer/application <input type="checkbox"/> b. initial award <input type="checkbox"/> c. post-award	3. Report Type: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> a. initial filing <input type="checkbox"/> b. material change For Material Change Only: year _____ quarter _____ date of last report _____
4. Name and Address of Reporting Entity: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Prime <input type="checkbox"/> Subawardee Tier _____, if known: U.S. Water Services Corporation 4939 Cross Bayou Blvd., New Port Richey FL 34652 Congressional District, If known:		5. If Reporting Entity in No. 4 is a Subawardee, Enter Name and Address of Prime: Congressional District, If known:
6. Federal Department/Agency: Florida Department of Environmental Protection (FDEP) Grant	7. Federal Program Name/Description: CFDA Number, if applicable:	
8. Federal Action Number, If known: LPA0313	9. Award Amount, If known: \$	
10. a. Name and Address of Lobbying Registrant <i>(If individual, last name, first name, MI):</i>	b. Individuals Performing Services <i>(Including address if different from No. 10a)</i> <i>(last name, first name, MI):</i> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div>	
11. Information requested through this form is authorized by title 31 U.S.C. section 1352. This disclosure of lobbying activities is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed by the tier above when this transaction was made or entered into. This disclosure is required pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 1352. This information will be reported to the Congress semi-annually and will be available for public inspection. Any person who fails to file the required disclosure shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$10,000 and not more than \$100,000 for each such failure.	Signature: _____ Print Name: Gary Dereemer Title: President Telephone No.: (727) 848-8292 Date: 07-19-2024	
Federal Use Only:		Authorized for Local Reproduction Standard Form LLL (Rev. 7-97)

INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETION OF SF-LLL, DISCLOSURE OF LOBBYING ACTIVITIES

This disclosure form shall be completed by the reporting entity, whether subawardee or prime Federal recipient, at the initiation or receipt of a covered Federal action, or a material change to a previous filing pursuant to title 31 U.S.C. section 1352. The filing of a form is required for each payment or agreement to make payment to any lobbying entity for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with a covered Federal action. Complete all items that apply for both the initial filing and material change report. Refer to the implementing guidance published by the Office of Management and Budget for additional information.

1. Identify the type of covered Federal action for which lobbying activity is and/or has been secured to influence the outcome of a covered Federal action.
2. Identify the status of the covered Federal action.
3. Identify the appropriate classification of this report. If this is a followup report caused by a material change to the information previously reported, enter the year and quarter in which the change occurred, Enter the date of the last previously submitted report by this reporting entity for this covered Federal action.
4. Enter the full name, address, city, State and zip code of the reporting entity. Include Congressional District, if known. Check the appropriate classification of the reporting entity that designates if it is, or expects to be a prime or subaward receipt. Identify the tier of the subawardee, e.g., the first subawardee of the prime is the 1st tier. Subawards include but are not limited to subcontracts, subgrants and contract awards under grants.
5. If the organization filing the report in item 4 checks "Subawardee," then enter the full name, address, city, State and zip code of the prime Federal recipient. Include Congressional District, if known.
6. Enter the name of the Federal agency making the award or loan commitment. Include at least one organizational level below agency name, if known. For example, Department of Transportation, United States Coast Guard.
7. Enter the Federal program name or description for the covered Federal action (Item 1). If known, enter the full Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) number for grants, cooperative agreements, loans and loan commitments.
8. Enter the most appropriate Federal identifying number available for the Federal action identified in Item 1 (e.g., Request for Proposal (RFP) number; Invitation for bid (IFB) number; grant announcement number; the contract, grant, or loan award number; the application/proposal control number assigned by the Federal agency). Include prefixes, e.g. "RFP-DE-90-001."
9. For a covered Federal action where there has been an award or loan commitment by the Federal agency, enter the Federal amount of the award/loan commitment for the prime entity identified in Item 4 or 5.
10. (a) Enter the full name, address, city, State and zip code of the lobbying registrant under the Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 engaged by the reporting entity identified in Item 4 to influence the covered Federal action.

(b) Enter the full names of the individual(s) performing services, and include full address if different from 10 (a). Enter Last Name, First Name and Middle Initial (MI).
11. Certifying official shall sign and date the form, print his/her name, title and telephone number.

According to the Paperwork Reduction Act, as amended, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB Control Number. The valid OMB control number for this information collection is OMB No. 0348-0046. Public reporting burden for this collection of information is estimated to average 10 minutes per response, including time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection of information. Send comments regarding the burden estimate or any other aspect of this collection of information, including suggestions for reducing this burden, to the Office of Management and Budget, Paperwork Reduction Project (0348-0046), Washington, DC 20503.

SECTION 00 45 13

BIDDER'S QUALIFICATIONS

The following data, statements of experience, personnel, equipment and general qualifications are submitted as a part of the Bid and the Bidder represents and guarantees the truthfulness and accuracy thereof and **its ability to meet the qualifications requirements specified in Section 01 43 05 and the Specifications**. Attach additional sheets as necessary properly cross referenced.

1.01 GENERAL

- A. Bidder's organization is a Florida Corporation
(entity type) and has been in business continuously from the year
2003.
- B. Bidder has operated under the same business name and organization structure for
the last 5 years on at least 5 projects yes no
- If no, indicate other business names: _____
- C. Bidder's organization has had experience in construction comparable to that
required by the Contract Documents as a prime contractor for 21+ years
and as a subcontractor for 21+ years.

