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COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 1

January 7, 2014

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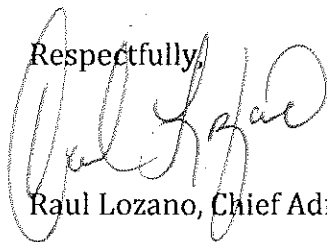
Dear Ms. Serna,

Pct. No. 1 Street Improvements Old La Blanca Road
Best and Final Offer Professional Engineering

The Precinct would like to proceed with improving Old La Blanca Road between Mile 9 N. and Mile 10 and plan to continue to improve Mile 10 to mile 12 as funds become available. We are in receipt of the best and final offer by LeFevre Environmental and Management Services. Their offer of \$ 54,525; has been reviewed by Mr. Raul Sasin, Hidalgo County's Engineer and we concur with their final offer for this project.

Please call me if you have any questions or require additional information from my office.

Respectfully,



Raul Lozano, Chief Administrator

LeFEVRE

ENVIRONMENTAL &
MANAGEMENT CONSULTING, LLC

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Texas Registered Engineering Firm F-11722

January 3, 2014

Submitted to:

Diana R. Serna
Director
c/o Urban County Program
2812 S. Business Highway 281
New Administration Building
Edinburg, Texas 78539

Submitted for:

Hidalgo County Purchasing Department
2812 S. Business Highway 281
New Administration Building
Edinburg, Texas 78539

Re: Best and Final Offer - Urban County Program Year ____ (2011) Precinct No. 1 - Street Improvements (Old La Blanca Road)

Ms. Serna:

As per our conversation please find the enclosed Best and Final Offer (BAFO) submitted by LeFevre Environmental & Management Consulting, LLC on the proposed rates submitted as set forth below in connection to the above referenced project.

Engineering Cost Proposal and Fee Breakdown by:		Best and Final Offer by:	
LeFevre Environmental & Management Consulting, LLC		LeFevre Environmental & Management Consulting, LLC	
Survey/Topography Task 1 - Design Topography (price does not include acquiring easements)	\$ 14,015	Survey/Topography Task 1 - Design Topography	\$ 14,015
Basic Engineering	\$22,550	Basic Engineering	\$22,550
Task 2 - Project Startup	\$ 770	Task 2 - Project Startup	\$ 770
Task 3 - Design	\$ 11,440	Task 3 - Design	\$ 11,440
Task 4 - Preliminary Plans	\$ 6,000	Task 4 - Preliminary Plans	\$ 6,000
Task 5 - Final Plans and Specifications	\$ 4,340	Task 5 - Final Plans and Specifications	\$ 4,340
Inspection	\$ 9,760	Inspection	\$ 9,760
Construction Phase Engineering	\$ 8,200	Construction Phase Engineering	\$ 8,200
Task 6 - Bidding & Award	\$1,620	Task 6 - Bidding & Award	\$1,620
Task 7 - Construction	\$ 4,760	Task 7 - Construction	\$ 4,760
Task 8 - As-Builts	\$ 1,820	Task 8 - As-Builts	\$ 1,820
Total	\$ 54,525	Total	\$ 54,525

The above price does not include material testing, geotechnical engineering, or survey for acquisition of any and all easements required for construction of this project. The survey included in pricing is only to be used for engineering requirements and NOT for acquisition of properties, property disputes, etc. Any survey to be used for acquisition of properties, boundary searches, etc., that will need a registered land surveyor will need to be added as additional services or provided by others.

Please call me if you should have any questions at (956) 687-5263.

Respectfully yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'R. LeFevre', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Richard LeFevre, P.E.
Project Engineer

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COUNTY OF HIDALGO §

Professional Services Agreement

This Agreement, entered into this 21st day of January, 2014 by and between Urban County Program, (hereinafter called the "Party") and LeFevre Engineering & Management Consulting, LLC, duly authorized Engineer, herein acting by Wesley Richard LeFevre, P.E. (hereinafter called the "Engineer").

