

**INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM**

**METROPOLITAN WATER RECLAMATION DISTRICT OF GREATER CHICAGO**

**DEPARTMENT:** General Administration  
Diversity Section

**DATE:** September 11, 2019

**TO:** Catherine A. O'Connor, Director of Engineering

**FROM:** Regina D. Berry, Diversity Administrator 

**SUBJECT:** **Contract 17-842-3H - Modifications to TARP Control Structures & Drop Shafts**

**LOW BIDDER:** **IHC Construction Companies, Inc.**

The lowest responsive bidder, IHC Construction Companies, Inc. has submitted company information and "MBE/WBE/SBE/VBE Business Verification Forms for the firms identified on the subject contract's Affirmative Action Utilization Plan.

The MBE, WBE, SBE Utilization Goals for the above mentioned contract are 20% MBE, 10% WBE, 10% SBE and 3% VBE. According to the bidder's Utilization Plan, the bidder has committed to the following goals:

<u>MBE</u>	<u>WBE</u>	<u>SBE</u>	<u>VBE</u>
27%	10%	*	3%

Therefore, IHC Construction Companies, Inc. is in apparent compliance with the requirements of Affirmative Action Ordinance Revised Appendix D.

\*MBE satisfies the SBE requirements

RDB:EAR:DH

Attachment

c: Darlene A. LoCascio, S. Morakalis, C. Scalise, L. Cornier, D. Hardney, File

**METROPOLITAN WATER RECLAMATION DISTRICT OF  
GREATER CHICAGO**

**MBE, WBE, SBE UTILIZATION PLAN**

For Local and Small business entities - Definitions for terms used below can be found in Appendix D: MBE - Section 5(s); WBE - Section 5(cc); SBE - Section 5(w).

**NOTE:** The Bidder shall submit with the Bid, originals or facsimile copies of all MBE, WBE, SBE Subcontractor's Letter of Intent furnished to all MBEs, WBEs, and SBEs. IF A BIDDER FAILS TO INCLUDE signed copies of the MBE, WBE, SBE Utilization Plan and all signed MBE, WBE, SBE Subcontractor's Letter of Intent with its bid, said bid will be deemed nonresponsive and rejected.

**All Bidders must sign the signature page UP-5 of the Utilization Plan, even if a waiver is requested.**

Name of Bidder: IHC CONSTRUCTION COMPANIES, LLC

Contract No.: 17-842-3H

Affirmative Action Contact & Phone No.: WALTER P. DWYER (847) 742-1516

E-Mail Address: W.Dwyer@IHCconstruction.com

Total Bid: \$2,997,000.00

**MBE, WBE, SBE UTILIZATION PLAN AND ALL SIGNED MBE, WBE, SBE SUBCONTRACTOR'S LETTER OF INTENT MUST BE COMPLETED, SIGNED AND ACCOMPANY YOUR BID!!!**

The bidder should indicate on the Utilization Plan explicitly if the dollar amounts for the MBE participation will also be counted toward the achievement of its SBE participation. See Affirmative Action Ordinance, Revised Appendix D, Section 11, Counting MBE, WBE and SBE Participation towards Contract Goals. (a) (b) (c)

MBE UTILIZATION

Name of MBE and contact person: JB Erectors, Inc. Jose Barraza  
Business Phone Number: (630) 888-2506 Email Address: joseb@jberectorsinc.com  
Address: 7746 S. Claremont Ave. Chicago, IL 60620  
Description of Work, Services or supplied to be provided: Install Metals

CONTRACT ITEM NO.: Division 05

Dollar Amount Participation: \$314,000.00

If the MBE participation will be counted towards the achievement of the SBE goal please indicate here:



YES



NO

**The MBE, WBE, SBE Utilization Plan and the MBE, WBE, SBE Subcontractor's Letter of Intent MUST Accompany the Bid !!!**

MBE UTILIZATION

Name of WBE and contact person: \_\_\_\_\_  
Business Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Description of Work, Services or supplied to be provided: \_\_\_\_\_

CONTRACT ITEM NO.: \_\_\_\_\_

Dollar Amount Participation: \_\_\_\_\_

If the MBE participation will be counted towards the achievement of the SBE goal please indicate here:



