



April 18, 2024

Mr. Robert Rivera
Public Works Director
City of New Port Richey
6132 Pine Hill Road
Port Richey, FL 34668

**Re: Grand Blvd Multi-Use Pathway
ITB 24-016 Bid Recommendation**

Mr. Rivera:

On April 11th, 2024 at 2:00 PM local time, bid proposals were opened for the above-referenced project. Attached is the bid tabulation results containing the bidders name and bid cost.

From the bid tabulation results, there were a total of three (3) bids received for the Grand Blvd Multi-Use Pathway project. The distribution of bids, between the highest and lowest varies with the highest bid being 3,358,355.46 and the lowest bid being 1,733,106.56. Two of the bidders, Ajax Paving and Augustine Construction had mathematical errors that were found but it did not affect the outcome of the bid.

The lowest bid of \$1,733,106.56 was submitted by Augustine Construction, Inc. Augustine had a small math error on their original bid of 1,733,296.43, but it did not affect the outcome of the bid. The revised bid amount was \$1,733,106.56. I have discussed the bid with Augustine Construction, Inc. and have been assured that they understand the bid documents and are comfortable with their bid amount and the work that is expected by the City.

Therefore, I am confident that Augustine Construction, Inc. is qualified and capable of performing all the work described in the bid documents and recommend that the City of New Port Richey award the Grand Boulevard Multi-Use Pathway to Augustine Construction, Inc.

Sincerely,
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A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Sydney Luzier".

Sydney A. Luzier, PE
Project Manager

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