WITNESSETH THAT:

WHEREAS, Hidalgo County has received CDBG funds from the U.S. Dept. of Housing and Urban Development to be used by Urban County Participants. It is understood and agreed that the Party's obligation under this Agreement is contingent upon the actual receipt of adequate federal funds to meet the liabilities under this Agreement; and

WHEREAS, the Party is interested in obtaining Engineering Services; and

WHEREAS, the Engineer, duly licensed and registered to practice engineer in the State of Texas, has the professional abilities to undertake the study, evaluation, analysis and recommendations in a manner which shall provide the necessary public service while preserving and enhancing to the greatest degree possible the natural and proposed environment in the Project (as hereinafter defined) area; and

WHEREAS, the Party desires to engage the Engineer to render certain services in connection therewith;

NOW, THEREFORE, the participants do mutually agree as follows:

**SECTION I
EMPLOYMENT OF THE ENGINEER**

The Party agrees to employ the Engineer to furnish and provide the engineering services as stated in the following sections and upon receipt of such satisfactory services, the Party agrees to pay the Engineer as stated in the sections to follow.

**SECTION II
BASIC SERVICES OF THE ENGINEER**

The Engineer shall perform the following Basic Services in connection with the proposed Hidalgo County Precinct No. 1 – Street Improvements (Old La Blanca) project Account(s) 5013-91-0311-5000-9100 (the "Project") as more particularly described in Exhibit A attached hereto.

2.1 Preliminary Phase

- a. Attend preliminary conferences with the Party and, if requested, with the funding agency and other government agencies or interested parties regarding the project.
- b. As may be required, comply and receive from the Party and the funding agencies approval on all work.
- c. Prepare preliminary engineering plans on the Project in sufficient detail to indicate clearly the problems involved and solutions recommended with the cost estimates.
- d. Obtain the Party's written approval of the work of this Preliminary Phase before proceeding with the next phase.

2.2 Design Phase

- a. Attend the respective Party's meetings as requested for the purpose of explaining completed design work activities.
- b. Advise the Party of any soil investigations or tests which, in the opinion of the Engineer, may be required for the proper execution of the Project.
- c. Provide all field information and surveys required for the design of the Project.
- d. Plot field data and other survey information for the design of the Project.
- e. Prepare detailed plans, specifications and contract documents and drawings (reproducible tracings) for construction authorized by the Party.
- f. Furnish, if requested, the engineering data necessary for the Party to obtain permits required by local, state, and federal authorities.
- g. Prepare cost estimates of authorized construction, based on prices for work. If such estimated costs exceed the monies available, the Party shall be consulted so that revisions can be made to reduce the cost as required.
- h. Prepare all documents required for the advertisement and bidding of the Project in cooperation with the Party's staff.
- i. Preparation of property or easement descriptions.

2.3 Construction Phase

The Construction Phase will commence with the execution of the prime construction contract(s). The Party will issue a ten (10) day commence work notice which will signal the commencement of work under any construction contracts and will terminate upon the Party's approval of the Engineer's written approval of final payment to the Contractor(s). During the Construction Phase, the Engineer will:

