



Notice of Intent to Award

Solicitation Number	197248	Award Date	3/4/2022 4:09 PM CST	
Solicitation Title	Right of Way and Property Litter Removal			
Buyer Name	Jonathan Meadows	Buyer Email	jonathan.meadows@nashville.gov	
BAO Rep	Sierra Washington	BAO Email	sierra.washington@nashville.gov	

Awarded Supplier(s)

In reference to the above solicitation and contingent upon successful contract negotiation, it is the intent of the Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson County to award to the following supplier(s):

Company Name	Big AL Mowing LLC	Company Contact	Libby Phillips	
Street Address	7410 Lakeview Drive			
City	Nashville	State	TN	Zipcode 37209

Company Name		Company Contact		
Street Address				
City		State		Zipcode

Company Name		Company Contact		
Street Address				
City		State		Zipcode

Certificate of Insurance

The awarded supplier(s) must submit a certificate of insurance (COI) indicating all applicable coverage required by the referenced solicitation. The COI should be emailed to the referenced buyer no more than 15 days after the referenced award date.

Equal Business Opportunity Program

Where applicable, the awarded supplier(s) must submit a signed copy of the letter of intent to perform for any and all minority-owned (MBE) or woman-owned (WBE) subcontractors included in the solicitation response. The letter(s) should be emailed to the referenced business assistance office (BAO) rep no more than two business days after the referenced award date.

Yes, the EBO Program is applicable. No, the EBO Program is not applicable.

Monthly Reporting

Where applicable, the awarded supplier(s) will be required monthly to submit evidence of participation and payment to all small (SBE), minority-owned (MBE), women-owned (WBE), LGBT-owned (LGBTBE), and service disabled veteran owned (SDV) subcontractors. Sufficient evidence may include, but is not necessarily limited to copies of subcontracts, purchase orders, applications for payment, invoices, and cancelled checks.

Questions related to contract compliance may be directed to the referenced BAO rep.

Yes, monthly reporting is applicable. No, monthly reporting is not applicable.

Public Information and Records Retention

Solicitation and award documentation are available upon request. Please email the referenced buyer to arrange.

A copy of this notice will be placed in the solicitation file and sent to all offerors.

Right to Protest

Per MCL 4.36.010 – any actual or prospective bidder, offeror, or contractor who is aggrieved in connection with the solicitation or award of a contract may protest to the purchasing agent. The protest shall be submitted in writing within ten (10) days after such aggrieved person knows or should have known of the facts giving rise thereto.

JHR Supervisor (Initial)

Michelle A. Hernandez Lane
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Purchasing Agent & Chief Procurement Officer

RFQ 197248 Right of Way and Property Litter Removal Evaluation Team/Review Board Score Sheet		
Offeror	Big AI Mowing LLC	Tiny's Construction, LLC
Qualifications and Experience (20 Points)	15.00	18.00
Methodology and Approach (45 Points)	35.00	38.00
Cost (35 Points)	28.96	35.00
Total Evaluation Scores (100 Points)	78.96	91.00

*Project Return withdrew their offer.

*Tiny's Construction LLC's offer was rescinded due to failure of contract negotiations

Evaluation Comments

Big AI Mowing LLC
Strengths
Proposal demonstrated prior TDOT experience working in the right of way. Staff has knowledge of MUTCD through provided trainings. Provided a good example of a route plan, including a map.
Weaknesses
Failed to provide detailed resumes, only summary of work to be performed by individuals. Proposal failed to provide details related to litter abatement methods. Submitted Traffic Control and Safety Plan was generic and lacked details. Proposal was not provided in PDF format as requested. Overall proposal was generic and lacked specificity to Metro's needs.

Tiny's Construction, LLC
Strengths
Proposal demonstrated extensive experience working in right of way. Organization Chart was detailed. Proposal included litter abatement methods that included solutions to numerous right of way obstacles. Video status reports and geotagging of illegal dump sites demonstrate efficient use of technology and equipment. Proposed approach demonstrated efficient use of labor and equipment through use of vacuum trucks in performing scope of work.
Weaknesses
Description of prime and sub level experience in similar services lacked detail. Proposal failed to provide example route plan but included a narrative approach. Failed to demonstrate knowledge of MUTCD even though property clean up could include minimum right-of-way impact. Recycling plan was generic and lacked detail. Health and Safety plan was generic. Response exceeded 5 page limit.