YES



NO

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MBE UTILIZATION

Name of WBE and contact person: \_\_\_\_\_  
Business Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Description of Work, Services or supplied to be provided: \_\_\_\_\_

CONTRACT ITEM NO.: \_\_\_\_\_

Dollar Amount Participation: \_\_\_\_\_

If the MBE participation will be counted towards the achievement of the SBE goal please indicate here:



YES



NO

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MBE UTILIZATION

Name of MBE and contact person: I & M Welding, Inc. Luis G. Salas  
Business Phone Number: (773) 237-8500 Email Address: l-m\_Welding@sbcglobal.net  
Address: 4619 West Armitage Avenue Chicago, IL 60639-3405  
Description of Work, Services or supplied to be provided: Furnish Metals

CONTRACT ITEM NO.: Division 05

Dollar Amount Participation: \$500,000.00

If the MBE participation will be counted towards the achievement of the SBE goal please indicate here:

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YES

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NO

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MBE UTILIZATION

Name of WBE and contact person: \_\_\_\_\_  
Business Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Description of Work, Services or supplied to be provided: \_\_\_\_\_

CONTRACT ITEM NO.: \_\_\_\_\_

Dollar Amount Participation: \_\_\_\_\_

If the MBE participation will be counted towards the achievement of the SBE goal please indicate here:

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YES

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NO

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MBE UTILIZATION

Name of WBE and contact person: \_\_\_\_\_  
Business Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Description of Work, Services or supplied to be provided: \_\_\_\_\_

CONTRACT ITEM NO.: \_\_\_\_\_

Dollar Amount Participation: \_\_\_\_\_

If the MBE participation will be counted towards the achievement of the SBE goal please indicate here:

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YES

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NO

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WBE UTILIZATION

Name of WBE and contact person: Vixen Construction Inc. Rita Fox  
Business Phone Number: 708-728-1960 Email Address: rfox@sbcglobal.net  
Address: 7600 W 79th St, Bridgeview, IL 60455  
Description of Work, Services or supplied to be provided: Furnish and Install Site Concrete and Furnish and Install Flex Covers

CONTRACT ITEM NO.: Division 02 & Division 06

Dollar Amount Participation: \$246,120.00

If the WBE participation will be counted towards the achievement of the SBE goal please indicate here:

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YES

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NO

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WBE UTILIZATION

Name of WBE and contact person: \_\_\_\_\_  
Business Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Description of Work, Services or supplied to be provided: \_\_\_\_\_

CONTRACT ITEM NO.: \_\_\_\_\_

Dollar Amount Participation: \_\_\_\_\_

If the WBE participation will be counted towards the achievement of the SBE goal please indicate here:

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YES

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NO

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WBE UTILIZATION

Name of WBE and contact person: \_\_\_\_\_  
Business Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Description of Work, Services or supplied to be provided: \_\_\_\_\_

CONTRACT ITEM NO.: \_\_\_\_\_

Dollar Amount Participation: \_\_\_\_\_

If the WBE participation will be counted towards the achievement of the SBE goal please indicate here:

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YES

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NO

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WBE UTILIZATION

Name of WBE and contact person: LaGrange Crane Service, Inc. Judith A. Mooncotch, Jr.  
Business Phone Number: 708-354-3510 Email Address: jmooncotchjr@lagrangecrane.com  
Address: 6180 River Road Hodgkins, IL 60525  
Description of Work, Services or supplied to be provided: Crane Services

CONTRACT ITEM NO.: Division 01

Dollar Amount Participation: \$60,000.00

If the WBE participation will be counted towards the achievement of the SBE goal please indicate here:

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YES

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NO

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WBE UTILIZATION

Name of WBE and contact person: \_\_\_\_\_  
Business Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Description of Work, Services or supplied to be provided: \_\_\_\_\_

CONTRACT ITEM NO.: \_\_\_\_\_

Dollar Amount Participation: \_\_\_\_\_

If the WBE participation will be counted towards the achievement of the SBE goal please indicate here:

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YES

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NO

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WBE UTILIZATION

Name of WBE and contact person: \_\_\_\_\_  
Business Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Description of Work, Services or supplied to be provided: \_\_\_\_\_

CONTRACT ITEM NO.: \_\_\_\_\_

Dollar Amount Participation: \_\_\_\_\_

If the WBE participation will be counted towards the achievement of the SBE goal please indicate here:

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YES

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NO

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SBE UTILIZATION

Name of SBE and contact person: Sane As MBE - JB Erectors

Business Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Description of Work, Services or Supplies to be provided: \_\_\_\_\_

CONTRACT ITEM NO.: \_\_\_\_\_

Total Dollar Amount Participation: \_\_\_\_\_

**The MBE, WBE, SBE Utilization Plan and the MBE, WBE, SBE Subcontractor's Letter of Intent MUST Accompany the Bid!!**

SBE UTILIZATION

Name of SBE and contact person: \_\_\_\_\_

Business Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Description of Work, Services or Supplies to be provided: \_\_\_\_\_

CONTRACT ITEM NO.: \_\_\_\_\_

Total Dollar Amount Participation: \_\_\_\_\_

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SBE UTILIZATION

Name of SBE and contact person: \_\_\_\_\_

Business Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Description of Work, Services or Supplies to be provided: \_\_\_\_\_

CONTRACT ITEM NO.: \_\_\_\_\_

Total Dollar Amount Participation: \_\_\_\_\_

(Attach additional sheets as needed)

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## SIGNATURE SECTION

On Behalf of THC CONSTRUCTION COMPANIES, LLC I/We hereby acknowledge that  
(name of company)

I/WE have read Revised Appendix D, will comply with the provisions of Revised Appendix D, and intend to use the MBEs, WBEs, and SBEs listed above in the performance of this contract and/or have completed the Waiver Request Form. To the best of my knowledge, information and belief, the facts and representations contained in this Exhibit are true, and no material facts have been omitted.

I do solemnly declare and affirm under penalties of perjury that the contents of the foregoing document are true and correct, and that I am authorized, on behalf of the bidder, to make this affidavit.

8/27/19  
8/13/19  
7/11/19  
Date

[Signature]  
Signature of Authorized Officer

ATTEST:

DAVID J. ROCK, PRESIDENT  
Print name and title

[Signature]  
Secretary WALTER P. DWYER

(847) 742-1516  
Phone number

- 1) The Bidder is required to sign and execute this page, EVEN IF A WAIVER IS BEING REQUESTED.
- 2) Failure to do so will result in a nonresponsive bid and rejection of the bid.
- 3) If a waiver is requested, the bidder must also complete the following "WAIVER REQUEST FORM."

The MBE, WBE, SBE Utilization Plan and the MBE, WBE, SBE Subcontractor's Letter of Intent MUST Accompany the Bid!!



VBE COMMITMENT FORM

1. Name of VBE: Sullwood Inc.  
Identify MBE, WBE, SBE Status: VBE Address: 600 North Albany IR  
City, State, Zip Code: Chicago, IL 60612  
Contact Person: Frederick Woods Telephone Number: (312) 810-8757  
eMail Address: fjw@sullwood.com  
Dollar Amount of Participation: \$ 90,000.00 Percent of Participation: 3.0%  
Scope of Work: Furnish Flex Covers - Partial

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2. Name of VBE: \_\_\_\_\_  
Identify MBE, WBE, SBE Status: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City, State Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_  
Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
eMail Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Dollar Amount of Participation: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Percent of Participation: \_\_\_\_\_ %  
Scope of Work: \_\_\_\_\_

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3. Name of VBE: \_\_\_\_\_  
Identify MBE, WBE, SBE Status: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City, State Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_  
Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
eMail Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Dollar Amount of Participation: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Percent of Participation: \_\_\_\_\_ %  
Scope of Work: \_\_\_\_\_

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4. Name of VBE: \_\_\_\_\_  
Identify MBE, WBE, SBE Status: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City, State, Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_  
Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
eMail Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Dollar Amount of Participation: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Percent of Participation: \_\_\_\_\_ %  
Scope of Work: \_\_\_\_\_

Attach a copy of qualifications for each VBE firm