1.02 BIDDER EXPERIENCE

- A. Identify at least 3 projects in Florida completed within the past 10 years **which are similar in type, character, physical size, and complexity to that required by the Contract Documents.**

Client/Owner Name/Address	Project Name/Location	CURRENT Contact Name, Phone, Email	Contract Value	Time Period
MacDill Airforce Base MacDill Airforce Bldg., 30 Tampa FL 33608	Reclaimed Water Storage Pond Expansion Design-Build	Richard Burnette 813-293-2998 Richard.Burnette@us.af.mil	1,466,192.00	Completed 01/2014
FGUA 280 Wekiva Springs Rd., Suite 2070 Longwood FL 32779	Hanger Loop - Gravity Sewer Rehabilitation	Richard Burnette 813-293-2998 Richard.Burnette@us.af.mil	2,798,497.70	Completed 07/20214
FGUA 280 Wekiva Springs Rd., Suite 2070 Longwood FL 32779	Lindrick WTP Chloramine Conversion Project	Robert Dickson, P.E. 407-629-6900 RDickson@govmserv.com	800,196.00	2/13/2012- 9/6/2014
FGUA 280 Wekiva Springs Rd., Suite 2070 Longwood FL 32779	Del Prado WWTF Improvements	Robert Dickson, P.E. 407-629-6900 RDickson@govmserv.com	10,880,000.00	7/29/2010- 3/17/2015
City of Tampa 3808 East 26th Ave. Tampa FL 33605	Wastewater Miscellaneous Pump Station Repairs	Michelle Mitchell 813-635-3417 michelle.mitchell@tampagov.net	537,635.13	1/8/2014- 3/31/2015
FGUA 280 Wekiva Springs Rd., Suite 2070 Longwood FL 32779	Golden Gate WWTP Digester Improvements	Robert Dickson, P.E. 407-629-6900 RDickson@govmserv.com	418,883.61	9/9/2014- 4/21/2015
City of Cape Coral PO Box 150027 Cape Coral FL 33915	Lift Station 126, 201, 205, 206, 207, 212, & 404 Collection System Improvements	Jody Sorrels 239-574-0831 Jsorrels@capecoral.net	1,283,074.35	9/20/2013- 12/31/2015
FGUA 280 Wekiva Springs Rd., Suite 2070 Longwood FL 32779	Northside MLS, MacDill AFB	Jim Gorry 813-293-2998 jgorry@govmserv.com	1,493,704.80	Completed 01/2016
FGUA 280 Wekiva Springs Rd., Suite 2070 Longwood FL 32779	MacDill AFB Gravity Upgrades Phase I	Jim Gorry 727-809-0914 jgorry@govmserv.com	2,419,020.00	Completed 02/26/2016
City of Tampa 3808 East 26th Ave. Tampa FL 33605	37th Street Pumping Station Improvements	Michelle Mitchell 813-635-3417 michele.mitchell@tampagov.net	560,488.21	4/8/2015- 6/20/2016

B. Identify at least at least 10 projects that included either or a combination of stormwater, water and sewerage utilities within public streets within the last 10 years.

Client/Owner Name/Address	Project Name/Location	CURRENT Contact Name, Phone, Email	Contract Value	Time Period
SJC BOCC 500 San Sebastian View St Augustine FL 32084	Lift Station Improvements Fish Island, Bartram Oaks & Bermuda Run	Leigh Daniels, CPPB 904-209-0150 JDaniels@sjcfl.us	409,342.71	8/29/2015-8/31/2016
Town of Lady Lake 136 Skyline Drive, Lady Lake FL 32159	WWTF No. 2 Aeration Improvements	C.T. Eagle, Sr 352-751-1526 cteagle@ladylakepw.org	566,460.99	6/22/2016-6/24/2017
City of Starke 209 N Thompson St., (PO Drawer C) Starke FL 32091	City of Starke Lift Station Upgrades	Tom Ernharth 904-964-5027 ternharth@cityofstarke.org	452,702.00	11/28/2016-6/25/2017
HC Waterworks, Inc. 4939 Cross Bayou Blvd., NPR FL 34652	HC WW Road Widening Project	Joe Gabay 727-848-8292 jgabay@uswatercorp.net	511,139.09	3/1/2017-10/31/2017
City of Winter Garden 300 West Plant Street, Winter Garden FL 34787	Lift Station No. 23 Improvements	Donald Cochran 407-656-4111 dcochran@wintergarden-fl.gov	411,449.38	5/12/2014-11/12/2014
Bocilla Island Club, Inc. 16757 Bocilla Palm Drive Bokeelia FL 33922	Bocilla Island WWTP Replacement	John G Haubenreich 239-283-1237 bocillaamgr@gmail.com	296,387.96	6/28/2017-12/11/2017
City of Cape Coral PO Box 150027 Cape Coral FL 33915	City of Cape Coral Refurbishment of Lift Station 106, 112, 114, 124, 214 & 304	Kathy Rose 239-574-0831 krose@capecoral.net	1,078,348.67	10/3/2016-3/22/2018
FGUA 280 Wekiva Springs Rd., Suite 2070 Longwood FL 32779	Dixie Groves WM Replacement	Robert Dickson, P.E. 407-629-6900 RDickson@govmserv.com	865,662.26	2/21/2017-7/25/2018
City of North Port 4970 City Hall Blvd., Suite 337 North Port FL 34286	City of North Port 2017 Lift Station Rehabilitation Project	Patsy Adkins 941-429-7064 padkins@cityofnorthport.com	974,250.97	3/19/2018-2/4/2019
FGUA 280 Wekiva Springs Rd., Suite 2070 Longwood FL 32779	MacDill AFB Headworks & Grit Removal System Replacement	Robert Dickson, P.E. 407-629-6900 RDickson@govmserv.com	1,203,927.00	2/13/2018-3/31/2019

- C. Identify at least 10 projects completed within the last 5 years that included sewage or stormwater and pumping with installed pumping capacity of at least 3 mgd.

