



URBAN COUNTY PROGRAM

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August 24, 2022.

Rene Guerra & Son Hauling, LLC
12205 N. FM 88 Ste.D
Weslaco, TX 78596

RE: 2021 Palmview Street Improvements Project

Dear Mr. Guerra

The UCP would like to thank you for submitting a bid for the above referenced project. The bid opening was held on June 29, 2022, and as you are aware the county is obligated to award a contract to the lowest responsible bid. Legal Notice advises the Contractor under Section 1: Acceptance of Submission: An Offeror's submitted response is to remain firm for a minimum of sixty (60) days after the bid opening.

The Urban County Program is requesting a written response from your company stating if you agree to honor the bid price as it was submitted on Exhibit B and was opened on ~~May 25~~ ^{June 29}, 2022, more than 60 days ago. If you agree please acknowledge by signing below.

YES I will honor the submitted price:
 NO I will no longer honor the submitted price.

Rene Guerra
Signature of Authorized Representative

8/25/22
Date

Should you have any questions or require additional information please let us know immediately so that we can discuss and reach a solution. Thank you again for your consideration and we look forward to hearing from you.

Respectfully,

Antonio Barco
Antonio Barco, Assistant Director
Hidalgo County- Urban County Program

AB/ap



HINOJOSA ENGINEERING, INC.

Civil Engineering • Structural Engineering

108 West 18th Street Mission, Texas 78572

Tel: (956) 581-0143 | Fax: (956) 581-2074

Registration Number F-908 | Expiration Date 09/30/2022

July 12, 2022

P.R. Avila
Director
Urban County Program
1916 Tesoro Street
Pharr, TX 78577

RE: Letter of Recommendation
Project: City of Palmview – 2021 Street Improvements
Bid No: 5021-55-0311-5000-0000-00-UCP-AP

Dear Mr. Avila,

On June 29, 2022, bids were opened for the City of Palmview – 2021 Street Improvements project at the Hidalgo County Purchasing Department. There were a total of three bids submitted by the following contractors: Rene Guerra & Sons Hauling, Longhorn Services, Inc. and IOC Company, LLC (see attached Bid Tabulation Sheet).

At the bid opening callout, the Base Bid Price numerical value in the first sheet of Exhibit “B” “Bid Page” was read out loud. The Base Bid Price numerical value on Bid Page for Longhorn Services, Inc. was read out loud as \$185,856.89. It was acknowledged and announced that Longhorn Services, Inc. DID NOT acknowledge Addendums Numbers 1 and 2 for their bid packet nor was a USB copy included. In addition, there is a Discrepancy in Item No. 1 and 2-line K. The total reads \$5,000.00 each, but after doing the math, the total should read \$40,000.00 each. The total amount of \$256,853.52 would make Longhorn Services, Inc. the second highest bidder. Addendum #1 includes the correct Bid Pages. This Bid is incomplete thus disqualified.

The Base Bid Price numerical value on the Bid Page for IOC Company, LLC DID NOT obtain a numerical value on the Base Bid Price. When a representative of IOC Company, LLC was questioned if the total on the following page (Bid For Unit Price Contracts) was correct, he answered “yes”. The Base Bid Price that was read out loud for IOC Company, LLC was \$237,105.00. Once we (Hinojosa Engineering, Inc.) received the full bid packets, we discovered that the total amount in the Bid For Unit Price Contracts in Exhibit “B” for IOC Company, LLC is \$485,456.00. The amount of \$237,105.00 that was read out loud is only for Item #1. In addition, there is a Discrepancy in Item No. 1 line A. The total reads \$41,450.0 but after doing the math, the total should read \$41,454.00. Lastly, a USB copy was not included with this packet. The total amount of \$485,456.00 would make IOC Company, LLC the highest bidder.

The Base Bid Price numerical value for Rene Guerra & Sons Hauling on the Bid Page for the first sheet of Exhibit “B” “Bid Page” was read out loud. The Base Bid Price numerical value on Bid Page for Rene Guerra & Sons Hauling was read out loud as \$238,993.00, but on Addendum No.1 Rene Guerra & Sons Hauling had a different numerical value for their Base Bid Price in the amount of \$244,340.50. The total cost value in Addendum #1 was taken into consideration.

