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MEMORANDUM

DATE: August 4, 2020

TO: Michelle Lemire, Purchasing Agent
Purchasing Division

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

FROM: Maribel Feliciano, Assistant Director
Office of Economic and Small Business Development

RE: **RFP No. PNC2120415P1- Port Everglades Bulkhead Replacement
Project- Group 1
County Business Enterprise (CBE) Evaluation**

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The Request for Proposal (RFP) was advertised with a 25% CBE participation goal. Five (5) submittals were received and reviewed. The Office of Economic and Small Business Development (OESBD) has conducted a review of the vendors' CBE participation per the requirements of the RFP for this project. An overview is provided as follows:

The CBE Goal for this project: 25%

Met the CBE Requirements:

<u>Firms</u>	<u>Category</u>	<u>Percentage</u>
BEA Architects, Inc. (prime)		
GCES Engineering Services, LLC	CBE	5.00%
Gartek Engineering Corporation	CBE	10.00%
Premiere Design Solutions, Inc.	CBE	5.00%
S & F Engineers, Inc.	CBE	5.00%
Total:		25.00%
HDR Engineering, Inc. (prime)		
AREHNA Engineering, Inc.	CBE	3.30%
Cordova, Rodriguez & Associates, Inc.	CBE	2.90%
Dickey Consulting Services, Inc.	CBE	0.50%
Hammond & Associates, Inc.	CBE	2.10%
Kimberly Ann Brown & Associates, Inc. dba	CBE	2.20%
KABA, Inc.		
Lakdas/Yohalem Engineering, Inc.	CBE	3.00%
Pinnacle Ecological, Inc.	CBE	1.10%
SKS Engineering & Planning, Inc.	CBE	9.90%
Total:		25.00%

Met the CBE Requirements (cont.)

<u>Firm</u>	<u>Category</u>	<u>Percentage</u>
Jacobs Engineering Group, Inc. (prime)		
Cummins Cederberg, Inc.	CBE	8%
Luis C. Aurigemma, P.E.	CBE	2%
MU Engineers, Inc.	CBE	9%
Pan Geo Consultants, LLC	CBE	4%
Stoner & Associates, Inc.	CBE	2%
Total:		25%

T.Y. Lin International (prime)		
300 Engineering Group, P.A.	CBE	11%
AREHNA Engineering, Inc.	CBE	9%
Dickey Consulting Services, Inc.	CBE	2%
MCO Construction and Services, Inc.	CBE	5%
Total:		27%

WSP USA, Inc. (prime)		
Dickey Consulting Services, Inc.	CBE	2%
Florida Engineering & Testing, Inc.	CBE	3%
The Chappell Group, Inc.	CBE	10%
Thompson & Associates, Inc., Civil Engineering	CBE	10%
Total:		25%

Compliance Comments

BEA Architects, Inc.; HDR Engineering, Inc.; Jacobs Engineering Group, Inc.; T.Y. Lin International and WSP USA, Inc. submitted all the required documentation within the specified time frame; therefore, they are deemed compliant with the CBE program requirements of the solicitation.

CBE Compliance History:

The following is a report of the respondents' CBE compliance history for active projects and projects completed within the last five (5) years of the RFP opening date. OESBD cannot report CBE Compliance history of active projects for Jacobs Engineering Group, Inc.; T.Y. Lin International and WSP USA, Inc. due to no active projects exist within the last five (5) years of the RFP's opening date for the firm.

BEA Architects, Inc. has the following active projects with CBE goals:

Project Name	Project Number	Amount Paid to CBE Firms
Southport Phase IX-B Container Storage Yard	R1171027P1	\$569,608.22
Architectural/ Engineering Services for Seaport Engineering & Construction	X1159616P1	\$96,284.33

Source: ALTS and MURs

HDR Engineering, Inc. has the following active projects with CBE goals:

Project Name	Project Number	Amount Paid to CBE Firms
Continuing Engineering Services for Transportation and General Civil Engineering Projects	PNC2114364P1	\$86,345.04
Design and Engineering Services for Port Everglades Slip 1 Expansion	X1270003P1	\$526,450.31

Sources: ALTS and MURs

OESBD found no completed projects with CBE requirements within the last 5 years for any of the respondents for this RFP.

cc: Matthew Harold, Construction Project Manager Supervisor, Port Everglades
James Vose, Jr., Small Business Development Specialist, OESBD