Client/Owner Name/Address	Project Name/Location	CURRENT Contact Name, Phone, Email	Contract Value	Time Period
City of Wildwood 100 North Main Street Wildwood, FL 34785	Ashley Parcel Water Treatment Plant	Mark O'Dell 352-330-1346 MODell@wildwood-fl.gov	825,395.44	6/15/2015- 6/10/2016
Town of Cross City PO Box 417 (99 NE 210 Ave) Cross City FL 32628	Town of Cross City WWTP 2017 Wastewater Improvements CDGB	Mike Cassidy 352-598-3307 mcassidy@townofcrosscity.com	596,171.87	10/30/2017- 5/17/2019
Lee County BOCC 1500 Monroe Street Fort Myers FL 33901	Pine Island WWTP Effluent Pump Station Replacement	Diana Khan 239-553-8881 dkhan@leegov.com	437,159.59	10/15/2018- 5/28/2019
FGUA 280 Wekiva Springs Rd., Suite 2070 Longwood FL 32779	Seven Springs Wastewater Treatment Facility Improvements	Robert Dickson, P.E. 407-629-6900 RDickson@govmserv.com	2,105,835.28	11/10/2017- 6/25/2019
City of Wildwood 100 North Main Street Wildwood, FL 34785	WWTF Capacity Improvements Phase I	Mark O'Dell 352-330-1346 MODell@wildwood-fl.gov	913,917.36	1/22/2019- 1/27/2020
Charlotte County 18500 Murdock Circle, Suite 344 Port Charlotte, Florida 33948-1094	Lift Station 815 Rehabilitation	Kathy Lindback 941-743-1378 kathy.lindback@charlottecountyfl.gov	573,376.88	6/17/2019- 5/31/2020
FGUA 280 Wekiva Springs Rd., Suite 2070 Longwood FL 32779	Village Water WWTF Modifications	Robert Dickson, P.E. 407-629-6900 RDickson@govmserv.com	809,093.02	7/10/2020- 6/14/2021
Atwell, LLC Two Towne Square, Ste 700 Southfield, MI 48076	Water Oak Estates WTP	Ed Zebrowski 248-447-2000 bguettler@atwell-group.com	1,080,231.78	3/25/2022- 4/30/2023
City of Casselberry 95 Triplet Lake Drive, Casselberry, Florida 32707	PW 2007 Sausalito FM Replacement Project	Stefano Ceriana 407-917-5697 sceriana@chacompanies.com	1,710,432.20	6/27/2022- 2/22/2024
City of Port Orange 1000 City Center Circle Port Orange, FL 32129	Herbert & Nova MLS Rehabilitation	Joseph Castro 386-506-5717 jcastro@port-orange.org	1,176,848.25	3/13/2023- 6/6/2024

1.03 CURRENT LICENSES

A. Indicate Bidder and Subcontractor(s) current licenses including design professionals and surveyors.

Name	State	Type	License number
Jeffrey Gordon Hines	Florida	Engineer	PE36812
Mohammed Y Kader	Florida	Engineer	PE45129
Jerry E Weatherington	Florida	Electrician	EC13008873
Gary Andrew Deremer	Florida	Underground Utility	CUC1223914
Cecil R Delcher	Florida	General Contractor	CGC003307

1.04 PERSONNEL

- A. Identify supervisory personnel that are currently employed by the Bidder and available for assignment to the Project (project manager, superintendents, principal foremen and engineers).
 - 1. Identify full-time on-Site superintendent in responsible charge of the Work with at least 10 years' experience as superintendent on comparable projects.
 - 2. Identify project manager assigned full-time with at least 10 years' experience as project manager on comparable projects.

Name	Title	Years of Experience
Kenny Williams	Full time, on-Site Superintendent	30
Steve Stanton	Full time Project Manager assigned	25

- B. Attach detailed resumes of qualifications, previous employers and experience for each supervisory staff listed above.

STEVE STANTON

Project Manager

With over 25 years of experience, Mr. Stanton is the Regional Maintenance Manager overseeing the collections and distribution system maintenance and construction for over 70 clients. He oversees more than 30 personnel who provide maintenance and construction services to the water distribution, wastewater collection, and management of over 200 lift stations. His primary responsibilities are focused on providing maintenance, R&R, and assistance in capital planning for US Water's clients. Mr. Stanton is also a recognized expert in underground utility locating using advanced techniques and is well experienced in the operation of heavy equipment, excavation and trenching equipment. Mr. Stanton was awarded the Raymond Bordner Award by the FWPCOA in 2021 for systems operators in both distribution and collection with more than 10 years of experience whose outstanding personal performance is deserving of special recognition by the Board of Directors.

