

June 16, 2021

Mayor Jerry L. Demings -AND-County Commissioners



Carrie Mathes, CFCM, NIGP-CPP, CPPO, C.P.M., Manager, Procurement Division

Contact: Hazem El-Assar, Chief Engineer, Traffic Engineering Division 407-836-7866

Subject: Award of Invitations for Bids Y21-758-FH Orange County Traffic Signal Mast Arm Upgrades

## ACTION REQUESTED:

Approval to award Invitation for Bids Y21-758-FH Orange County Traffic Signal Mast Arm Upgrades, to the low responsive, responsible bidder, Chinchor Electric, Inc. in the total contract award amount of \$2,131,028.95.

#### PROCUREMENT:

Work under this contract consists of the upgrade of eight existing traffic signals from concrete strain poles to mast arms to mitigate potential hazard related to hurricanes. The project is located throughout Orange County, Florida.

#### FUNDING:

Funding is available in account number 1004-072-2720-6320.

#### APPROVALS:

The Traffic Engineering and Business Development Divisions concur with this recommendation.

#### **REMARKS:**

Four bids were received in response to this Invitation for Bids (IFB) and were evaluated for responsiveness, responsibility, and price reasonableness. The bid submitted by The New Florida Industrial Electric, Inc. was deemed non-responsive for failing to acknowledge Addendums No. 1 through 5 and not using the Schedule of Prices contained in the IFB.

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The bid submitted by Chinchor Electric, Inc. is considered reasonable based on the engineer's estimate. References provided were satisfactory for this type of work and Chinchor Electric, Inc. has been determined to be responsible. Therefore, award is recommended to Chinchor Electric, Inc.

# **Bids Received**

BIDS RECEIVED:	TOTAL BASE BID
Chinchor Electric, Inc.	\$ 2,131,028.95
Traffic Control Devices, Inc.	\$ 2,164,800.00
American Lighting and Signalization, LLC	\$ 2,674,268.00
The New Florida Industrial Electric, Inc.	Non-Responsive



### **Interoffice Memorandum**

June 15, 2021

To: Fabio Henao, Contracting Agent Procurement Division

FROM: Sheena Ferguson, Manager Business Development Division

SUBJECT: Y21-758- FH Traffic Signal Mast Arm Upgrades (Revised)

Orange County would receive federal funding through the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) for the services solicited in the Invitation to Bid. Accordingly, Orange County's M/WBE ordinance and program do not apply to this solicitation.

Orange County shall participate in the federal requirements 2 CFR 200.321 (or 45 C. F. R. 75.330 for Health and Human Services funds) to ensure small and minority-owned firms, women-owned business enterprises, and labor surplus area firms have been afforded subcontracting opportunities.

The Business Development Division evaluated the three bids to denote whether an executed and notarized "Affidavit of Compliance Requirements" form submitted with the proposal followed the federal requirements. American Lighting and Signalization, LLC, Chinchor Electric, Inc. and Traffic Control Devices, Inc. provided the executed and notarized federal compliance forms.

Listed below are respondents to the subject IFB with their small and minority-owned firms, women-owned business enterprises, and labor surplus area firms' utilization:

American Lighting and Signalization, LLC	11.1%
Chinchor Electric, Inc	5%
Traffic Control Devices, Inc.	TBD