- a. Assist the Party in opening and tabulating bids for the construction of the Project, and advise the Party in establishing the procedure for entering into construction phase.
- b. Prepare the formal Contract Documents for the Contractor.
- c. Make periodic visits to the site as required pursuant to the standards of Professional Engineers on projects of this nature, provide project construction supervision, to observe the progress and quality of the executed work and to determine if the work is proceeding in accordance with the contract documents.
- d. Consult with and advise the Party and issue all instructions and Change Orders to the Contractor selected by the Party.
- e. During the progress of actual construction, Engineer will keep continually the Owner informed with brief and concise information. A monthly progress report will be prepared and delivered to the Party including but limited to monies spent, construction time elapsed, percent of Project completed, a brief narrative of problems encountered and the anticipated completion date.
- f. Review shop and working drawings furnished by Contractor(s) for general compliance with design concept and with information given in contract documents.
- g. Review and provide a recommendation concerning samples, catalog data, schedules, shop drawings, laboratory, shape and mill tests of material and equipment and other data which the Contractor is required to submit, in compliance with the Contract Documents.
- h. Prepare monthly and final estimates for payments to Contractor(s).
- i. Engineer shall accompany the Party on the Final Inspection to assure that the total work has been completed in accordance with the Contract Documents.
- j. Prior to the Party's dispersal of any retainage of funds, render a written opinion to the Party that the construction has been completed according to the Contract Documents and provide the Party with a certificate of completion and release of liens documents from subcontractors.
- k. Provide the Party with sepia copies of as-built drawings of the constructed improvements, within sixty (60) days of issuance of certificate of completion.
- l. The Engineer will be responsible for interim and final inspection.
- m. Furnish to the Party six (6) sets of plans and six (6) sets of specifications and contract documents.

**SECTION III
ADDITIONAL SERVICES OF THE ENGINEER**

If authorized in writing by the Party, the Engineer will furnish or obtain from others Additional Services of the following types which are not considered normal or customary basic services; these will be paid for by the Party as indicated in Section VI.

- 3.1 Services of a Resident Project Representative, and other field personnel as required, for on-the-site observations of construction, other than periodic visits covered in Section 2.3 herein.
- 3.2 Detailed mill, shop and/or laboratory inspection of materials or equipment.
- 3.3 Major revision of Contract drawings as distinguished from modifications due to change orders, modifications to reduce the cost of the project or modifications requested to meet federal, state, or local regulations.

**SECTION IV
REIMBURSABLE EXPENSES**

- 4.1 Travel and subsistence required for the Engineer and authorized by the Party to points other than within Hidalgo County and Project site.
- 4.2 Additional copies of reports and specifications over six (6) copies and additional prints of drawings over six (6) copies.
- 4.3 Reimbursable expenses as provided in Section IV herein shall be paid to the Engineer on the basis of 1.1 times the Engineers actual cost.

**SECTION V
THE PARTY'S RESPONSIBILITIES**

The Party will:

- 5.1 Provide full information as to requirements for the Project.
- 5.2 Assist the Engineer by providing all available information pertinent to the Project including reports and any other data relative to design and construction of the Project.
- 5.3 Furnish the services or data as required such as appropriate professional interpretations of all of the foregoing; property, boundary, easement, right-of-way, zoning, and deed restrictions; all of which the Engineer may rely upon in performing his services under this agreement.
- 5.4 Guarantee access to and make all provisions for the Engineer to enter upon public and private property as required for the Engineer to perform his services under this Agreement.

- 5.5 Examine all studies, reports, sketches, estimates, specifications, drawings, proposals, and other documents presented by the Engineer.
- 5.6 Pay for all costs incident to advertising and obtaining bids or proposals from Contractors.
- 5.7 Provide such legal and accounting services required to discharge the Party's responsibility under the terms of this Agreement and any Agreement with any governmental agency as may be required for the project, and such auditing services as the Party may require to ascertain how or for what purpose any Contractor has used the monies paid to him under the construction contract.
- 5.8 Give prompt written notice to the Engineer whenever the Party observes or otherwise becomes aware of any defect in the Project.

SECTION VI PAYMENTS TO THE ENGINEER

The Party agrees to pay the Engineer for completed services as identified by the Party:

