



February 21, 2022

Mr. Corbin Ballast
Director of Utilities
City of Texas City
911 Highway 146 North
Texas City, Texas 77590

Re: **Letter of Recommendation for Sanitary Sewer Rehabilitation Project – Phase 21
BID #2022-413**
City of Texas City
ARKK Job No. 21-039

Dear Mr. Ballast:

On February 16, 2022, eight (8) bids were received for the above referenced project. This project involves the rehabilitation of existing sanitary sewer lines at locations throughout the City and rehabilitation of an existing 8" force main for Lift Station No. 18. Following is a summary of our bid evaluation:

1. Bid Tabulation Sheet – Eight (8) construction firms participated in the bidding process. The bids were checked for mathematical errors and/or bid irregularities. The project was bid with a base bid and one (1) Add Alternate. The Add Alternate included rehabilitation of additional sanitary sewer lines in the City.
2. As discussed with the City of Texas City, the Base Bid and Add Alternate No. 1 was utilized as a basis for award of the contract. The bids for the project (**Base Bid + Add Alternate No. 1**) are as follows:

<u>Bidder</u>	<u>Total Bid</u>
King Solution Services, LLC	\$1,158,870.00
Lopez Utilities Contractor, LLC	\$1,255,097.50
Texas Pride Utilities, LLC	\$1,336,167.50
T Construction, LLC	\$1,460,324.50
Cruz Tec, Inc.	\$1,504,605.00
CZ Construction, LLC	\$1,721,632.50
PM Construction & Rehab, LLC	\$1,727,962.50
Horseshoe Construction, Inc.	\$1,797,817.50

3. Qualifications and References – King Solution Services, LLC submitted a List of Qualifications, Subcontractors and Major Suppliers for this project. King Solution Services, LLC has successfully completed several previous phases, Sanitary Sewer Rehabilitation Project – Phase 18A, Sanitary Sewer Rehabilitation Project – Phase 18, and Sanitary Sewer Rehabilitation Project – Phase 19. King Solution Services, LLC has completed the work in a satisfactory manner. King Solution Services, LLC’s personnel are familiar with the City’s requirements and expectations. King Solution Services, LLC have indicated that they have the personnel and experience to complete the work and are planning to complete the work successfully.

King Solution Services, LLC appears to be a responsible firm that is capable of performing the specified work in a satisfactory manner. For these reasons, we recommend that the City of Texas City award the **Sanitary Sewer Rehabilitation Project – Phase 21 to King Solution Services, LLC for a total amount of \$1,158,870.00.**

If you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,

ARKK ENGINEERS, LLC



Mr. Madhu Kilambi, P.E.
Senior Project Manager

Cc: Mr. Jack Haralson – City of Texas City