EXPERIENCE

Florida Governmental Utility Association (FGUA), Treatment Systems Across FGUA South Region, Maintenance and Construction Manager- Oversees nearly 25 maintenance personnel who provide maintenance services to the water distribution, wastewater collection, and management of over 200 lift stations. Also oversees large meter maintenance and the repair and replacement of water mains up to 30 inches in diameter. Acts as CMMS manager for the South FGUA systems, managing and monitoring the closure and completion of thousands of work orders annually. FGUA South Area Accomplishments include the following:

- Instrumental in managing assets during the Hurricane Irma (2017) and Hurricane Ian (2022) response including generators, by-pass pumps, water and force main repairs, establishing pressure zones to restore service to critical infrastructure immediately following the storm. Managed recovery projects in the weeks following the storm.
- Pivotal in the proper selection of replacement lift station pumps for the Lee Boulevard Lift stations to accommodate for the new headworks at the WWTP that inadvertently increased the operating pressures of the force main.

South Region US Water Construction Projects and Plant Builds, Project Director-

- Managed and greatly influenced the design and build of a brand new 20,000 gal/day wastewater treatment plant for Bocilla Island Club on Pine Island.
- Managed the successful completion of the Lee County Pine Island WWTP Effluent Pump Station Project
- Successfully completed numerous lift station rehabilitation projects for the City of Cape Coral, City of North Port, Collier County, Charlotte County, and Highlands County.



PROJECT ROLE

Project Manager

YEARS OF EXPERIENCE

25 (11 with US Water)

EXPERTISE

Water and wastewater facility operations & maintenance

Collection and distribution systems maintenance

CMMS management

Underground Utility location

Operation of heavy equipment, and excavation and trenching equipment

CERTIFICATIONS

Level 1 Water Distribution System License

Class A Wastewater Collection

Class A CDL License Holder

FDEP Stormwater Inspector

Certified Backflow Tester

Chlorine First Responder Technician

Permit Required Confined Space Entry Supervisor

KENNETH A. WILLIAMS

SUMMARY Thirty years of experience in the water and wastewater industry. Five years of experience as a Water/Wastewater Construction Project Manager, leading all aspects of project management and ensuring safety standards and procedures. Led teams of 5-15 people, including subcontractors, through new construction, repairs, and upgrades.

EXPERIENCE **ROOTS PROPERTY MANAGEMENT**
Managed water and wastewater construction projects valued up to \$15M.
Effectively negotiated contracts for water and wastewater.
Identified and coordinated design changes and necessary upgrades at facilities.

CITY OF BUSHNELL
Coordinated multiple construction projects and repairs within City budget.
Inspected new construction.
Developed operation and maintenance plans
Managed consent orders.

JOB HISTORY **OWNER, PURIFIED WATER SERVICES, LLC**
March 2015 – Present
I provide project management services for water/wastewater construction and water/wastewater operations, as well as consulting for facility owners.

TECHNICAL DEVELOPMENT MANAGER, THE DUMONT COMPANY, INC
February 2009 – March 2015
Managed sales, customer service, marketing, and technical support for water, wastewater, and aquatic facilities for all product lines.

STATE WATER CIRCUIT RIDER, FLORIDA RURAL WATER ASSOCIATION
June 2004 – January 2009
Provided technical assistance to water treatment facilities throughout the Central West Florida region.

EDUCATION **CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, SACRAMENTO**
Water Treatment Plant Operation 1998-1999
Advanced Waste Treatment 2000-2001

CERTIFICATIONS Drinking Water Plant Operator Level C - 0012101
Wastewater Plant Operator Level C - 0009620

REFERENCES **KIRK RONCONE – Mack Industries**
23902 County Rd 561, Astatula, FL 34705
(352) 552-2970

1.05 PROPOSED DESIGN PROFESSIONALS AND SURVEYORS

A. The following design professionals and surveyors are to be employed or retained by the Bidder and available for assignment to the Project.

Name	Address	Area of Responsibility	Years of Experience
Angleright Surveying, LLC DUSTIN D MARTIN, PSM	440 ROBERTS RD., SUITE 1	Survey and As-builts	20
	OLDSMAR, FL 34677		

B. Attach detailed resumes of qualifications, previous employers and experience for each design professional and surveyor listed above.



ANGLERIGHT.NET

DUSTIN D MARTIN, PSM
FOUNDER/OWNER

OBJECTIVE

To move the profession of land surveying into the future utilizing modern technology seamlessly interfaced with time-tested techniques and method.

SKILLS & ABILITIES

Team Building

Project Completion

Business Development

Business Sustainability

VITALS

440 Roberts Road Suite 1

Oldsmar, FL 34677

T 813-925-9098

E dmartin@angleright.net

EXPERIENCE

ANGLERIGHT SURVEYING, LLC OLDSMAR, FLORIDA

2010-PRESENT

Founder and Owner of AngleRight Surveying, an established, comprehensive land surveying firm serving the state of Florida.

AIM ENGINEERING AND SURVEYING, INC. FORT MYERS, FLORIDA

2005-2010

Manager of survey operations. Responsible for all aspects of operating the surveying component of an engineering and surveying firm.

EDUCATION

THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY, COLUMBUS OHIO, BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN GEOMATICS ENGINEERING

OHIO UNIVERSITY, ATHENS OHIO, BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN COMMUNICATION.

PROFESSIONAL REGISTRATIONS

FLORIDA PROFESSIONAL SURVEYOR AND MAPPER, PSM 6645

LICENSED FLORIDA BUSINESS, LB 7738

REFERENCES

CHRIS MCLAUGHLIN, BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL SURVEYORS AND MAPPERS

T 561-234-0760

E cmclaughlin@georgeyoung.com

GRANT FICHTER, SURVEY MANAGER AIM ENGINEERING AND SURVEYING, INC.