With careful consideration, Hinojosa Engineering, Inc. recommends the project be awarded to Rene Guerra & Sons Hauling in the amount of \$244,340.50.

Respectfully Submitted,

Ricardo Hinojosa, P.E.
President

| ITEM NO. | ITEM DESCRIPTION | QUANTITY | UNIT | Rene Guerra & Sons Hauling | | IOC Company, LLC | | Longhorn Services, Inc. | |
|------------------------|--|----------|------|----------------------------|---------------------|------------------|---------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|
| | | | | UNIT PRICE | TOTAL | UNIT PRICE | TOTAL | UNIT PRICE | TOTAL |
| 1 | West Silverado St. (from STA 0+00 to STA 11+00) | | | | | | | | |
| a. | 1 1/2" HMAC Pavement Overlay | 1,974 | SY | \$18.00 | \$35,532.00 | \$21.00 | \$41,454.00 | \$12.93 | \$25,523.82 |
| b. | Full 2" H.M.A.C. Section | 1,676 | SY | \$9.00 | \$15,084.00 | \$35.00 | \$58,660.00 | \$15.40 | \$25,810.40 |
| c. | Full Section Rework | 1,676 | SY | \$9.00 | \$15,084.00 | \$32.00 | \$53,632.00 | \$7.50 | \$12,570.00 |
| d. | Removal & Discard of Full Section Rework Spoils | 1,676 | SY | \$1.50 | \$2,514.00 | \$7.00 | \$11,732.00 | N/A | N/A |
| e. | 4" Striping | 1 | LS | \$4,000.00 | \$4,000.00 | \$3,000.00 | \$3,000.00 | \$3,000.00 | \$3,000.00 |
| f. | Milling of Asphalt 36" Wide Adjacent to Curb | 2,187 | LF | \$2.50 | \$5,467.50 | \$7.00 | \$15,309.00 | \$4.00 | \$8,748.00 |
| g. | Removal & Discard of 36" Milling Spoils | 2,187 | LF | \$1.00 | \$2,187.00 | \$6.00 | \$13,122.00 | \$1.20 | \$2,624.40 |
| h. | 24" White Bar Lines | 40 | LF | \$50.00 | \$2,000.00 | \$40.00 | \$1,600.00 | \$15.00 | \$600.00 |
| i. | Site Preparation/Mobilization | 1 | LS | \$29,872.75 | \$29,872.75 | \$11,000.00 | \$11,000.00 | \$5,000.00 | \$5,000.00 |
| j. | Traffic Control | 1 | LS | \$13,000.00 | \$13,000.00 | \$10,000.00 | \$10,000.00 | \$3,500.00 | \$3,500.00 |
| k. | Speed Bumps | 8 | LS | \$300.00 | \$2,400.00 | \$2,200.00 | \$17,600.00 | \$5,000.00 | \$40,000.00 |
| 2 | East Silverado St. (from STA 11+00 to STA 22+14) | | | | | | | | |
| a. | 1 1/2" HMAC Pavement Overlay | 1,760 | SY | \$17.05 | \$30,008.00 | \$21.00 | \$36,960.00 | \$12.93 | \$22,756.80 |
| b. | Full 2" H.M.A.C. Section | 1,889 | SY | \$6.75 | \$12,750.75 | \$35.00 | \$66,115.00 | \$15.40 | \$29,090.60 |
| c. | Full Section Rework | 1,889 | SY | \$6.75 | \$12,750.75 | \$32.00 | \$60,448.00 | \$7.50 | \$14,167.50 |
| d. | Removal & Discard of Full Section Rework Spoils | 1,889 | SY | \$1.50 | \$2,833.50 | \$7.00 | \$13,223.00 | N/A | N/A |
| e. | 4" Striping | 1 | LS | \$4,000.00 | \$4,000.00 | \$3,000.00 | \$3,000.00 | \$3,000.00 | \$3,000.00 |
| f. | Milling of Asphalt 36" Wide Adjacent to Curb | 2,185 | LF | \$2.50 | \$5,462.50 | \$7.00 | \$15,295.00 | \$4.00 | \$8,740.00 |
| g. | Removal & Discard of 36" Milling Spoils | 2,185 | LF | \$1.00 | \$2,185.00 | \$6.00 | \$13,110.00 | \$1.20 | \$2,622.00 |
| h. | 24" White Bar Lines | 40 | LF | \$50.00 | \$2,000.00 | \$40.00 | \$1,600.00 | \$15.00 | \$600.00 |
| i. | Site Preparation/Mobilization | 1 | LS | \$29,808.75 | \$29,808.75 | \$11,000.00 | \$11,000.00 | \$5,000.00 | \$5,000.00 |
| j. | Traffic Control | 1 | LS | \$13,000.00 | \$13,000.00 | \$10,000.00 | \$10,000.00 | \$3,500.00 | \$3,500.00 |
| k. | Speed Bumps | 8 | LS | \$300.00 | \$2,400.00 | \$2,200.00 | \$17,600.00 | \$5,000.00 | \$40,000.00 |
| TOTAL BASE BID: | | | | | \$244,340.50 | | \$485,460.00 | | \$256,853.52 |

