

Hidalgo County Precinct No. 1
Street Improvements Project (Old La Blanca Road)
geotechnical and construction material testing services
Years 26 (2013)
Grading-Ranking Grid

Criteria	RABA Kistner			MEG Engineers			TERRACON		
	Grader 1	Grader 2	Grader 3	Grader 1	Grader 2	Grader 3	Grader 1	Grader 2	Grader 3
Staffing of Project Team	18	25	25	21	25	25	16	25	24
Experience of Project Team/Ability to Commit Resources	15	20	20	16	20	18	16	20	20
Methodology/Experience/Availability of Project manager	15	20	18	15	20	16	16	20	15
Understanding of Project/Similar Projects	19	25	25	20	23	24	20	23	25
Familiarity with Applicable Rules & Regulations	7	10	10	8	7	10	8	8	10
TOTALS	75	100	98	80	95	93	76	96	94
AVERAGES	273÷3=91%			268÷3=89.33%			266÷3=88.67%		
RATING	1			2			3		

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(Including all funding sources, programs, and entities)

"Professional Engineering Services-Geotechnical and Construction Materials Testing Pool"

RFQ NO: 2013-003-12-05-SMA

SELECTION CRITERIA	POINTS	SCORE
1) STAFFING OF PROJECT TEAM -- (25 points maximum)		
➤ Provide information on their proposed professional team members	10	6
➤ Experience in performing various types of contracts for counties, cities or other clients as stated	10	8
➤ A list of various projects for comparative purposes	5	9
Comments/Rationale for points:	TOTAL	18
2) EXPERIENCE OF PROJECT TEAM/ABILITY TO COMMIT RESOURCES (20 points maximum)		
➤ Designate experienced engineering staff to efficiently perform the work.	10	7
➤ Identify the project team composition, project leadership, reporting responsibilities etc.	10	8
Comments/Rationale for points: <i>Not too extensive.</i>	TOTAL	15
3) METHODOLOGY (20 points maximum)		
➤ Knowledge, experience, and the equipment to provide the anticipated services	10	8
➤ Management Plan for the anticipated services that will be highly responsive to the needs and interests of the County	10	8
Comments/Rationale for points: <i>Process outlined well.</i>	TOTAL	15
4) UNDERSTANDING OF PROJECT/SIMILAR PROJECTS (25 points maximum)		
➤ Demonstrate an understanding of the scope of services	10	8
➤ Address appropriate Federal/State/Local regulations and policies. Knowledge and experience of working with multiple entities, counties, cities, etc.	5	4
➤ Identify information to be gathered or obtained/proposed approach to complete the scope	5	3
➤ RFQ responsiveness. Response is clear, well organized, easy to evaluate and appropriate to this RFQ	5	4
Comments/Rationale for points:	TOTAL	19
5) FAMILIARITY WITH APPLICABLE RULES and REGULATIONS (10 points maximum)		
➤ Indicate passed experience of the proposed Firm knowledge of governmental regulations, appropriate codes, guidelines, professional standards and policies	5	4
➤ Must contain a narrative that outlines applicable regulations, guidelines, standard and polices	5	3
Comments/Rationale for points:	TOTAL	7
	TOTAL SCORE:	75

Project Name: Old La Blanca Road

Department: _____

Firm/Participant Name: Raban Kistner

Evaluator: [Signature]

Date: 10-3-13

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1) STAFFING OF PROJECT TEAM-- (25 points maximum)		
➤ Provide information on their proposed professional team members	10	10
➤ Experience in performing various types of contracts for counties, cities or other clients as stated	10	10
➤ A list of various projects for comparative purposes	5	5
Comments/Rationale for points: <i>Meets all criteria</i>	TOTAL	25
2) EXPERIENCE OF PROJECT TEAM/ABILITY TO COMMIT RESOURCES (20 points maximum)		
➤ Designate experienced engineering staff to efficiently perform the work.	10	10
➤ Identify the project team composition, project leadership, reporting responsibilities etc.	10	10
Comments/Rationale for points: <i>Meets all criteria</i>	TOTAL	20
3) METHODOLOGY (20 points maximum)		
➤ Knowledge, experience, and the equipment to provide the anticipated services	10	10
➤ Management Plan for the anticipated services that will be highly responsive to the needs and interests of the County	10	10
Comments/Rationale for points: <i>Meets all criteria</i>	TOTAL	20
4) UNDERSTANDING OF PROJECT/SIMILAR PROJECTS (25 points maximum)		
➤ Demonstrate an understanding of the scope of services	10	10
➤ Address appropriate Federal/State/Local regulations and policies. Knowledge and experience of working with multiple entities, counties, cities, etc.	5	5
➤ Identify information to be gathered or obtained/proposed approach to complete the scope	5	5
➤ RFQ responsiveness. Response is clear, well organized, easy to evaluate and appropriate to this RFQ	5	5
Comments/Rationale for points: <i>Meets all criteria</i>	TOTAL	25
5) FAMILIARITY WITH APPLICABLE RULES and REGULATIONS (10 points maximum)		
➤ Indicate passed experience of the proposed Firm knowledge of governmental regulations, appropriate codes, guidelines, professional standards and policies	5	5
➤ Must contain a narrative that outlines applicable regulations, guidelines, standard and polices	5	5
Comments/Rationale for points: <i>Meets all criteria</i>	TOTAL	10
TOTAL SCORE:		100