- 6.1 The Engineer shall be paid a total fixed amount of \$54,525.00 for services rendered under this contract. Payment shall be based on request for reimbursements with documentation requested by the Party. The Engineer's fee shall be due and payable as outlined in Sections 6.2, 6.3, and 6.4 as follows.
- 6.2 At Engineer's completion and Party's approval of the Engineer's services under the Preliminary Phase, Section 2.1 of this Agreement, Party shall pay a maximum of 15% of the sum set forth in Section 6.1 above.
- 6.3 At Engineer's completion and Party's approval of the Engineer's services under the Design Phase, Section 2.2 of this Agreement, Party shall pay a maximum of 60% of the sum set forth in Section 6.1 above.
- 6.4 At Engineer's completion and Party's approval of the Engineer's services under the Construction Phase, Section 2.3 of this Agreement, Party shall pay a maximum of 25% of the sum set forth in Section 6.1 above. Such sum to be paid periodically proportionately to the percentage of construction completed by the Contractor as determined by Engineer's reports.
- 6.5 For Additional Services as provided in Section III herein the Engineer shall be paid a sum of 1.1 times the Engineer's actual cost for such services.

SECTION VII OWNERSHIP OF DOCUMENTS

Original documents, plans, designs and survey notes developed in connection with services performed hereunder belong to, and remain the property of the Party, in consideration of which it is mutually agreed that the Party will use them solely in connection with the Project and as base material for possible future projects.

**SECTION VIII
TERMINATION**

The Party may terminate this Agreement without cause at any time by a 30-day notice in writing to the Engineer. Upon receipt of such notice, the Engineer shall, unless the notice directs otherwise immediately discontinue all services in connection with the performance of this Agreement and shall proceed to cancel promptly all existing orders and contracts insofar as such orders or contracts are chargeable to this Agreement. As soon as practical after receipt of notice of termination, the Engineer shall submit a statement showing in detail the actual services that were performed under this Agreement to date of termination, the date such services were performed and the length of time spent by each person or party engaged in performing such services on each day,

The Party shall pay the Engineer a sum of money equal to the reasonable value of the professional engineer services rendered by the Engineer to the Party in connection with the services performed under this Contract, less payments previously made by the Party to Engineer on work performed and expenses incurred by Engineer under the provisions of this Agreement. Copies of all completed or partially completed designs, plans, and specifications prepared under this Agreement shall be delivered to the Party when and if this Agreement is terminated, but subject to the restrictions as to their use, as set forth above.

Notwithstanding the above, the Engineer shall not be relieved of liability to the Party for damages sustained by the Party arising from Engineer's negligent acts, errors or omissions related to Engineer's obligations created under this Agreement.

**SECTION IX
COUNTY AND CITY OFFICIALS**

Engineer agrees that no County or City official or Party employee shall be personally liable for any of the obligation created under this Agreement, or for any matter which may arise out of the Project, or any activities related thereto and hereby holds the Party, its political bodies and its employees harmless from and indemnifies them from any liability from any matter arising from Engineer's negligent acts, errors or omissions related to Engineer's obligations created under this Agreement.

**SECTION X
SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS**

Party and Engineer each binds themselves, their partners, successors, executors, administrators, and assigns to the other party of Agreement in respect to all covenants of this Agreement. Neither the Party nor Engineer shall assign or transfer any interest in this Agreement without the written consent of the other.

**SECTION XI
TIME OF PERFORMANCE**

The Engineer contracts and agrees to commence work within ten (10) days from the date of written authorization to proceed and will complete the preparation of the preliminary phase and estimates by 90 days and will proceed upon authorization with final drawings, specifications, and contracts documents and complete same within the earliest practical time from such notice to proceed.

**SECTION XII
VENUE**

Venue and jurisdiction of any suit, right or cause of action arising under or in connection with this Contract shall lie exclusively in Hidalgo County, Texas.

**SECTION XIII
AMENDMENT**

This Agreement may be amended only by a written document executed by the parties hereto.

**SECTION XIV
COMPLIANCE WITH LOCAL LAWS**

The Engineer shall comply with all applicable laws, ordinances, and codes of the State and local governments, and the Engineer shall save the Party harmless with respect to any damages arising from any negligence of the engineer in performing any of the work embraced by this Contract.

