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Ms. Kendra Cope Coastal Resource Coordinator Indian River County Public Works 1801 27th St, Building A Vero Beach, FL 32960

Subject: Sector 5 Beach and Dune Restoration Project

Bid Recommendation Letter

Dear Kendra:

This is to recommend selection of the low bidder, Rio-Bak Corporation, by the County for construction of the Sector 5 Beach and Dune Restoration Project along the County's Atlantic Coast shoreline. This recommendation is based on the assumption that the Contractor, Rio-Bak Corporation, understands and has appropriately considered the nature of the project within the environmentally sensitive project area and performs as intended, meeting all of the requirements of the specifications of the project.

The recommendation for the selection of Rio-Bak Corporation is predicated upon County approval of the appropriate certificate of insurance documents with all required endorsements and stipulations, performance and payment bonds and any documents and/or endorsements required by the County.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any further questions or comments.

Sincerely,

Jordon Cheifet, PE, CFM Senior Project Engineer

Aptim Environmental & Infrastructure, LLC

cc: Thomas Pierro, P.E., D. CE, APTIM