Project Name: 2013 Precinct No. 1 - Street Improvements (Old La Blanca Rd.)

Department: Urban County Program

Firm/Participant Name: RABA Kistner

Evaluator: Antonio Barco

Date: 10/21/13

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1) STAFFING OF PROJECT TEAM -- (25 points maximum)		
➤ Provide information on their proposed professional team members	10	10
➤ Experience in performing various types of contracts for counties, cities or other clients as stated	10	10
➤ A list of various projects for comparative purposes	5	5
Comments/Rationale for points: Firm has 35 yrs plus and employees to accomplish proposed task as it relates to street improvements testing (materials)	TOTAL	25
2) EXPERIENCE OF PROJECT TEAM/ABILITY TO COMMIT RESOURCES (20 points maximum)		
➤ Designate experienced engineering staff to efficiently perform the work.	10	10
➤ Identify the project team composition, project leadership, reporting responsibilities etc.	10	10
Comments/Rationale for points: Demonstrates experience with related project SOQ very well defined	TOTAL	20
3) METHODOLOGY (20 points maximum)		
➤ Knowledge, experience, and the equipment to provide the anticipated services	10	10
➤ Management Plan for the anticipated services that will be highly responsive to the needs and interests of the County	10	08
Comments/Rationale for points: Firm located in McAllen; SOQ has time factor for response in the Valley	TOTAL	18
4) UNDERSTANDING OF PROJECT/SIMILAR PROJECTS (25) points maximum)		
➤ Demonstrate an understanding of the scope of services	10	10
➤ Address appropriate Federal/State/Local regulations and policies. Knowledge and experience of working with multiple entities, counties, cities, etc.	5	5
➤ Identify information to be gathered or obtained/proposed approach to complete the scope	5	5
➤ RFQ responsiveness. Response is clear, well organized, easy to evaluate and appropriate to this RFQ	5	5
Comments/Rationale for points: Meets Criteria as outlined	TOTAL	25
5) FAMILIARITY WITH APPLICABLE RULES and REGULATIONS (10 points maximum))		
➤ Indicate passed experience of the proposed Firm knowledge of governmental regulations, appropriate codes, guidelines, professional standards and policies	5	5
➤ Must contain a narrative that outlines applicable regulations, guidelines, standard and polices	5	5
Comments/Rationale for points: Meets Criteria as outlined	TOTAL	10
	TOTAL SCORE:	98

Project Name: Pct. #1 Street Improvements-Geo Tech (La Blanca Rd N of Mile 9 N to Mile 10)

Department: Urban County Program

Firm/Participant Name: Raba Kistner, Inc.

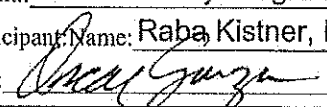
Evaluator:  (Oscar Garza, Program Coordinator) Date: October 10, 2013

