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Re: Water Extraction

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Subject : Re: Water Extraction

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Good afternoon Ms. Ortiz,

As requested, this office has reviewed RFB-2018-262-03-06-HGO packet for advertising for Water Extraction Services and approve it as to form subject to the inclusion of the following recommended modifications:

1. **Revise TOC, No. 11 to read:** Exhibit H - Required Contract Clauses for Contracts Under Federal Award, 2 CFR 200, Appendix II and FEMA (if applicable).
2. **Revise TOC, No. 12 to read:** Exhibit I - Form 1273 - "Required Contract Provisions Federal-Aid Construction Contracts".
3. **Revise page 6 of the Legal Notice No. 19-Title VI Notice/Nondiscrimination - by including the language below in orange into section (a):**

19) TITLE VI NOTICE/ NONDISCRIMINATION

a) By submitting a bid, bidder certifies that it will comply with the following nondiscrimination statutes and their implementing regulations. Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended (78 Stat.252, 42 U.S.C. §§2000d to 2000d-4) provides that no person in the United States shall, on the grounds of race, color, or national origin, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination under any program or activity for which the Recipient receives Federal financial assistance. Title VI has been broadened by related statutes, regulations and executive orders as found in Appendices "A" through "E" as delineated

in the USDOT Standard Title VI/Nondiscrimination Assurances-Specific Assurances, to prohibit discrimination on other grounds including, but not limited to, religion, sex, age and disability. (Title VI-Appendices "A" through "E" are hereby attached as **Exhibit "G"**). The County's entire Title VI policy may be found at <https://www.hidalgocounty.us/2071/Title-VINondiscrimination-Plan>, and is hereby incorporated by reference.

4. Revise Page 9 of the Legal Notice No. 33 - Contracts Subject to Federal Award: by removing the number "34)" from the second paragraph in No. 33. Therefore, No. 33 will have three paragraphs under it. The numbers for remaining sections will then shift to the next number.

There is also a large space on page 5, which could be minimized.

Please let us know if you have any questions.
Thank you,

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On Mon, Jan 28, 2019 at 4:14 PM heidi ortiz <heidi.ortiz@co.hidalgo.tx.us> wrote:

Good afternoon:

Attach you will find the complete packet for the above-referenced project with all of the revisions requested by legal for review and approval to advertise.

Thank you,
Heidi

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