NOTES:
1 Calculation Error

HIDALGO COUNTY PURCHASING DEPARTMENT BID TABULATION SHEET

DEPARTMENT NAME: HIDALGO COUNTY - URBAN COUNTY PROGRAM

BID OPENING DATE: JUNE 29, 2022

BID OPENING TIME: 9:30 A.M.

BID NAME: "2021 PALMVIEW STREET IMPROVEMENTS"

BID NO.: 5021-55-0311-5000-0000-00-UCP-AP

OPENING LOCATION: 2802 S. Business Hwy. 281,
Hidalgo County Administration Building, Edinburg,
Texas 78539.

| BID # RFB# | NAME OF COMPANY | TOTAL PRICE | ADDENDUM #1 | ADDENDUM #2 | BID BOND OR CHECK INCLUDED |
|---------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|-------------|-------------|---------------------------------|
| #1 | Rene Guerra + Son Hauling | \$ 238,993. ⁰⁰ | ✓ | ✓ | Bid Bond - usB ✓ original |
| #2 | Longhorn Services Inc | \$ 185,856. ⁸⁹ | — | — | Bid Bond - ncusb original |
| #3 | IOC Company LLC | \$ 237,105. ⁰⁰ | ✓ | ✓ | Bid Bond - ncusb original |
| #4 | | | | | |
| #5 | | | | | |
| #6 | | | | | |
| #7 | | | | | |
| #8 | | | | | |

CERTIFICATE OF INTERESTED PARTIES

FORM 1295

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Complete Nos. 1 - 4 and 6 if there are interested parties.
Complete Nos. 1, 2, 3, 5, and 6 if there are no interested parties.

OFFICE USE ONLY CERTIFICATION OF FILING

Certificate Number:
2022-903508

Date Filed:
06/24/2022

Date Acknowledged:

1 Name of business entity filing form, and the city, state and country of the business entity's place of business.

Rene Guerra and Son Hauling
Weslaco , TX United States

2 Name of governmental entity or state agency that is a party to the contract for which the form is being filed.

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3 Provide the identification number used by the governmental entity or state agency to track or identify the contract, and provide a description of the services, goods, or other property to be provided under the contract.

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street improvements

| 4 | Name of Interested Party | City, State, Country (place of business) | Nature of interest (check applicable) | |
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5 Check only if there is NO Interested Party.

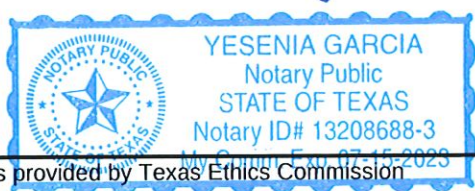
6 UNSWORN DECLARATION

My name is Rene Guerra Rene Guerra, and my date of birth is 12/3/1961.

My address is 13500 N FM 88 (street), Elsa (city), TX (state), 78543 (zip code), U.S.A. (country).

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed in Hidalgo County, State of Texas, on the 27th day of June, 2022 (month) (year)



[Signature]
Signature of authorized agent of contracting business entity (Declarant)

CERTIFICATE OF INTERESTED PARTIES

FORM 1295

1 of 1

Complete Nos. 1 - 4 and 6 if there are interested parties.
 Complete Nos. 1, 2, 3, 5, and 6 if there are no interested parties.

