

METROPOLITAN GOVERNMENT OF NASHVILLE AND DAVIDSON COUNTY



John Cooper
Mayor

Kevin Crumbo
Director of Finance

June 18, 2020

All Proposers on RFQ 51058 Bituminous Asphalt Materials

Dear Bidders:

I have reviewed the responses submitted pursuant to the above issued solicitation. I have also reviewed all procurement documents related thereto. Please note that as Purchasing Agent I am exercising discretion under the Metropolitan Procurement Code and Procurement Regulations and consistent with the provisions of the solicitation itself, to reject a part of the offers presented by Vulcan Materials Company, LLC, and Jones Bros. Contractors LLC.

Specifically, the portion of the offers that is being rejected is the small business offers provided, as the small business incentive methodology engaged for this solicitation was not appropriate; instead of the use of a small business cost incentive, a non-evaluative small business requirement should have been applied to this IDIQ solicitation. Therefore, the awards made to Vulcan Materials Company, LLC and Rogers Group/Reostone LLC are hereby rescinded.

The submitted bids will be reviewed excluding this portion of the offers. The results of that review, and subsequent award(s), will be presented to all offerors under separate cover.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Michelle A. Hernandez Lane".

Michelle A. Hernandez Lane
Purchasing Agent