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SELECTION CRITERIA	POINTS	SCORE
1) STAFFING OF PROJECT TEAM -- (25 points maximum)		
➤ Provide information on their proposed professional team members	10	9
➤ Experience in performing various types of contracts for counties, cities or other clients as stated	10	8
➤ A list of various projects for comparative purposes	5	4
Comments/Rationale for points: <i>Very well staffed with engineers Engineers and Technicians</i>	TOTAL	21
2) EXPERIENCE OF PROJECT TEAM/ABILITY TO COMMIT RESOURCES (20 points maximum)		
➤ Designate experienced engineering staff to efficiently perform the work.	10	8
➤ Identify the project team composition, project leadership, reporting responsibilities etc.	10	8
Comments/Rationale for points: <i>Team well qualified</i>	TOTAL	16
3) METHODOLOGY (20 points maximum)		
➤ Knowledge, experience, and the equipment to provide the anticipated services	10	8
➤ Management Plan for the anticipated services that will be highly responsive to the needs and interests of the County	10	7
Comments/Rationale for points: <i>methodology designed very well</i>	TOTAL	15
4) UNDERSTANDING OF PROJECT/SIMILAR PROJECTS (25 points maximum)		
➤ Demonstrate an understanding of the scope of services	10	8
➤ Address appropriate Federal/State/Local regulations and policies. Knowledge and experience of working with multiple entities, counties, cities, etc.	5	4
➤ Identify information to be gathered or obtained/proposed approach to complete the scope	5	4
➤ RFQ responsiveness. Response is clear, well organized, easy to evaluate and appropriate to this RFQ	5	4
Comments/Rationale for points: <i>well rounded experience and many years of technical engineering</i>	TOTAL	20
5) FAMILIARITY WITH APPLICABLE RULES and REGULATIONS (10 points maximum)		
➤ Indicate passed experience of the proposed Firm knowledge of governmental regulations, appropriate codes, guidelines, professional standards and policies	5	4
➤ Must contain a narrative that outlines applicable regulations, guidelines, standard and polices	5	4
Comments/Rationale for points:	TOTAL	8
TOTAL SCORE:		80

Project Name: Old La Blanca Road
Department: Hidalgo County Precinct 1
Firm/Participant Name: MEG Engineers
Evaluator: [Signature] Date: 10-3-13

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1) STAFFING OF PROJECT TEAM -- (25 points maximum)		
➤ Provide information on their proposed professional team members	10	10
➤ Experience in performing various types of contracts for counties, cities or other clients as stated	10	10
➤ A list of various projects for comparative purposes	5	5
Comments/Rationale for points: <i>Meets all criteria</i>	TOTAL	25
2) EXPERIENCE OF PROJECT TEAM/ABILITY TO COMMIT RESOURCES (20 points maximum)		
➤ Designate experienced engineering staff to efficiently perform the work.	10	10
➤ Identify the project team composition, project leadership, reporting responsibilities etc.	10	10
Comments/Rationale for points: <i>Meets all criteria</i>	TOTAL	20
3) METHODOLOGY (20 points maximum)		
➤ Knowledge, experience, and the equipment to provide the anticipated services	10	10
➤ Management Plan for the anticipated services that will be highly responsive to the needs and interests of the County	10	10
Comments/Rationale for points: <i>Meets all criteria</i>	TOTAL	20
4) UNDERSTANDING OF PROJECT/SIMILAR PROJECTS (25 points maximum)		
➤ Demonstrate an understanding of the scope of services	10	10
➤ Address appropriate Federal/State/Local regulations and policies. Knowledge and experience of working with multiple entities, counties, cities, etc.	5	4
➤ Identify information to be gathered or obtained/proposed approach to complete the scope	5	5
➤ RFQ responsiveness. Response is clear, well organized, easy to evaluate and appropriate to this RFQ	5	4
Comments/Rationale for points: <i>Meets most criteria, but is not specific in addressing appropriate federal/state & local rules and regulations, not easy to evaluate.</i>	TOTAL	23
5) FAMILIARITY WITH APPLICABLE RULES and REGULATIONS (10 points maximum)		
➤ Indicate passed experience of the proposed Firm knowledge of governmental regulations, appropriate codes, guidelines, professional standards and policies	5	4
➤ Must contain a narrative that outlines applicable regulations, guidelines, standard and polices	5	3
Comments/Rationale for points: <i>Does not specifically address knowledge of applicable rules & regulations on a narrative but have completed numerous projects that require knowledge and adherence to these regulations.</i>	TOTAL	7
	TOTAL SCORE:	95

Project Name: 2013 Precinct No. 1 - Street Improvements (Old La Blanca Rd.)