T 239-872-2625

E gfighter@aimengr.com



Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services
 Division of Consumer Services
 Board of Professional Surveyors and Mappers
 2005 Apalachee Pkwy Tallahassee, Florida 32399-6500
 800HELPFLA(435-7352) or (850) 488-2221

March 4, 2023

DUSTIN D MARTIN
 12506 TWIN BRANCH ACRES RD
 TAMPA, FL 33626-4423

SUBJECT: Professional Surveyor and Mapper License # LS6645

Your application / renewal as a professional surveyor and mapper as required by Chapter 472, Florida Statutes, has been received and processed.

The license appears below and is valid through February 28, 2025.

You are required to keep your information with the Board current. Please visit our website at www.800helpfla.com/psm to create your online account. If you have already created your online account, you can use the website to maintain your license. You can also find other valuable information on the website.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call the Division of Consumer Services, Board of Professional Surveyors and Mappers at 800-435-7352 or 850-488-2221.

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Florida Department of Agriculture
 and Consumer Services
 Board of Professional Surveyors
 and Mappers

LS6645

Professional Surveyor and Mapper
 DUSTIN D MARTIN

IS LICENSED under the provisions of Ch. 472 FS
 Expiration date: February 28, 2025

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Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services
 Division of Consumer Services
 Board of Professional Surveyors and Mappers
 2005 Apalachee Pkwy Tallahassee, Florida 32399-6500

License No.: **LS6645**
 Expiration Date February 28, 2025

Professional Surveyor and Mapper License

Under the provisions of Chapter 472, Florida Statutes

DUSTIN D MARTIN
 12506 TWIN BRANCH ACRES RD
 TAMPA, FL 33626-4423

WILTON SIMPSON
 COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE

This is to certify that the professional surveyor and mapper whose name and address are shown above is licensed as required by Chapter 472, Florida Statutes.



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Division of Consumer Services
Board of Professional Surveyors and Mappers
2005 Apalachee Pkway Tallahassee, Florida 32399-6500
800HELPFLA(435-7352) or (850) 488-2221

March 9, 2023

ANGLERIGHT SURVEYING, LLC
440 ROBERTS ROAD
OLDSMAR, FL 34677

SUBJECT: Professional Surveyor and Mapper Business Certificate # LB7738

Your application / renewal as a professional surveyor and mapper business as required by Chapter 472, Florida Statutes, has been received and processed.

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License No.: **LB7738**
Expiration Date February 28, 2025

Professional Surveyor and Mapper Business License

Under the provisions of Chapter 472, Florida Statutes

ANGLERIGHT SURVEYING, LLC
440 ROBERTS ROAD
OLDSMAR, FL 34677

WILTON SIMPSON
COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE

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1.07 EQUIPMENT

A. Identify equipment available for use on the Project. Indicate whether owned by Bidder's organization or rented. Attach additional sheets, as necessary.

Type of Equipment	Size or Capacity	Owned or Rented
Service Trucks	F-250	Owned
Crane Trucks	F-550	Owned
Vac Truck	2500 Gallon	Owned
Equipment Trailer	20 foot	Owned
Mini Excavator	E-32	Owned
Enclosed Trailer	15 foot	Owned
Bypass pumps	6 inch	Owned

1.08 BUSINESS INTERESTS

- A. Identify the names and addresses of the members of the Board of Directors of corporation, or the names and addresses of all persons and parties interested in this Bid as partners of a partnership or as individuals. Attach additional sheets, as necessary.

Name	Address	Telephone No.
Gary Deremer, CEO	4939 Cross Bayou Blvd., NPR FL 34652	727-848-8292
Cecil Delcher, VP	4939 Cross Bayou Blvd., NPR FL 34652	727-848-8292
Edward Mitchell, VP /Secretary	4939 Cross Bayou Blvd., NPR FL 34652	727-848-8292
Ralph Amiott, VP	4939 Cross Bayou Blvd., NPR FL 34652	727-848-8292
Mohammed Kader, PE	4939 Cross Bayou Blvd., NPR FL 34652	727-848-8292
Kaycee Rupe, CFO	4939 Cross Bayou Blvd., NPR FL 34652	727-848-8292
Chris Saliba, VP	4939 Cross Bayou Blvd., NPR FL 34652	727-848-8292
William Rendell, VP	4939 Cross Bayou Blvd., NPR FL 34652	727-848-8292
Jeffrey Dupont, VP	4939 Cross Bayou Blvd., NPR FL 34652	727-848-8292

- B. Identify the bank or banks representing the financial responsibility of the Bidder.

Name of Bank	Address	Contact Name and Telephone No.
Wells Fargo Bank Commercial Banking Division	100 South Ashley Dr., Ste 1000 Tampa FL 33602	Andrew Tynen 813-225-4318
TD Bank Secondary Bank	2307 W Kennedy Blvd., 2nd Floor Tampa FL 33609	Paul McManus 727-404-5270
Additional References Attached		

1.09 VIOLATIONS

- A. Following is a list of violations Bidder and its main Subcontractors have received or been the subject of, or otherwise been involved in, regarding any state or local ethic laws, regulation, code, ordinance, policy, or standard, or offenses arising out of submission of bids or the performance of work on public works projects or contracts over the last 10 years. Attach additional sheets, as necessary.

Name and Location of the Project	N/A
Nature of the Violation/Offense	
Duration and dates during which the violation/offense took place	

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Duration and dates during which the violation/offense took place	

1.10 LABOR DISPUTES

- A. Identify labor disputes the Bidder has been the subject of, or otherwise been involved in, during the last 10 years. For these purposes, "labor disputes" shall include picketing or any other activity which disrupted or delayed the work. Attach additional sheets, as necessary.