Solicitation Title & Number	SBE/SDV Participation Requirement	RFP Cost Points
RFQ 197248; Right of Way and Property Litter Removal	7%	35
Offeror's Name	Total Bid Amount	RFP Cost Points
Tiny's Construction, LLC	\$8,757,665.86	35.00
Big Al Mowing, LLC	\$10,584,611.70	28.96

*Project Return Withdrew Offer

*Tiny's Constuction LLC's offer was rescinded due to failure of contract negotiations.



Statement of M/WBE Utilization

Proposer's/Firm's Name: **Big AL Mowing LLC** Proposer's Phone #: **615--279-8050**

Solicitation Title: **Right of Way and Property Litter Removal** Proposer's Email Address: **libby@bigalmowing.com**

Solicitation #: **197248,3** WBE Amount Self-performed : **100%**

Proposer's/Firm's Ownership: Total Bid Amount: **10,266,063.55**

Proposed EBO Goal (%): **12** MBE% **5** WBE% EBO Goal Met? (Y/N) **NO**

The following MWBE* subcontractor(s)/supplier(s) will be utilized for the performance of this project:

MBE/WBE Firm Name	MBE/WBE Firm Address	Phone/E-Mail	Certificate Type (MBE or WBE)	* MBE/WBE Group Type *	Code # UNSPS/NAICS	Description of Work	MBE/WBE Dollars (\$)	Percent of Total Contract
1 n/a-self-performing work			Select	Select				
2			Select	Select				
3			Select	Select				
4			Select	Select				
5			Select	Select				
6			Select	Select				
7			Select	Select				

I am the duly authorized representative and certify the facts and representations contained in this form and supporting documents are true and correct.

Authorized Representative (Printed Name/Title/Signature)

Aubrey Phillips

Date

*Note: MWBE is defined as business enterprise maintaining a significant business presence in the Program Area & performing a commercial useful function that is owned by one or more of the following: (1) African Americans (2) Native Americans, (3) Hispanic Americans, (4) Asian Americans, and (5) Women.

Has Prime Complied with EBO Goal? **NO** **For Internal Office Use ONLY** **YES**

If No, Good Faith Efforts Met?

BAO Representative: **Sierra Washington** **Metro Buyer:** **Jonathan Meadows** **Project Manager:** **Sharon Smith** **Date:** **02/04/22**

Total MBE Subcontracting 0 % \$ 0

Total WBE Subcontracting 0 % \$ 0

Total MBE/WBE Participation: 0 % \$ 0

BAO Notes:

BAO SBE Assessment Sheet

BAO Specialist: Sierra Washington

Contract Specialist: Jonathan Meadows

Date: 02/04/2022

Department Name: Water Services

RFP/ITB Number: 197248

Project Name: Right of Way and Property Litter Removal (7% SBE/SDV Requirement)

Primary Contractor:	SBE/SDV Requirement Acknowledged	Comments
Big AL Mowing, LLC.	Yes	The prime is not a Metro approved SBE, and proposed the utilization of Alliance Synergy Group, Crayons and Marketers, Design Consultants, Inc. and Carver Construction Company. Proposer has acknowledged the 7% SBE/SDV participation expectations over the life of the project as required by the solicitation and consequences of misrepresentation.



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All Offerors on RFQ 197248, Right of Way Litter Removal

Offerors:

Please be advised that the non-responsiveness determination issued to Big AL Mowing, LLC is hereby reversed. The Purchasing Agent has determined it is in the best interest of Metro to do so because the original non-responsiveness determination was issued in error and should not have been issued.

Respectfully,

Michelle A. Hernandez Lane

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Chief Procurement Officer/Purchasing Agent
Metropolitan Government of Nashville & Davidson County

cc: Solicitation Files
All Offerors on RFQ 197248