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LETTER OF INTENT TO BID *for*

United States Army Corp of Engineers Colorado River Phase 1 Project, Wharton, TX

Webber, LLC is pleased to inform you that the United States Army Corp of Engineers has short-listed Webber as a qualified Construction Manager to bid on the Colorado River Phase 1 Project, located in Wharton, Texas. (You can find more information at ([Wharton, TX \(cityofwharton.com\)](http://Wharton, TX (cityofwharton.com)).)

The work associated with Colorado River Levee Phase I Reaches 1-4 include over 11,480 linear feet of levee from the Rust property west of Wharton, Texas to U.S. Highway Business 59 (Richmond Road), five interior drainage (sump) areas, and a Hughes Street relief storm sewer system for Caney Creek. Associated construction activities include clearing and grubbing; excavation; grading; disposal of excess excavated material; asphalt pavement; storm drain; mitigation and site stabilization. Reference Colorado River Flood Control Project - Wharton, Texas construction documents for Levee Reaches 1-4 (signed/sealed) in by Halff Associates, Inc. (TBPE Firm #F-312) under Contract W9126G-08-D-0023 with the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers for site information. The scope of this project includes construction of new earthen levees, interior sumps, access drives, and paving. The total project area of the new construction site includes off-site material storage, is roughly 260 acres. The total project area of the remote demolition site is roughly 90 acres. The total disturbed area in this contract is roughly 230 acres.

USACE has affirmed their commitment to engaging Small and Local contractors and complying with their Small Business Proposal program by partnering with Small, Women, Veteran, Service Disabled Veteran and HUBZone Businesses for successful completion of this project. On an expansion project of this size, there will be opportunity for nearly every trade in the Heavy Civil and Marine industry.

Webber, LLC would like to begin corresponding with each of you that are interested in teaming and bidding possibilities on this project. Please complete and return the information sheet below to Federalbids@wwebber.com. Under business certifications, please inform that you are certified for work with the federal government, particularly through **HUBZone** or **8(a)** status.

Submit Letter of Intent no later than February 14th by 5pm to: Federalbids@wwebber.com

Once awarded this project, we want to make sure you are on our list to receive future project documents and project notifications. Please take the opportunity to register to our vendor database at: [Vendor Registration - Webber \(ferrovial.com\)](http://Vendor Registration - Webber (ferrovial.com))

Subcontractor / Vendor Name:

Contact Name:

Street Address:

City, State, Zip:

Phone:

Fax:

E-Mail:

Business Certifications:

Confirm HUBZone status and exit date:

Confirm 8(a) status and exit date:

NAICS Code:

Interested in bidding this Project:

YES: _____ **NO:** _____



Anticipated Bid Packages that you intend to bid:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Aggregates | <input type="checkbox"/> Guardrail |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asphalt Paving | <input type="checkbox"/> Levee Construction |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Barricades, Signs, Traffic Handling | <input type="checkbox"/> Miscellaneous Metals |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cast in Place Concrete | <input type="checkbox"/> Precast Drainage Materials |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Chain Link Fencing/Gates | <input type="checkbox"/> Seeding |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Clearing and Grubbing | <input type="checkbox"/> Signage |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Concrete Supply | <input type="checkbox"/> Reinforcing steel |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Demolition | <input type="checkbox"/> Sluice Gates |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Earthwork | <input type="checkbox"/> Storm Drain |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Erosion Control/SWPPP | <input type="checkbox"/> Trucking |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Flatwork, curb & gutter, sidewalk | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Geotextiles | |

Signature:

Title:



UTILIZATION OF SMALL BUSINESS CONCERNS (OCT 2018)

(a) *Definitions. As used in this contract—*

HUBZone small business concern means a small business concern, certified by the Small Business Administration, that appears on the List of Qualified HUBZone Small Business Concerns maintained by the Small Business Administration.

Service-disabled veteran-owned small business concern—

(1) Means a small business concern-

(i) Not less than 51 percent of which is owned by one or more service-disabled veterans or, in the case of any publicly owned business, not less than 51 percent of the stock of which is owned by one or more service-disabled veterans; and

(ii) The management and daily business operations of which are controlled by one or more service-disabled veterans or, in the case of a service-disabled veteran with permanent and severe disability, the spouse or permanent caregiver of such veteran.

(2) Service-disabled veteran means a veteran, as defined in [38 U.S.C.101\(2\)](#), with a disability that is service-connected, as defined in [38 U.S.C.101\(16\)](#).

Small business concern means a small business as defined pursuant to Section 3 of the Small Business Act and relevant regulations promulgated pursuant thereto.

