

INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM

METROPOLITAN WATER RECLAMATION DISTRICT OF GREATER CHICAGO

DEPARTMENT: General Administration
Diversity Section

DATE: April 19, 2022

TO: Catherine O'Conner, Director of Engineering


FROM: Regina D. Berry, Diversity Administrator

SUBJECT: **Contract 14-111-5FR, Flood Control Project on 1st Avenue from Roosevelt Road to Cermak Road, SSA**

Bidder: Rausch Infrastructure, LLC

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

The MBE, WBE and SBE utilization goals, for the subject contract are 20% MBE, 10% WBE, 10% SBE and 3% VBE. The Affirmative Action goal category is “General Construction Services”. 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>
20%	10.02%	*	3.069%

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

RDB:JHB

Attachment

cc: Darlene A. LoCascio, Cornier, Morakalis, Bullock, File

* Bidder offers themselves to satisfy SBE participation

**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.: 14-111-5FR

Affirmative Action Contact & Phone No.: William M Rausch 708-667-0165

E-Mail Address: wmrausch@rausch.llc

Total Bid: \$9,577,000.00

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: E4 Contractor, Inc - Datta Pandit

Business Phone Number: 773-716-5122 Email Address: tina@e4contractor.com

Address: PO Box 378 Morton Grove, IL 60053

Description of Work, Services or Supplies to be provided: _____

Utilities / Sewer Work

CONTRACT ITEM NO.: Item # 1

Total Dollar Amount Participation: \$1,510,000.00

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: 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.: ITEM #1

Total Dollar Amount Participation: \$410,000.00

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: _____

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 11, Counting MBE, WBE and SBE Participation towards Contract Goals. (a) (b) (c)

WBE UTILIZATION

Name of WBE and contact person: E. King Construction - Elaine King

Business Phone Number: 773-284-9800 Email Address: ekingtrkg@aol.com

Address: 3865 W Columbus Drive, Chicago, IL 60652

Description of Work, Services or Supplies to be provided: Trucking & Disposal

CONTRACT ITEM NO.: Item #1 and Allowance Item #2

Total Dollar Amount Participation: \$870,000.00

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: Work Zone Safety Inc - Pam Ackerman

Business Phone Number: 815-834-0429 Email Address: pam@workzonesafetyinc.com

Address: 17051 Gaylord Rd Crest Hill, IL 60403

Description of Work, Services or Supplies to be provided: Traffic Control

CONTRACT ITEM NO.: ITEM #1 AND ITEM #3

Total Dollar Amount Participation: \$69,500.00

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: City Lights, LTD - Jacqueline Hoffman

Business Phone Number: 773-626-9162 Email Address: claire@citylightsltd.com

Address: 9993 Virginia Ave Chicago Ridge, IL 60415

Description of Work, Services or Supplies to be provided: Electrical Work

CONTRACT ITEM NO.: ITEM #1

Total Dollar Amount Participation: \$18,480.00

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)

SBE UTILIZATION

Name of SBE and contact person: Rausch Infrastructure, LLC - William 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.: Item #1 thru Item #7

Total Dollar Amount Participation: \$1,000,000.00

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
(name of company)

I/We hereby acknowledge that

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.

1/11/22

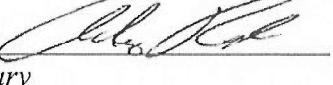
Date



Signature of Authorized officer

ATTEST:

William M Rausch, Chief Exec Mgr
Print name and title

Anthony Rausch

Secretary

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!!!

VBE COMMITMENT FORM

1. Name of VBE: Mohr Oil
Identify MBE, WBE, SBE Status: VBE Address: 7340 Harrison Street
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: \$ 100,000.00 Percent of Participation: 1.02 %
Scope of Work: Supply Fuel

2. 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: Craig Melby Telephone Number: 630-957-7799
eMail Address: vbiinc@sbcglobal.net
Dollar Amount of Participation: \$ 194,000.00 Percent of Participation: 1.99 %
Scope of Work: Hauling Services

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: _____

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