**SECTION XV
ASSIGNABILITY**

The Engineer shall not assign any interest in this Contract, and shall not transfer any interest in the same (whether by assignment or novation) without the prior written consent of the Party thereof; provided however, that claims for money due or to become due to the Engineer from the Party under this Contract may be assigned to a bank, trust company, or other financial institution without such approval. Notice of any such assignment or transfer shall be furnished promptly to the Party.

**SECTION XVI
GENERAL**

- 16.1 Audit. The Party and/or any of its duly authorized representatives shall have access to any books, documents, papers, and records of the Engineer which are directly pertinent to the Project for the purpose of making the audit, examination, excerpts, and transcriptions.
- 16.2 The Engineer agrees to comply with the following Executive orders, Titles and Program Regulations, including any additional requirements that may be set forth by the Party.
 - a. Title VI of the Civil Rights Act - requires that no one may be denied access to benefits from projects which receive federal assistance.

- b. Section 109 of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 - Nondiscrimination related to benefits from projects funded specifically under Title I of the Act.
- c. Section 3 of the HUD Act of 1968 - requires that maximum effort be made to provide employment, training, and business opportunities to low income families and/or residents of the project area.
- d. The Engineer shall give the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development, the Inspector General, the Comptroller General of the United States, the Auditor of the State of Texas, access to and the right to examine all books, accounts, records, reports, files, and other papers, things, or property belonging to or in use by Engineer pertaining to this Agreement. Such rights to access shall continue as long as the records are retained by Engineer. Engineer agrees to maintain such records in an accessible location for a period of three (3) years.
- e. Executive Order 11246 (paragraph a-c for contracts under \$10,000; paragraphs a-g for contracts over \$10,000) - Equal Employment Opportunity.

Executive Order 11246. Executive Order 11246 and the regulations issued pursuant thereto (24 CFR Part 130) which provides that no person shall be discriminated against on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, or national origin in all phases of employment during the performance of federal or federally assisted contracts. Such consultants or subcontractors shall take affirmative action to ensure fair treatment in employment, upgrading, demotion, or transfer; recruitment or recruitment advertising; layoff or termination rates of pay or other forms of compensation and selection for training and apprenticeship.

Equal Employment Opportunity for Activities and Contracts not Subject to Executive Order 11246, as amended. In carrying out the program, the Consultant shall not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, color, religion, sex or national origin. The Engineer shall take affirmative action to ensure that applicants for employment are employed and that employees are treated during employment, without regard to their race, color, religion, sex or national origin. Such action shall include, but not limited to the following: Employment, upgrading, demotion, or transfer; recruitment or other forms of compensation; and selection for training, including apprenticeship. The Engineer shall post in conspicuous places, available to employees and applicants for employment, notices to be provided by the Government setting forth the provisions of this paragraph in all of its contracts for program work and will require all of its consultants for such work to incorporate such requirements in all subcontracts for program.

- 16.3 Interest of Certain Federal Officials: No member of or Delegate to the Congress of the United States and no Resident Commissioner, shall be admitted to any share or part of this Agreement or to any benefit to arise from the same.

- 16.4 Interest of Members, Officers, or Employees of Public Body, Member of Local Governing Body, or other Public Officials: No member, officer, or employee of the County or City, or its designees or agents, no member of the governing body of the locality in which the program is situated, and no other public official of such locality or localities who exercises any functions or responsibilities with respect to the program during his tenure or for one year thereafter, shall have any interest, direct or indirect, to be performed in connection with the program assisted under the Agreement. The Engineer shall incorporate orcausetobe incorporated in all such documents in the paragraph in this Section.

