

INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM

METROPOLITAN WATER RECLAMATION DISTRICT OF GREATER CHICAGO

DEPARTMENT: General Administration
Diversity Section

DATE: November 10, 2022

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

FROM: Regina D. Berry, Diversity Administrator

RDB *RDB*

SUBJECT: Contract 21-262-3S – Calumet 18E Relief Connecting Structure & Sewer Work

LOW BIDDER: Rausch Infrastructure, LLC

The Bidder, **Rausch Infrastructure, LLC**, has submitted company information and “MBE/WBE/SBE Business Verification Forms for the firms identified on the subject contract’s Affirmative Action Utilization Plan.

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

<u>M/WBE</u>	<u>SBE</u>	<u>VBE</u>
20%	10%	3%

Therefore, **Rausch Infrastructure, LLC** is in apparent compliance with the requirements of Affirmative Action Ordinance Revised Appendix D.

*Bidder offers self to satisfy the SBE requirements

RDB:AM

Attachment

c: D. LoCascio, L. Cornier, S. Morakalis, A. Mitchell, 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: RAUSCH INFRASTRUCTURE, LLC

Contract No.: 21-262-3S

Affirmative Action Contact & Phone No.: WILLIAM M RAUSCH - 708-667-0165

E-Mail Address: WMRAUSCH@RAUSCH.LLC

Total Bid: \$2,817,700.00

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

(VENDOR MUST UPLOAD INTO BONFIRE PORTAL) P - 9

The Bidder hereby accepts the invitation of the Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago to submit this Proposal with the understanding that it will not be canceled or withdrawn after the date for submission has passed.

The Bidder is required to state the legal name of their firm below and fill out the remaining information. Do not use abbreviated versions to state your firm's name. If your firm is a Corporation or LLC your firm must be and remain in good standing and authorized to transact business in the State of Illinois through the Secretary of State's Office. Failure to do so may be cause to declare your bid non-responsive.

Dated this 11TH day of OCTOBER, A.D., 2022.

LEGAL NAME OF FIRM RAUSCH INFRASTRUCTURE, LLC

SIGNATURE OF AUTHORIZED OFFICER *William M Rausch*

PRINT NAME OF OFFICER WILLIAM M RAUSCH

TITLE OF OFFICER CHIEF EXECUTIVE MANAGER

ADDRESS 1111 E TOUHY AVE SUITE 120, DES PLAINES, IL 60018

TELEPHONE 708-667-0165

EMAIL WMRAUSCH@RAUSCH.LLC

FEDERAL TAX IDENTIFICATION NUMBER 46-4833432

ATTEST:

Anthony Rausch

(Signature of Secretary)

(Seal)

ANTHONY RAUSCH

(Print Name)



ALL SIGNATURES SHALL BE IN WRITING AND NO PROPOSAL SHALL BE CONSIDERED UNLESS SO SIGNED.

Bidders shall acknowledge receipt of any addenda to this Proposal by identifying the addenda numbers in the space provided below.

NOTE: By identifying the addenda numbers, the Bidder acknowledges that they have taken into consideration all revisions of each addendum when preparing and submitting the Proposal. Bidding documents are available online, and any addenda issued for this contract will only be available online at the District's website, www.mwrd.org. The path is as follows: Doing Business → Procurement and Material Management → Contract Announcements. Addenda will also be emailed/faxed to each person receiving a set of the contract documents.

Addendum No.(s) 001

THE AFFIDAVIT ON THE FOLLOWING PAGE MUST BE FILLED OUT, SIGNED BY THE BIDDER, AND PROPERLY NOTARIZED WHERE INDICATED.

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: CARDINAL STATE, LLC - ROGER WIESE
Business Phone Number: 630-320-9257 Email Address: ROGERW@CARDINALSTATELLC.COM
Address: 1719 SPRING CREEK RD, BARRINGTON HILLS, IL 60010
Description of Work, Services or Supplies to be provided: LANDSCAPING
CONTRACT ITEM NO.: COST PROPOSAL A
Total Dollar Amount Participation: \$70,823.00

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 MBE and contact person: E4 CONTRACTOR INC - DATTA PANDIT
Business Phone Number: 773-716-5122 Email Address: TINA@E4CONTRACTOR.COM
Address: 9036 OCONTO AVE, MORTON GROVE, IL 60053
Description of Work, Services or Supplies to be provided: SEWER WORK
CONTRACT ITEM NO.: COST PROPOSAL A
Total Dollar Amount Participation: \$180,000.00

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 MBE and contact person: MECCOR INDUSTRIES LTD - AL THROW
Business Phone Number: 847-676-0202 Email Address: ATHROW@MECCOR.COM
Address: 3933 OAKTON STREET, SKOKIE, IL 60076
Description of Work, Services or Supplies to be provided: GRATING/LOUVER
CONTRACT ITEM NO.: COST PROPOSAL A
Total Dollar Amount Participation: \$105,000.00

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!!!

(Attach additional sheets as needed)

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: TYRO CONSTRUCTION - DAVE PATEL
Business Phone Number: 630-277-2593 Email Address: DPATEL@TYROCONSTRUCTION.COM
Address: 2332 SOUTH MICHIGAN AVE, CHICAGO, IL 60616
Description of Work, Services or Supplies to be provided: ASPHALT WORK
CONTRACT ITEM NO.: COST PROPOSAL A
Total Dollar Amount Participation: \$38,842.00

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 MBE 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: _____

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 MBE 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: _____

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!!!