Department: Urban County Program

Firm/Participant Name: Millennium Engineers Group

Evaluator: ANTONIO BARCO Date: 10/21/13

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1) STAFFING OF PROJECT TEAM -- (25 points maximum)		
➤ Provide information on their proposed professional team members	10	10
➤ Experience in performing various types of contracts for counties, cities or other clients as stated	10	10
➤ A list of various projects for comparative purposes	5	5
Comments/Rationale for points: Meets Criteria as outlined	TOTAL	25
2) EXPERIENCE OF PROJECT TEAM/ABILITY TO COMMIT RESOURCES (20 points maximum)		
➤ Designate experienced engineering staff to efficiently perform the work.	10	10
➤ Identify the project team composition, project leadership, reporting responsibilities etc.	10	08
Comments/Rationale for points: Meets Criteria	TOTAL	18
3) METHODOLOGY (20 points maximum)		
➤ Knowledge, experience, and the equipment to provide the anticipated services	10	08
➤ Management Plan for the anticipated services that will be highly responsive to the needs and interests of the County	10	08
Comments/Rationale for points:	TOTAL	16
SOQ defines that 20% of time will be devoted to a project; unable to detect equipment as requested		
4) UNDERSTANDING OF PROJECT/SIMILAR PROJECTS (25) points maximum)		
➤ Demonstrate an understanding of the scope of services	10	10
➤ Address appropriate Federal/State/Local regulations and policies. Knowledge and experience of working with multiple entities, counties, cities, etc.	5	5
➤ Identify information to be gathered or obtained/proposed approach to complete the scope	5	5
➤ RFQ responsiveness. Response is clear, well organized, easy to evaluate and appropriate to this RFQ	5	4
Comments/Rationale for points: Meets Criteria as outlined	TOTAL	24
5) FAMILIARITY WITH APPLICABLE RULES and REGULATIONS (10 points maximum)		
➤ Indicate passed experience of the proposed Firm knowledge of governmental regulations, appropriate codes, guidelines, professional standards and policies	5	5
➤ Must contain a narrative that outlines applicable regulations, guidelines, standard and polices	5	5
Comments/Rationale for points: Meets Criteria as outlined	TOTAL	10
TOTAL SCORE:		93

Project Name: Pct. #1 Street Improvements-Geo Tech (La Blanca Rd N of Mile 9 N to Mile 10)

Department: Urban County Program

Firm/Participant Name: Millenium Engineering Group

Evaluator:  (Oscar Garza, Program Coordinator)

Date: October 10, 2013

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1) STAFFING OF PROJECT TEAM -- (25 points maximum)		
➤ Provide information on their proposed professional team members	10	8
➤ Experience in performing various types of contracts for counties, cities or other clients as stated	10	8
➤ A list of various projects for comparative purposes	5	
Comments/Rationale for points: <i>Engineers and Geologists on Board</i>	TOTAL	16
2) EXPERIENCE OF PROJECT TEAM/ABILITY TO COMMIT RESOURCES (20 points maximum)		
➤ Designate experienced engineering staff to efficiently perform the work.	10	5
➤ Identify the project team composition, project leadership, reporting responsibilities etc.	10	8
Comments/Rationale for points:	TOTAL	13
3) METHODOLOGY (20 points maximum)		
➤ Knowledge, experience, and the equipment to provide the anticipated services	10	8
➤ Management Plan for the anticipated services that will be highly responsive to the needs and interests of the County	10	8
Comments/Rationale for points:	TOTAL	16
4) UNDERSTANDING OF PROJECT/SIMILAR PROJECTS (25 points maximum)		
➤ Demonstrate an understanding of the scope of services	10	8
➤ Address appropriate Federal/State/Local regulations and policies. Knowledge and experience of working with multiple entities, counties, cities, etc.	5	4
➤ Identify information to be gathered or obtained/proposed approach to complete the scope	5	4
➤ RFQ responsiveness. Response is clear, well organized, easy to evaluate and appropriate to this RFQ	5	4
Comments/Rationale for points:	TOTAL	20
5) FAMILIARITY WITH APPLICABLE RULES and REGULATIONS (10 points maximum)		
➤ Indicate passed experience of the proposed Firm knowledge of governmental regulations, appropriate codes, guidelines, professional standards and policies	5	4
➤ Must contain a narrative that outlines applicable regulations, guidelines, standard and polices	5	4
Comments/Rationale for points:	TOTAL	8
TOTAL SCORE:		76

Project Name:: Old La Blanca Road
Department:: Hidalgo County Pct. #1
Firm/Participant Name: Terracom
Evaluator: [Signature] Date: 10-3-13

