



## COLONIA ACCESS PROGRAM County of Hidalgo

Agapito Vargas, Jr.  
Executive Director

29 April 2013

Judy Sanchez, Colonia Project Manager  
Texas Department of Transportation  
600 West Expressway 83  
Pharr, TX 78577

Re: Bid Award Number CAP-13-048-02-13-YSI 3rd Call Project Ramirez I, II and III  
Subdivision CSJ: 3C1080587, 3C1080588 and 3C1080589 respectively

Dear Judy:

Attached please find information regarding the award of the above-referenced 3<sup>rd</sup> Call Colonias Project for road construction and drainage.

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

1. Engineer's Recommendation
2. Bidder meets all County requirements
3. Bids is the lowest of bids received
4. Cost breakdown

Hinojosa Engineering has reviewed bids and tabulations and is recommending REIM Construction, Inc. of Mission, TX as the low bidder for the above-referenced project. The County was awarded for the three projects \$167,753.53.13 for Road Work and \$76,350.00 for Drainage for a total of \$244,103.53. Based on the apparent low bidder, the County will have an overrun of \$29,119.23 for Road Work and an overrun of \$3,355.40 for Drainage. The roadwork and drainage overruns will be covered by transferring funds from the County's Road and Bridge and BCAP drainage account. This additional amount will not exceed the \$500K/mile cap.

The award will be to the low bidder REIM Construction, Inc. with a low bid amount of \$255,390.25.

The bids were as follows:

Contractor	Read Total	Correct Total
Clore Construction, LLC	\$269,675.59	\$269,675.59
REIM Construction Inc.	\$255,390.25	\$255,390.25
2GS, LLC	\$271,167.75	\$271,167.75
Jimmy Closner & Sons Construction Co., Inc	\$268,469.30	\$268,469.30
Rojas Construction and Paving	\$399,668.40	\$399,679.59

Commissioner Jose M. Flores concurs with the engineering firm's recommendation and will present the recommendation to Commissioner's Court for approval, once concurrence has been provided by TXDOT.

Please note that the County Commissioner's Court will award the contract pending TXDOT concurrence.

If you require additional information, please feel free to contact me at 787-1891 or on my cell phone at 460-6364.

Sincerely Yours,



Agapito Vargas Jr., Director  
Hidalgo County Colonias Access Program

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