(Attach additional sheets as needed)

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

WBE UTILIZATION

Name of WBE and contact person: MA REBAR SERVICE - THERESA KERN
Business Phone Number: 773-415-7842 Email Address: TK@MAREBARSERVICES.COM
Address: 1415 W 37TH STREET, CHICAGO, IL 60609
Description of Work, Services or Supplies to be provided: REBAR WORK
CONTRACT ITEM NO.: COST PROPOSAL A
Total Dollar Amount Participation: \$80,000.00

If the WBE 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!!!

WBE UTILIZATION

Name of WBE and contact person: ANDERSEN CONCRETE PUMPING - JOAN ANDERSEN
Business Phone Number: 708-333-4433 Email Address: OFFICE@ANDERSEN PUMP.COM
Address: 60 E TAFT DR, SOUTH HOLLAD, IL 60473
Description of Work, Services or Supplies to be provided: CONCRETE PUMPING
CONTRACT ITEM NO.: COST PROPOSAL A
Total Dollar Amount Participation: \$10,000.00

If the WBE 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!!!

WBE UTILIZATION

Name of WBE and contact person: E. KING CONSTRUCTION - ELAINE KING
Business Phone Number: 773-284-9800 Email Address: EKINGTRNG@AOL.COM
Address: 3865 W COLUMBUS DR, CHICAGO, IL 60652
Description of Work, Services or Supplies to be provided: TRUCKING & SOIL DISPOSAL
CONTRACT ITEM NO.: COST PROPOSAL A & B
Total Dollar Amount Participation: \$72,000.00

If the WBE 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!!!

(Attach additional sheets as needed)

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

WBE UTILIZATION

Name of WBE and contact person: FLOOD TESTING LABORATORIES- SUSANNE FLOOD
Business Phone Number: 773-721-2200 Email Address: SLFLOOD@FLOODLABS.COM
Address: 1945 E 87TH ST, CHICAGO, IL 60617
Description of Work, Services or Supplies to be provided: TESTING SERVICES
CONTRACT ITEM NO.: COST PROPOSAL A
Total Dollar Amount Participation: \$8,000.00

If the WBE 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!!!

WBE UTILIZATION

Name of WBE 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: _____

If the WBE 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!!!

WBE UTILIZATION

Name of WBE 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: _____

If the WBE 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!!!

(Attach additional sheets as needed)

SBE UTILIZATION

Name of SBE and contact person: RAUSCH INFRASTRUCTURE, LLC - WILLIAM M RAUSCH
Business Phone Number: 708-667-0165 Email Address: WMRAUSCH@RAUSCH.LLC
Address: 1111 E TOUHY AVE #120, DES PLAINES, IL 60018
Description of Work, Services or Supplies to be provided: _____
GENERAL CONTRACTOR
CONTRACT ITEM NO.: COST PROPOSAL A & B
Total Dollar Amount Participation: \$282,000.00

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: _____

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: _____

(Attach additional sheets as needed)

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

SIGNATURE SECTION

On Behalf of RAUSCH INFRASTRUCTURE, 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.

10/11/2022

Date



Signature of Authorized officer

ATTEST:

WILLIAM M RAUSCH, CHIEF EXEC. MGR

Print name and title



Secretary ANTHONY RAUSCH

708-667-0165

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!

WAIVER REQUEST FORM

If a waiver is requested, the Bidder is required to sign and execute this page.

Contract No.: _____

Name of Bidder: _____

Contact Person and Phone Number: _____

With respect to the contract specified above, the Bidder hereby requests a total or partial waiver of the requirement that, pursuant to Section 12 (a)-(d) of the Affirmative Action Ordinance, Revised Appendix D, it files a MBE, WBE, SBE Utilization Plan or achieve a particular goal for MBE, WBE, SBE participation in the contract. The reasons for the request are as follows:

N/A

On Behalf of _____ I/We hereby acknowledge that
(name of company)

I/WE have read Affirmative Action Ordinance, Revised Appendix D, will comply with the provisions of Affirmative Action Ordinance, Revised Appendix D, and intend to use the MBEs, WBEs, and SBEs listed in the MBE, WBE, SBE Utilization Plan in the performance of this contract and have completed the Waiver Request Form. To the best of my knowledge, information and belief, the facts and representations contained in this Waiver Request Form 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 contractor, to make this affidavit.

Date

Signature of Authorized officer

ATTEST:

Print name and title

Secretary

Phone number

NOTE TO BIDDERS

All Waiver requests are evaluated carefully by the District. The evaluation is based on your firm's documented GOOD FAITH EFFORTS.

The GOOD FAITH EFFORTS MUST be Undertaken PRIOR to your bid submittal to the District. Good Faith Efforts are identified on pp. D15-D16, Section 12. Utilization Plan Submission (e), (i) (i)-(xi).

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 N ALBANY
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: \$ 55,000.00 Percent of Participation: 1.95 %
Scope of Work: FURNISH FRP & STEEL

2. Name of VBE: MOHR OIL
Identify MBE, WBE, SBE Status: VBE Address: 7340 W HARRISON ST
City, State Zip Code: FOREST PARK, IL 60130
Contact Person: MIKE MOHR Telephone Number: 708-366-2900
eMail Address: SALES@MOHROIL.COM
Dollar Amount of Participation: \$ 20,000.00 Percent of Participation: 0.70 %
Scope of Work: SUPPLY FUEL

3. Name of VBE: VIKING BROS. INC.
Identify MBE, WBE, SBE Status: VBE Address: 1665 EASTWOOD DRIVE
City, State Zip Code: AURORA, IL 60506
Contact Person: CRIAG MELBY Telephone Number: 630-957-7799
eMail Address: VBIINC@SBCGLOBAL.NET
Dollar Amount of Participation: \$ 10,000.00 Percent of Participation: 0.35 %
Scope of Work: HAULING SERVICES

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