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MEMORANDUM

DATE: November 25, 2019

TO: Christopher Snyder, Purchasing Agent
Purchasing Division

THRU: Sandy-Michael McDonald, Director *SM*
Office of Economic and Small Business Development

FROM: Freddy Castillo, Small Business Development Manager *FC*
Office of Economic and Small Business Development

SUBJECT: Bid #GEN2118724B1 – Temporary Personnel Services - County Business Enterprise (CBE) Reserve Compliance Evaluation

The Office of Economic and Small Business Development (OESBD) conducted a review of the respondents' compliance with the CBE Reserve Program requirements for the above solicitation. An overview is provided as follows:

This solicitation is a reserve opportunity for CBE firms.

Met the CBE Reserve Program Requirements.

Firms

Wolfcreek Consulting, Inc.
Cochhbha Enterprises, Inc.
4 Best Business Corp. d/b/a 4BBCorp
Albion Healthcare Staffing, Inc.
PrideStaff
Tech Army, LLC.

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Did Not Meet the CBE Reserve Program Requirements.

Firms

Livelily LLC.
22ND Century Technologies, Inc.
Diskriter, Inc.
Alpha1 Staffing
BuzzClan
WorkSquare

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Did Not Meet the CBE Reserve Program Requirements (Cont'd)

<u>Firms</u>	<u>Category</u>
Pack Plus, Inc.	Non-CBE
Premier Staffing Source, Inc.	Non-CBE
Integrated Holdings, Inc.	Non-CBE
Smart It Pros, Inc.	Non-CBE
Healthcare Staffing Professionals, Inc.	Non-CBE
EBT	Non-CBE
RADgov, Inc.	Non-CBE
Vaco	Non-CBE
TransHire	Non-CBE

CBE Reserve Compliance Comments:

Wolfcreek Consulting, Inc., Cochhbha Enterprises, Inc., 4 Best Business Corp. d/b/a 4BBCorp, Albion Healthcare Staffing, Inc., PrideStaff and Tech Army, LLC. are all certified County Business Enterprise (CBE) firms and in compliance with the CBE Reserve Program requirements of the solicitation.

Livelively LLC., 22ND Century Technologies, Inc., Diskriter, Inc., Alpha1 Staffing, BuzzClan, WorkSquare, Pack Plus, Inc., Premier Staffing Source, Inc., Integrated Holdings, Inc., Smart It Pros, Inc., Healthcare Staffing Professionals, Inc., EBT, RADgov, Inc., Vaco and TransHire are non-certified CBE firms and therefore, did not meet the CBE Reserve program requirements of the solicitation.

Pursuant to Section 1-81.3(f) of the Broward County Business Opportunity Act of 2012 (the Act) as amended, when a CBE reserve is established in connection with a County solicitation, CBEs and non-CBEs may respond to the solicitation. If a CBE with capacity to perform the work submits a responsive and responsible bid or proposal, the work will be awarded to the CBE that submits the lowest responsive and responsible bid or the highest-ranked responsive and responsible proposal. If no CBE with capacity to perform the work submits a responsive and responsible bid, a non-CBE with the lowest responsive and responsible bid or the highest-ranked responsive and responsible proposal, as applicable, may be awarded the contract with at least a twenty-five percent (25%) CBE goal (unless the CBE goal is waived or otherwise modified by Board action), or the county may reject all bids and responses submitted.

Cc: Maribel Feliciano, Assistant Director, OESBD
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