OFFICE USE ONLY CERTIFICATION OF FILING

1 Name of business entity filing form, and the city, state and country of the business entity's place of business.
 Rene Guerra and Son Hauling
 Weslaco , TX United States

Certificate Number:
 2022-903508

Date Filed:
 06/24/2022

Date Acknowledged:
 08/23/2022

2 Name of governmental entity or state agency that is a party to the contract for which the form is being filed.
 Hidalgo County Urban County Program

3 Provide the identification number used by the governmental entity or state agency to track or identify the contract, and provide a description of the services, goods, or other property to be provided under the contract.
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 street improvements

| 4 | Name of Interested Party | City, State, Country (place of business) | Nature of interest (check applicable) | |
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5 Check only if there is NO Interested Party.

6 UNSWORN DECLARATION

My name is _____, and my date of birth is _____.

My address is _____, _____, _____, _____, _____.
(street) (city) (state) (zip code) (country)

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed in _____ County, State of _____, on the _____ day of _____, 20____.
(month) (year)

 Signature of authorized agent of contracting business entity
 (Declarant)



CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

DATE(MM/DD/YYYY)

8/24/2022

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| PRODUCER JOE CAMPOS INSURANCE 928 W Nolana Pharr, TX 78577 (956)787-8619 | THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED AS A MATTER OF INFORMATION ONLY AND CONFERS NO RIGHTS UPON THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER. THIS CERTIFICATE DOES NOT AMEND, EXTEND OR ALTER THE COVERAGE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES BELOW. | |
| | INSURERS AFFORDING COVERAGE | NAIC # |
| INSURED Rene Guerra & Son Hauling LLC Po Box 250 Edcouch, Tx 78538 9567936827 | INSURER A: State Auto Insurance Companies | |
| | INSURER B: Infinity County Mutual Isn Co | |
| | INSURER C: | |
| | INSURER D: | |
| | INSURER E: | |

COVERAGES

THE POLICIES OF INSURANCE LISTED BELOW HAVE BEEN ISSUED TO THE INSURED NAMED ABOVE FOR THE POLICY PERIOD INDICATED. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY REQUIREMENT, TERM OR CONDITION OF ANY CONTRACT OR OTHER DOCUMENT WITH RESPECT TO WHICH THIS CERTIFICATE MAY BE ISSUED OR MAY PERTAIN, THE INSURANCE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES DESCRIBED HEREIN IS SUBJECT TO ALL THE TERMS, EXCLUSIONS AND CONDITIONS OF SUCH POLICIES. AGGREGATE LIMITS SHOWN MAY HAVE BEEN REDUCED BY PAID CLAIMS.

| INSR LTR | ADD'L INSRD | TYPE OF INSURANCE | POLICY NUMBER | POLICY EFFECTIVE DATE(MM/DD/YYYY) | POLICY EXPIRATION DATE(MM/DD/YYYY) | LIMITS | | |
|----------|-------------|---|------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------------------|--|---|----------------|
| A | | GENERAL LIABILITY <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY <input type="checkbox"/> CLAIMSMADE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OCCUR | 10012142CB | 12/23/21 | 12/23/22 | EACH OCCURRENCE | \$ 1,000,000 | |
| | | GEN'L AGGREGATE LIMIT APPLIES PER: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> POLICY <input type="checkbox"/> PRO-JECT <input type="checkbox"/> LOC | | | | DAMAGE TO RENTED PREMISES (Ea occurrence) MED EXP (Anyone person) PERSONAL & ADV INJURY GENERAL AGGREGATE PRODUCTS - COMP/OP AGG | \$ 100,000 \$ 5,000 \$ 1,000,000 \$ 2,000,000 \$ 2,000,000 | |
| B | | AUTOMOBILE LIABILITY <input type="checkbox"/> ANYAUTO <input type="checkbox"/> ALL OWNED AUTOS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SCHEDULED AUTOS <input type="checkbox"/> HIRED AUTOS <input type="checkbox"/> NON-OWNED AUTOS | 542-86004-9127-0 | 01/14/22 | 01/14/23 | COMBINED SINGLE LIMIT (Ea accident) | \$ | |
| | | BODILY INJURY (Per person) | | | | \$ 50,000 | | |
| | | BODILY INJURY (Per accident) | | | | \$ 100,000 | | |
| | | PROPERTY DAMAGE (Per accident) | | | | \$ 25,000 | | |
| | | GARAGE LIABILITY <input type="checkbox"/> ANYAUTO | | | | AUTO ONLY - EA ACCIDENT OTHER THAN EA ACC AUTO ONLY: AGG | \$ \$ \$ | |
| | | EXCESS / UMBRELLA LIABILITY <input type="checkbox"/> OCCUR <input type="checkbox"/> CLAIMSMADE DEDUCTIBLE RETENTION \$ | | | | EACH OCCURRENCE AGGREGATE | \$ \$ \$ \$ | |
| | | WORKERS COMPENSATION AND EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY ANY PROPRIETOR/PARTNER/EXECUTIVE OFFICER/MEMBER EXCLUDED? (Mandatory in NH) If yes, describe under SPECIAL PROVISIONS below | | | | <input type="checkbox"/> WC STATU-TORY LIMITS <input type="checkbox"/> OTH-ER | E.L. EACH ACCIDENT E.L. DISEASE - EA EMPLOYEE E.L. DISEASE - POLICY LIMIT | \$ \$ \$ |
| | | OTHER | | | | | | |

DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS / LOCATIONS / VEHICLES / EXCLUSIONS ADDED BY ENDORSEMENT / SPECIAL PROVISIONS

Paving Contractor

CERTIFICATE HOLDER

Hidalgo County -
 Urban County Programs
 1916 Tesoro St.
 Pharr, TX 78577

CANCELLATION

SHOULD ANY OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED POLICIES BE CANCELLED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION DATE THEREOF, THE ISSUING INSURER WILL ENDEAVOR TO MAIL _____ DAYS WRITTEN NOTICE TO THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER NAMED TO THE LEFT, BUT FAILURE TO DO SO SHALL IMPOSE NO OBLIGATION OR LIABILITY OF ANY KIND UPON THE INSURER, ITS AGENTS OR REPRESENTATIVES.

AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE

Sam Campos

**URBAN COUNTY PROGRAM
CONSTRUCTION CONTRACT**

This Agreement entered into this September 6, 2022 by and between Hidalgo County acting by and through Hidalgo County Urban County Program, hereinafter called the "OWNER", acting herein through its County Judge and Rene Guerra & Son Hauling, LLC (a corporation) (a partnership) (an individual) of Weslaco, State of Texas, hereinafter called "CONTRACTOR".

WITNESSETH

That for and in consideration of the payments and agreements hereinafter mentioned, to be made and performed by the OWNER, the CONTRACTOR hereby agrees with the OWNER to commence and complete the construction described as follows:

PROJECT NAME: 2021 Palmview Street Improvements
PROJECT No.: 5021-50-0311-5000-0000-00-UCP-AP
PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Street Improvements in the city of Palmview

hereinafter called the project, for the sum of \$244,340.50 (Two Hundred forty four thousand three hundred forty dollars and fifty cents) and all extra work in connection therewith, under the terms as stated in the General and Special Conditions of the Contract; and at his (its or their) own proper cost and expense to furnish all the materials, supplies, machinery, equipment, tools, superintendence, labor, insurance, and other accessories and services necessary to complete the said project in accordance with the conditions and prices stated in the Bid, the General Conditions, Supplemental General Conditions and Special Conditions of the contract, the plans, which include all maps, plats, blue prints, and other drawings and printed or written explanatory matter thereof, the specifications and contract documents therefore as prepared by HINOJOSA ENGINEERING, INC. and as enumerated in Paragraph 1 of the Supplemental General Conditions, all of which are made a part hereof and collectively evidence and constitute the contract.

The CONTRACTOR hereby agrees to commence work under this contract on or after a date to be specified in a written "Notice to Proceed" of the OWNER and to fully complete the project within (90) Ninety consecutive calendar days thereafter. The CONTRACTOR further agrees to pay, as liquidated damages, the sum of (\$250.00 Two hundred fifty dollars and zero cents) for each consecutive calendar day thereafter as hereinafter provided in Paragraph 19 of the General Conditions.

The OWNER agrees to pay the CONTRACTOR in current funds for the performance of the contract, subject to additions and deductions, as provided in the General Conditions of the contract, and to make payments on account thereof as provided in Paragraph 25, "Payments to Contractor", of the General Conditions.