SECTION XVII INSURANCE

The Engineer shall obtain and keep in force during the term of its engagement on the Project, insurance as follows:

- 17.1 A comprehensive automobile liability policy covering liability exposure to bodily injury and property damages. The Engineer shall furnish Party Certificates of Insurance showing the comprehensive automobile liability insurance policies to be in effect, commencing when Engineers commence operations under this Agreement, in the sum of \$300,000 for bodily injury and \$100,000 for property damages.
- 17.2 Uninsured/Underinsured motorist coverage in an amount equal to the bodily injury limits set forth immediately above;
- 17.3 A Five Hundred Thousand Dollar (\$500,000.00) Comprehensive General Liability Insurance Policy providing additional coverage to all underlying liabilities of County consistent with potential exposure of County under the Texas Tort Claims Act;
- 17.4 Workers Compensation Insurance in amount established by Texas law, unless the engineer is specifically exempted from the Texas Worker's Compensation Act, Texas Labor Code Chapter 401, et. seq.
- 17.5 All insurance policies must be written by an insurance company or companies acceptable to the Party.

SECTION XVIII WARRANTY

- 18.1 Engineer represents and warrants to Owner all services rendered to Owner under this Agreement shall, at a minimum, comply with the Texas Engineering Practices Act (Tex. Civ. St. Ann., Article 3271) and rules of the Texas Board of Professional Engineers.

**SECTION XIX
EFFECTIVE DATE**

The effective date of this contract shall be January 21, 2014. Such date being the date the County Commissioners' Court approved entering into contract with Engineer.

This Agreement is hereby approved this _____ day of _____, 20_____.

Signature: _____
Wesley Richard LeFevre, P.E.

Firm Name: LeFevre Engineering & Management Consulting, LLC
Address: 612 W. Nolana, Ste. 520
City/ST/ZIP: McAllen, TX 78504

FED ID #/SS #: 20-8133671

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COUNTY OF HIDALGO §

This instrument was acknowledged before me on this the _____ day of _____, 20____,
by _____ of and on behalf of _____,
title) (a limited liability company)(a partnership)(a sole proprietorship).

(seal)

Notary - Signature

County of Hidalgo Urban County Program:

Witness

Diana R. Serna, UCP Director

Revised as to Form:
Atlas & Hall, L.L.P.
By Stephen L. Crain
on April 26, 2012

Exhibit "A"
(Scope of Services)

See Attached

Agenda Request Compliance Check-list

Submitted by: Monica Leal

Selection of Engineer, Architects & Material Testing Firms

- Agenda Sheet (signed by Deputy Director & Finance Division)
- Precinct/City Letter requesting agenda item with recommendation
- Rating Sheets by three rating agents
- Ranking Grids 1) with Rating Agents Names 1) without Rating Agent Names

✓ Approval of Contract for Professional Services Engineer/Architects/Material Testing Firms

- ✓ Agenda Sheet (Signed by Deputy Director & Finance Division)
- ✓ Precinct/City Letter requesting agenda item with recommendation
- ✓ Best & Final Offer Letter/E-mail
- ✓ Exhibit A- Scope of Service & Hourly Rate Breakdown
- ✓ Cert. of Insurance: Section XVII Agreement
 1. Auto ins. \$300,000.00 for Bodily Injury / \$100,000.00 Property Damages
 2. Uninsured/Underinsured Motorist coverage equal to bodily injury limits
 3. Workers Compensation Insurance
- ✓ Copy of Contract

Approval of Construction Contracts

- Agenda Sheet (Signed by Deputy Director & Finance Division)
- Precinct/City Letter requesting agenda item with recommendation
- Letter from Engineer/Architect with recommendation for approval
- Bid tabulation sheet
- Certificate of Insurance
 1. Auto ins. \$300,000.00 for Bodily Injury / \$100,000.00 Property Damages
 2. Uninsured/Underinsured Motorist coverage equal to bodily injury limits
 3. Workers Compensation Insurance
- Copy of Contract

Exhibit "A"
SCOPE OF SERVICES

Urban County Program Year ____ (2013) Precinct No. 1 – Street Improvements Project – Old La Blanca Road

PREPARED BY:
**LeFEVRE ENVIRONMENTAL & MANAGEMENT CONSULTING, LLC.
(LEMC)**

The County of Hidalgo, Texas, proposes to construct Urban County Program Year ____ (2013) Precinct No. 1 – Street Improvements Project – Old La Blanca Road.