Small disadvantaged business concern, consistent with 13 CFR 124.1002, means a small business concern under the size standard applicable to the acquisition, that-

(1) Is at least 51 percent unconditionally and directly owned (as defined at 13 CFR 124.105) by-

(i) One or more socially disadvantaged (as defined at 13 CFR 124.103) and economically disadvantaged (as defined at 13 CFR 124.104) individuals who are citizens of the United States; and

(ii) Each individual claiming economic disadvantage has a net worth not exceeding \$750,000 after taking into account the applicable exclusions set forth at 13 CFR 124.104(c)(2); and

(2) The management and daily business operations of which are controlled (as defined at 13.CFR 124.106) by individuals, who meet the criteria in paragraphs (1)(i) and (ii) of this definition.

Veteran-owned small business concern means a small business concern-

(1) Not less than 51 percent of which is owned by one or more veterans (as defined at [38 U.S.C.101\(2\)](#)) or, in the case of any publicly owned business, not less than 51 percent of the stock of which is owned by one or more veterans; and

(2) The management and daily business operations of which are controlled by one or more veterans.

Women-owned small business concern means a small business concern-

(1) That is at least 51 percent owned by one or more women, or, in the case of any publicly owned business, at least 51 percent of the stock of which is owned by one or more women; and

(2) Whose management and daily business operations are controlled by one or more women.

(b) It is the policy of the United States that small business concerns, veteran-owned small business concerns, service-disabled veteran-owned small business concerns, HUBZone small business concerns, small disadvantaged business concerns, and women-owned small business concerns shall have the maximum practicable opportunity to participate in performing contracts let by any Federal agency, including contracts and subcontracts for subsystems, assemblies, components, and related services for major systems. It is further the policy of the United States that its prime contractors establish procedures to ensure the timely payment of amounts due pursuant to the terms of their subcontracts with small business concerns, veteran-owned small business concerns, service-disabled veteran-owned small business concerns, HUBZone small business concerns, small disadvantaged business concerns, and women-owned small business concerns.

(c) The Contractor hereby agrees to carry out this policy in the awarding of subcontracts to the fullest extent consistent with efficient contract performance. The Contractor further agrees to cooperate in any studies or surveys as may be conducted by the United States Small Business Administration or the awarding agency of the United States as may be necessary to determine the extent of the Contractor's compliance with this clause.

(d)

(1) The Contractor may accept a subcontractor's written representations of its size and socioeconomic status as a small business, small disadvantaged business, veteran-owned small business, service-disabled veteran-owned small business, or a women-owned small business if the subcontractor represents that the size and socioeconomic status representations with its offer are current, accurate, and complete as of the date of the offer for the subcontract.

(2) The Contractor may accept a subcontractor's representations of its size and socioeconomic status as a small business, small disadvantaged business, veteran-owned small business, service-disabled veteran-owned small business, or a women-owned small business in the System for Award Management (SAM) if-

(i) The subcontractor is registered in SAM; and

(ii) The subcontractor represents that the size and socioeconomic status representations made in SAM are current, accurate and complete as of the date of the offer for the subcontract.

(3) The Contractor may not require the use of SAM for the purposes of representing size or socioeconomic status in connection with a subcontract.

(4) In accordance with 13 CFR 121.411, 124.1015, 125.29, 126.900, and 127.700, a contractor acting in good faith is not liable for misrepresentations made by its subcontractors regarding the subcontractor's size or socioeconomic status.

(5) The Contractor shall confirm that a subcontractor representing itself as a HUBZone small business concern is certified by SBA as a HUBZone small business concern by accessing the System for Award Management or by contacting the SBA. Options for contacting the SBA include-

(i) HUBZone small business database search application web page at http://dsbs.sba.gov/dsbs/search/dsp_searchhubzone.cfm; or <http://www.sba.gov/hubzone>;

(ii) In writing to the Director/HUB, U.S. Small Business Administration, 409 3 rd Street, SW., Washington, DC 20416; or

(iii) The SBA HUBZone Help Desk at hubzone@sba.gov



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BONDING ASSISTANCE INFORMATION

If you need assistance in obtaining bonding, you can refer to Small Business Administration (SBA) Houston District Office. The SBA has a surety bonding program that includes webinars and a list of bonding companies recommended by the SBA. Information about the program is found here:

<https://www.sba.gov/funding-programs/surety-bonds>

If you have any questions, please feel free to reach out to our Diversity Contract Compliance Manager, Sairi Bueno via email at sairi.bueno@webber.com.