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

RE: Bid Recommendation - 2015/16 Pressure Cleaning and Exterior Painting for City Hall,

Library, and Fire Station Buildings

Mr. Rivera:

On December 10, 2015 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 the bid cost.

From the bid tabulation results, there were a total of nine (9) bids. The distribution of bids, between the highest and lowest varies considerably with the highest bid being \$204,159.00 and the lowest bid being \$45,500.00.

The lowest bid of \$45,500.00 was submitted by **VNP Painting Co.** The City has not worked with this company before, but has verified their work quality through discussions with past client references. I have discussed the bid with **VNP Painting Co.** 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 **VNP Painting Co.** is qualified and capable of performing all of the work described in the bid documents and recommend that the City of New Port Richey award this project to them in the amount of forty five thousand five hundred dollars (\$45,500.00).

Sincerely.

Chris Hanning, P.E. Assistant Public Works Director City of New Port Richey

Attachments