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July 2, 2010

Ms. Laura Harris HNTB Corporation – Williamson County, Texas 14 Galloping Road Round Rock TX 78681

RE: Recommendation for Award
US 79 (Section 3) Reconstruction
Williamson County, Texas
CSJ #: 0204-02-027 & 0204-03-038
Klotz Associates Project No. 0510.004.000

Dear Ms. Harris:

Six (6) bids for the referenced project were received on Wednesday June 30, 2010 from:

- Austin Bridge and Road
- Austin Engineering
- Hunter Industries
- J.C. Evans Construction
- Ramming Paving Company
- RGM Constructors

Klotz Associates has tabulated and reviewed all the bids and the low bidder is Ramming Paving Company with a bid of \$11,500,547.03.

Ramming Paving Company is based in Austin, Texas and has satisfactorily completed past roadway paving projects for Williamson County. In concurrence with County Staff, we recommend award of the US 79 Reconstruction Project to Ramming Paving Company for \$11,500,547.03.

The original bid document by Ramming Paving Company was submitted in accordance with the requirements of the bid solicitation.

Please feel free to call me if you have any questions regarding this recommendation.

Thank you,

Brad Brown, P.E.

TxDOT Department Manager

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