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➤ Provide information on their proposed professional team members	10	10
➤ Experience in performing various types of contracts for counties, cities or other clients as stated	10	10
➤ A list of various projects for comparative purposes	5	5
Comments/Rationale for points: <i>Meets all criteria</i>	TOTAL	25
2) EXPERIENCE OF PROJECT TEAM/ABILITY TO COMMIT RESOURCES (20 points maximum)		
➤ Designate experienced engineering staff to efficiently perform the work.	10	10
➤ Identify the project team composition, project leadership, reporting responsibilities etc.	10	10
Comments/Rationale for points: <i>Meets all criteria</i>	TOTAL	20
3) METHODOLOGY (20 points maximum)		
➤ Knowledge, experience, and the equipment to provide the anticipated services	10	10
➤ Management Plan for the anticipated services that will be highly responsive to the needs and interests of the County	10	10
Comments/Rationale for points: <i>Meets all criteria</i>	TOTAL	20
4) UNDERSTANDING OF PROJECT/SIMILAR PROJECTS (25) points maximum)		
➤ Demonstrate an understanding of the scope of services	10	10
➤ Address appropriate Federal/State/Local regulations and policies. Knowledge and experience of working with multiple entities, counties, cities, etc.	5	5
➤ Identify information to be gathered or obtained/proposed approach to complete the scope	5	5
➤ RFQ responsiveness. Response is clear, well organized, easy to evaluate and appropriate to this RFQ	5	3
Comments/Rationale for points: <i>Meets most criteria but needs to work on his statement of to make it easier to evaluate</i>	TOTAL	23
5) FAMILIARITY WITH APPLICABLE RULES and REGULATIONS (10 points maximum))		
➤ Indicate passed experience of the proposed Firm knowledge of governmental regulations, appropriate codes, guidelines, professional standards and policies	5	5
➤ Must contain a narrative that outlines applicable regulations, guidelines, standard and polices	5	3
Comments/Rationale for points: <i>Must be more detailed in narrative</i>	TOTAL	8
		TOTAL SCORE: 96

Project Name: 2013 Precinct No. 1 - Street Improvements (Old La Blanca Rd.)

Department: Urban County Program

Firm/Participant Name: Terracon Consultants, Inc.

Evaluator: ANTONIO BARCO

Date: 10/21/13

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1) STAFFING OF PROJECT TEAM -- (25 points maximum)		
➤ Provide information on their proposed professional team members	10	10
➤ Experience in performing various types of contracts for counties, cities or other clients as stated	10	9
➤ A list of various projects for comparative purposes	5	5
Comments/Rationale for points:	TOTAL	24
Firm meets criteria		
2) EXPERIENCE OF PROJECT TEAM/ABILITY TO COMMIT RESOURCES (20 points maximum)		
➤ Designate experienced engineering staff to efficiently perform the work.	10	10
➤ Identify the project team composition, project leadership, reporting responsibilities etc.	10	10
Comments/Rationale for points:	TOTAL	20
Firm meets criteria		
3) METHODOLOGY (20 points maximum)		
➤ Knowledge, experience, and the equipment to provide the anticipated services	10	10
➤ Management Plan for the anticipated services that will be highly responsive to the needs and interests of the County	10	05
Comments/Rationale for points:	TOTAL	15
SOQ not clear on plan for proposed project		
4) UNDERSTANDING OF PROJECT/SIMILAR PROJECTS (25) points maximum)		
➤ Demonstrate an understanding of the scope of services	10	10
➤ Address appropriate Federal/State/Local regulations and policies. Knowledge and experience of working with multiple entities, counties, cities, etc.	5	05
➤ Identify information to be gathered or obtained/proposed approach to complete the scope	5	05
➤ RFQ responsiveness. Response is clear, well organized, easy to evaluate and appropriate to this RFQ	5	05
Comments/Rationale for points:	TOTAL	25
Firm meets criteria and has experience with proposed project		
5) FAMILIARITY WITH APPLICABLE RULES and REGULATIONS (10 points maximum))		
➤ Indicate passed experience of the proposed Firm knowledge of governmental regulations, appropriate codes, guidelines, professional standards and policies	5	05
➤ Must contain a narrative that outlines applicable regulations, guidelines, standard and polices	5	05
Comments/Rationale for points:	TOTAL	10
On pg. 6 of SOQ indicates references, followed by pg's 9-11 on current projects. Firm meets criteria		
	TOTAL SCORE:	94

Project Name: Pct. #1 Street Improvements-Geo Tech (La Blanca Rd N of Mile 9 N to Mile 10)

Department: Urban County Program

Firm/Participant Name: Terracon Consultants, Inc.

Evaluator: Oscar Garza (Oscar Garza, Program Coordinator) Date: October 10, 2013