Name and Location of the Project	N/A
Nature of the Dispute	
Duration and dates during which the dispute took place	
How the dispute was resolved	

Name and Location of the Project	
Nature of the Dispute	
Duration and dates during which the dispute took place	
How the dispute was resolved	

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NON-COLLUSION AFFIDAVIT

Gary Deremer, being duly sworn,
depose and, under the penalty of perjury, say that the following is true:

1. I am the person responsible within my firm for the final decision as to the price(s) and amount of this Bid or, if not, that I have written authorization, enclosed herewith, from that person to make the statements set out below on his or her behalf and on the behalf of my firm.
2. The price(s) and amount of this Bid have been arrived at independently, without collusion, consultation, communication, or agreement for the purpose of restricting competition with any other contractor, competitor, Bidder, or potential Bidder.
3. Unless otherwise required by law, neither the price(s) nor the amount of this Bid have been disclosed to any other firm or person who is a Bidder, competitor, or potential Bidder on the Project, and will not be so disclosed either directly or indirectly prior to Bid opening.
4. No attempt has been made or will be made to solicit, cause, or induce any firm, partnership, corporation, or person to submit or not submit a Bid on this Project, or to submit a Bid higher than the Bid of this firm, or submit an intentionally high or noncompetitive Bid or other form of complementary Bid, or for the purpose of restricting competition.
5. The Bid of my firm is made in good faith and not pursuant to any agreement or discussion with, or inducement from, any firm or person to submit a complementary Bid.
6. My firm has not offered or entered into a subcontracting agreement regarding the purchase of materials or services from any firm or person, or offered, promised, or paid cash or anything of value to any firm or person, whether in connection with this or any other Project, in consideration for an agreement or promise by any firm or person to refrain from proposing or to submit a complementary Bid on the Project.
7. My firm has not accepted nor been promised any subcontract or agreement regarding the sale of materials or services to any firm or person, and has not been promised or paid cash or anything of value to any firm or person, whether in connection with this or any other project, in consideration for my firm's submitting a complementary Bid or agreeing to do so, on the Project.

8. I have made a diligent inquiry of all members, officers, employees, and agents of my firm with responsibilities relating to the preparation, approval, or submission of my firm's Bid on the Project and have been advised by each of them that he or she has not participated in any communication, consultation, discussion, agreement, collusion, act, or other conduct inconsistent with any of the statements and representations made in this affidavit.

U.S. Water Services Corporation

Company Name

Signature

Gary Dermer, President

Company Position

Date: July 19, 2024

Attest: 

Date: July 19, 2024

END OF SECTION

Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

**Give Form to the
 requester. Do not
 send to the IRS.**

▶ Go to www.irs.gov/FormW9 for instructions and the latest information.

1 Name (as shown on your income tax return). Name is required on this line; do not leave this line blank.

U.S. Water Services Corporation

2 Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above

3 Check appropriate box for federal tax classification of the person whose name is entered on line 1. Check only one of the following seven boxes.

- Individual/sole proprietor or single-member LLC
 C Corporation S Corporation Partnership Trust/estate
 Limited liability company. Enter the tax classification (C=C corporation, S=S corporation, P=Partnership) ▶ _____
Note: Check the appropriate box in the line above for the tax classification of the single-member owner. Do not check LLC if the LLC is classified as a single-member LLC that is disregarded from the owner unless the owner of the LLC is another LLC that is not disregarded from the owner for U.S. federal tax purposes. Otherwise, a single-member LLC that is disregarded from the owner should check the appropriate box for the tax classification of its owner.
 Other (see instructions) ▶ _____

4 Exemptions (codes apply only to certain entities, not individuals; see instructions on page 3):

Exempt payee code (if any) _____

Exemption from FATCA reporting code (if any) _____

(Applies to accounts maintained outside the U.S.)

5 Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.) See instructions.

4939 Cross Bayou Blvd.,

6 City, state, and ZIP code

New Port Richey FL 34652

7 List account number(s) here (optional)

Requester's name and address (optional)

Print or type.
See Specific Instructions on page 3.

Part I Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on line 1 to avoid backup withholding. For individuals, this is generally your social security number (SSN). However, for a resident alien, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the instructions for Part I, later. For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see *How to get a TIN*, later.

Note: If the account is in more than one name, see the instructions for line 1. Also see *What Name and Number To Give the Requester* for guidelines on whose number to enter.

Social security number

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or

Employer identification number

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Part II Certification

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

- The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me); and
- I am not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding; and
- I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below); and
- The FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that I am exempt from FATCA reporting is correct.

Certification instructions. You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions, item 2 does not apply. For mortgage interest paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and generally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the certification, but you must provide your correct TIN. See the instructions for Part II, later.

Sign Here

Signature of U.S. person ▶



Date ▶ **4/12/2024**

General Instructions

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.

Future developments. For the latest information about developments related to Form W-9 and its instructions, such as legislation enacted after they were published, go to www.irs.gov/FormW9.

Purpose of Form

An individual or entity (Form W-9 requester) who is required to file an information return with the IRS must obtain your correct taxpayer identification number (TIN) which may be your social security number (SSN), individual taxpayer identification number (ITIN), adoption taxpayer identification number (ATIN), or employer identification number (EIN), to report on an information return the amount paid to you, or other amount reportable on an information return. Examples of information returns include, but are not limited to, the following.

