



Hidalgo County Border Colonias Access Program

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Sharon Slagle, Colonia Project Manager
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600 West Expressway 83
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Re: Bid Award Number CAP-08-027-10-15-LRM 1st Call; North Country Estates Subdivision – CSJ: 5020-065-21, Diosa Lane and CSJ: 5020-066-21, Earth Lane and Basham No. 16 Subdivision – CSJ: 5020-462-21, Exterior County Road

Dear Sharon:

Attached please find information regarding the award of the above-referenced 1st Call Colonias Project for road construction and drainage.

Please be advised that the County will proceed to award the bid based on the following:

- 1). Engineers Recommendation
- 2). Bidder meets all County requirements
- 3). Bid is the lowest of bids received
- 4). Cost Breakdown

Javier Hinojosa Engineering/ Consultant Engineers has reviewed bids and tabulations and are recommending J.M. Construction as the low bidder for the above-referenced projects. The amounts budgeted for these projects are \$41,145.00 for Diosa Lane; \$41,145.00 for Earth Lane and \$82,106.00 for Basham 16 – Exterior County Road. These amounts are for both drainage work and road construction. Funds will be transferred from previous 1st Call completed projects and some funds from the Precinct's Road and Bridge account.

The award will be to the low bidder J.M. Construction for the bid in the amount of \$164,397.00. The bids received were as follows:

• J.M. Construction	\$164,397.00
• Valley Paving Inc.	\$166,427.90
• IOC Company	\$176,444.20
• Closner Construction Co.	\$176,642.80