Contract Amount: \$ 54,525.00

Project Tasks

Task 1 – Survey

Necessary field information will be developed by field surveys. Record plans will be used as a guide for the survey work and for the analysis of design alternatives.

Task 2 – Project Orientation and Startup

LEMC proposes an initial project orientation meeting be scheduled so that both the Precinct and the engineer may have a clear understanding of the design and construction process, parameters to be used and the final product desired.

Task 3 – Design

LEMC will assure that improvements are designed and incorporated in the plans are adequate for the area and as per Hidalgo County requirements.

Task 4 – Preliminary Plans and Estimates

LEMC will provide Precinct staff a set of plans and estimates for accordance, evaluation and coordination.

Task 5 – Final Plans and Specifications

Final plans, specifications and estimates will be prepared during this task. The output of this task will be the documents necessary for bidding and constructing the project.

Task 6 – Bidding and Award

A pre-bid meeting will be scheduled if necessary in order to brief potential bidders and suppliers on the project. Necessary clarifications or addendum will be issued. LEMC will attend the bid opening and assist as the Precinct desires.

Post bid, LEMC will tabulate the bids and make recommendations in consultation with Precinct staff. Post Award, LEMC will prepare necessary contract documents for execution, after award by the Precinct.

Task 7 – Construction

LEMC will observe ongoing work, identify survey control for the contractor and certify periodic payment requests. Upon completion, a final inspection will be scheduled with the contractor and Precinct staff. The outcome of these final inspections will be a Certificate of completion or a punch list of items for the contractor to complete, prior to issuance of a Certificate of Completion.

Task 8 – As Builts

LEMC will provide to the Precinct a reproducible “as-built” set of plans of the project along with an electronic version of the plans.

Please accept this proposal letter as our final and best offer.

Respectfully,

Wesley Richard LeFevre, P.E.
President

EXHIBIT B-1
Engineering Cost Proposal and Fee Breakdown

Basic Engineering	\$22,550.00
Construction Phase	
Engineering	\$8,200.00
Inspection	\$9,760.00
Survey	\$14,015.00
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Total	\$54,525.00

*Construction Material Testing,
 Geotechnical Engineering to be
 provided by others

	HOURLY FEES
PRINCIPAL	\$140.00/HOUR
PROJECT ENGINEER	\$120.00/HOUR
PROJECT MANAGER	\$ 90.00/HOUR
DESIGNER/TECHNICIAN	\$ 65.00/HOUR
CADD DRAFTSMEN	\$ 40.00/HOUR
ADMINISTRATIVE	\$ 30.00/HOUR
INSPECTOR/PROJECT REPRESENTATIVE	\$ 40.00/HOUR
MATERIALS	COST + 10 %
TRAVEL	\$ 0.55/MILE
REIMBURSABLES	COST + 10 %



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Professional Engineering Cost Breakdown

Pct. No. 1 Street Improvements - Old La Blanca Road
 P169

LEMC Professional Engineering Services:

Hourly Rates:

Principal Engineer	140	\$/Hr
Engineer	120	\$/Hr
Project Manager	90	\$/Hr
CADD Technician	65	\$/Hr
Inspector	40	\$/Hr
Administration	30	\$/Hr

Project Start Up (Task 2)	\$140/Hr	\$90/Hr	\$120/Hr	\$65/Hr	\$30/Hr	N/A
	Principal Engineer	Project Manager	Project Engineer	CADD Technician	Clerk	Other
Meeting w/ City Manager & Staff	1	1	1			
Planning w/ City Staff		1	1			
Define Scope of Work & Tasks		1	1			
Total	1	3	3	0	0	0

Preliminary Plans (Task 4)	\$140/Hr	\$90/Hr	\$120/Hr	\$65/Hr	\$30/Hr	N/A
	Principal Engineer	Project Manager	Project Engineer	CADD Technician	Clerk	Other
Develop Feasible Alternatives		2	2			
Develop Preferred Alternative		2	2			
Prepare Environmental Clearance (if any)						
Preliminary Design Calculations			4			
Preliminary Plans and General Notes	1	2	4	40	8	
Preliminary Specifications	1	2	2		16	
Total	2	8	14	40	24	0