- Form 1099-INT (interest earned or paid)

- Form 1099-DIV (dividends, including those from stocks or mutual funds)
- Form 1099-MISC (various types of income, prizes, awards, or gross proceeds)
- Form 1099-B (stock or mutual fund sales and certain other transactions by brokers)
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Use Form W-9 only if you are a U.S. person (including a resident alien), to provide your correct TIN.

If you do not return Form W-9 to the requester with a TIN, you might be subject to backup withholding. See What is backup withholding, later.

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I certify from the records of this office that U.S. WATER SERVICES CORPORATION is a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Florida, filed on April 30, 2003, effective April 28, 2003.

The document number of this corporation is P03000047833.

I further certify that said corporation has paid all fees due this office through December 31, 2024, that its most recent annual report/uniform business report was filed on February 2, 2024, and that its status is active.

I further certify that said corporation has not filed Articles of Dissolution.

*Given under my hand and the
Great Seal of the State of Florida
at Tallahassee, the Capital, this
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ATTACHMENT 4: CONTRACTOR REFERENCES



CONTRACTOR REFERENCE CHECK

CONTRACTOR: U.S. Water Services Corporation

REFERENCE FOR: PW 2007 Sausalito FM Replacement Project

REFERENCE FROM: Client: City of Casselberry, 95 Triplet Lake Drive, Casselberry, FL, 32 Reclaimed Water Storage Pond Expansion Design-Build 707
Current Contact: Stefano Ceriana, 407-917-5697, sceriana@chacompanies.com

DATE OF PROJECT: Completed 02/22/2024

What did the project involve?

- Primary part: Force main construction, length of 6,000 linear feet of 10-inch force main
- Valves, sidewalk restoration, above-ground restoration

How was the quality of work?

- Quality was “very good.”

How was the Contractor’s paperwork? Was it correct and timely?

- Contact was not directly involved with this but heard that the paperwork was overall on time. Heard that some were not as timely, but did not complain if they didn’t get paid for untimely paperwork.

How were the Contractor’s relationships with the Owner? Engineer? Subcontractors?

- Owner: Good, communication was well with the client
- Engineer: Very good, when reviewing shop drawings, they would reply easily and in a timely manner
- Subcontractor: Did communicate as much as possible. Any communication issues were deemed to be the fault of the subcontractors.

How many change orders? What type? What magnitude?

- Total of 4 change orders:
 - 1: Required a time extension because of supply chain issues.
 - 2: Changed the construction method from pipe bursting to directional drill as it was recommended by the contractor.
 - 3: Deduct change order because ARV’s were added, and the city was “fine with it.”
 - 4: Due to unknown field conditions because asphalt patch was twice as thick as expected.

Would you recommend this contractor for similar work? Would you hire the contractor again?

- Yes, would recommend the contractor for similar work and yes, would hire the contractor again.

Were there any bonds invoked or legal efforts initiated by any parties?

- There were no bonds invoked or legal efforts initiated by any parties.



CONTRACTOR REFERENCE CHECK

CONTRACTOR: U.S. Water Services Corporation

REFERENCE FOR: No project, general reference

REFERENCE FROM: Client: FGUA, 280 Wekiva Springs Rd Ste 2070, Longwood, FL, 32779
Current Contact: Teresa Irby-Butler, 407-399-8233, Senior Project Manager

DATE OF PROJECT: N/A

What did the project involve?

- N/A

How was the quality of work?

- On time, generally on budget, hard-working, “great experience with them,” when obstacles come up, sometimes need change orders, but they are always very good.

How was the Contractor’s paperwork? Was it correct and timely?

- N/A

How were the Contractor’s relationships with the Owner? Engineer? Subcontractors?

- Owner: N/A
- Engineer: N/A
- Subcontractor: N/A

How many change orders? What type? What magnitude?

- N/A

Would you recommend this contractor for similar work? Would you hire the contractor again?

- Yes, would recommend the contractor for similar work and yes, would hire the contractor again.

Were there any bonds invoked or legal efforts initiated by any parties?

- N/A



CONTRACTOR REFERENCE CHECK

CONTRACTOR: U.S. Water Services Corporation

REFERENCE FOR: Herbert & Nova MLS Rehabilitation

REFERENCE FROM: Client: City of Port Orange, 1000 City Center Circle, Port Orange, FL, 32129
Current Contact: Junos Reed, 386-506-5754, Project Manager

DATE OF PROJECT: Completed 06/06/2024

What did the project involve?

- Rehabilitation of one of the sewer system's master lift stations

How was the quality of work?

- Quality was "good."

How was the Contractor's paperwork? Was it correct and timely?

- Yes and yes

How were the Contractor's relationships with the Owner? Engineer? Subcontractors?

- Owner: Relationship with the owner (Junos) was "excellent."
- Engineer: No issues between the contractor and the engineers, only interacted at meetings, communication was mainly with the owner.
- Subcontractor: Assumed it was good, do not know necessarily. USWSC's oversight of the subcontractor was assumed to be good as evidenced by the quality of work resulting from the subcontractors.

How many change orders? What type? What magnitude?

- 2 change orders (both owner-initiated):
 - 1: Insert a valve into an existing force main at the fault of the engineer
 - 2: Thought initially that the condition of the existing liner in the well was okay. Once the liner was found to be in poor condition, put a change order to replace the liner.

Would you recommend this contractor for similar work? Would you hire the contractor again?