Design - Civil, Electrical, Structural Task 3	\$140/Hr	\$90/Hr	\$120/Hr	\$65/Hr	\$30/Hr	N/A
	Principal Engineer	Project Manager	Project Engineer	CADD Technician	Clerk	Other
Survey Coordination and Evaluation		4	4	20	4	
Final Design Calculations	1	4	6			
Final Plan and General Notes	1	4	16	60	6	
Final Specifications	1	4	6		8	

Design	3	16	32	80	18	0
Final Plans and Specifications	\$140/Hr	\$90/Hr	\$120/Hr	\$65/Hr	\$30/Hr	N/A
Task 5	Principal Engineer	Project Manager	Project Engineer	CADD Technician	Clerk	Other
Final Plan and General Notes	1	2	8	20	0	
Final Specifications	1	2	8		16	
Design	2	4	16	20	16	0
Inspection	\$140/Hr	\$90/Hr	\$120/Hr	\$65/Hr	\$30/Hr	N/A
	Principal Engineer	Project Manager	Project Engineer	CADD Technician	Clerk	Other
Pre-Bid Meeting						1
Bid Opening						1
Construction Inspections						240
Pre-Construction Meeting & N.T.P.						2
Bidding and Negotiating Phase Total	0	0	0	0	0	244
Construction Phase Engineering	\$140/Hr	\$90/Hr	\$120/Hr	\$65/Hr	\$30/Hr	N/A
Bidding & Award (Task 6)	Principal Engineer	Project Manager	Project Engineer	CADD Technician	Clerk	Other
Advertisement		1	1		6	
Pre-Bid Meeting		1	1			
Bid Opening		1	1			
Negotiations w/ Contractor			1			
Notice of Award to Contractor			2		6	
Pre-Construction Meeting & N.T.P.			1		5	
Total	0	3	7	0	17	0
Construction (Task 7)	\$140/Hr	\$90/Hr	\$120/Hr	\$65/Hr	\$30/Hr	Inspector
	Principal Engineer	Project Manager	Project Engineer	CADD Technician	Clerk	
Construction Phase Engineering	1	16	16			
Monthly Project Status Meetings		6	6			
Construction Inspections						
Construction Phase Total	1	22	22	0	0	0
As Builts (Task 8)	\$140/Hr	\$90/Hr	\$120/Hr	\$65/Hr	\$30/Hr	N/A
	Principal Engineer	Project Manager	Project Engineer	CADD Technician	Clerk	Other
Record Drawings	1		1	20		
Closing of the Project	1		1			
Total	2	0	2	20	0	
Basic Engineering Hours	8	31	65	140	58	0

Amount Per Hour	\$140	\$90	\$120	\$65	\$30	40
Grand Total	\$1,120	\$2,790	\$7,800	\$9,100	\$1,740	\$0

Construction Phase Engineering Hours	3	25	31	20	17	244
Amount Per Hour	\$140	\$90	\$120	\$65	\$30	40
Grand Total	\$420	\$2,250	\$3,720	\$1,300	\$510	\$9,760

Basic Engineering	\$22,550
Construction Phase Engineering	\$8,200
Inspection	\$9,760
Survey	\$14,015

CONTRACT TOTAL AMOUNT \$54,525

Survey (Task 1)	\$2500/Day Survey Team	\$90/Hr Project Manager	\$120/Hr Project Engineer	\$65/Hr CADD Technician	\$30/Hr Clerk	N/A Other
Field Work - Survey	4					
CADD/Technician				35		
Project Manager Oversight		14				
Final Survey					16	
Sub Total	\$ 10,000	\$ 1,260	\$	\$ 2,275	\$ 480	\$
Total Amount	\$14,015					