- Yes ("absolutely"), would recommend the contractor for similar work and yes, would hire the contractor again.

Were there any bonds invoked or legal efforts initiated by any parties?

- There were no bonds invoked or legal efforts initiated by any parties.



CONTRACTOR REFERENCE CHECK

CONTRACTOR: U.S. Water Services Corporation

REFERENCE FOR: Lift Station Improvements for Fish Island, Bartram Oaks, and Bermuda Run

REFERENCE FROM: Client: Saint Johns County BOCC, 500 San Sebastian View, St Augustine, FL, 32084
Current Contact: Scott Trigg, 904-209-2622, Chief Engineer

DATE OF PROJECT: Completed

What did the project involve?

- Project involved the rehabilitation of lift stations, replacing pumps, replacing valves, earthwork, etc., “typical lift station rehabilitation activities.”

How was the quality of work?

- The quality was “Good, no issues”

How was the Contractor’s paperwork? Was it correct and timely?

- From what Scott can remember, no issues.

How were the Contractor’s relationships with the Owner? Engineer? Subcontractors?

- Owner: No issues, Scott was the owner
- Engineer: No issues
- Subcontractor: No issues

How many change orders? What type? What magnitude?

- There were no change orders

Would you recommend this contractor for similar work? Would you hire the contractor again?

- Yes, would recommend the contractor for similar work and yes, would hire the contractor again.

Were there any bonds invoked or legal efforts initiated by any parties?

- There were no bonds invoked or legal efforts initiated by any parties.



CONTRACTOR REFERENCE CHECK

CONTRACTOR: U.S. Water Services Corporation

REFERENCE FOR: Lift Station 815 Rehabilitation

REFERENCE FROM: Client: Charlotte County, 18500 Murdock Circle, Ste 344, Port Charlotte, FL 33948-1094
Current Contact: Dave Watson, 941-764-4502, Utilities Director

DATE OF PROJECT: Completed 05/31/2020

What did the project involve?

- Project involved rehabbing almost all of an existing lift station. Entailed new electrical work, pumps, motors, and relining of the existing wet well. Originally wanted to replace the wet well, but the condition of the well allowed it to be used. Involved temporary bypass pumping to be used during construction as well.

How was the quality of work?

- The quality was “Good,” and they were “very happy with the final product.”

How was the Contractor’s paperwork? Was it correct and timely?

- Did not have any problems with paperwork. McKim & Creed did project inspections and so did most of the paperwork. They and the city did not have any issues

How were the Contractor’s relationships with the Owner? Engineer? Subcontractors?

- Owner: “Good”
- Engineer: Not aware of any issues that they had between each other.
- Subcontractor: There could have been an electrical subcontractor, but Dave doesn’t know enough about it.

How many change orders? What type? What magnitude?

- At least 1, possibly 2 at most.
 - 1: Quantity change orders for concrete initiated by the contractor.

Would you recommend this contractor for similar work? Would you hire the contractor again?

- Yes, would recommend the contractor for similar work and yes, would hire the contractor again.

Were there any bonds invoked or legal efforts initiated by any parties?

- There were no bonds invoked or legal efforts initiated by any parties.

ATTACHMENT 5: NOTICE OF INTENT TO AWARD



Date

Natalie Harvey, Assistant Project Manager
US Water Services Corporation (US Water)
5605 2nd St W
Lehigh Acres, FL 33971

**SUBJECT: NOTICE OF INTENT TO AWARD
WWTF Emergency Upgrades
City of LaBelle, FL**

You are notified that your Bid dated July 19, 2024 for the subject Project has been considered.

You are the apparent Successful Bidder and the Owner intends that a Contract for the subject Project be awarded to you. The Total Contract Price of the awarded Contract will be \$2,966,753.30 (Base Bid \$2,938,489.30 (corrected) plus Alternate A \$28,264.00) based on Unit Prices, subject to the following conditions being met and subject to required reviews and approvals and specifically, funding agency approval by Florida Department of Environmental Protection (FDEP) under assistance agreement LPA0313.

You must comply with the following conditions precedent **within 15 days** of the date of receipt of this Notice of Intent to Award:

1. Deliver the Contract security (Bonds) in the specified EJCDC format and insurance documentation as specified in the General Conditions and Supplementary Conditions (Articles 2 and 5).

Failure to comply with these conditions within the time specified will entitle Owner to consider you in default, annul this Notice of Intent to Award, and declare your Bid security forfeited.

After confirming that you have complied with the above conditions and required approvals are obtained, Owner will deliver a Notice of Award and the conformed Contract Documents with the Agreement for execution.

City of LaBelle Florida (Owner)

By: _____
[Name and Title]

Copy to Engineer

ATTACHMENT 6: PROPOSED NOTICE OF AWARD



Date

Natalie Harvey, Assistant Project Manager
US Water Services Corporation (US Water)
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City of LaBelle, FL

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An electronic copy (PDF) of the unexecuted counterpart of the Agreement and a copy of the Contract Documents accompanies this Notice of Award along with a PDF copy of the Drawings. Please sign and return a scanned copy (PDF) of the executed Agreement **within 10 days** of receipt of this Notice of Award to the Engineer.

After obtaining required reviews and approvals for Contract execution, Owner shall deliver one fully executed counterpart of the Agreement, together with any additional copies of the Contract Documents as indicated in Paragraph 2.02 of the General Conditions and Supplementary Conditions, if any.

City of LaBelle Florida (Owner)

By: _____
[Name and title]

Copy to Engineer