

**INDIAN RIVER COUNTY, FLORIDA
MEMORANDUM**

TO: Jason E. Brown, County Administrator

THROUGH: Richard B. Szpyrka, P.E., Public Works Director
James W. Ennis, P.E. PMP, Assistant Public Works Director

FROM: Jill M. Williams, Contract Support Specialist

SUBJECT: Award of Bid No: 2021045
4th Street Culvert Replacement at 90th Avenue (IRC-2022)

DATE: May 20, 2021

DESCRIPTION AND CONDITIONS

On October 3rd, Indian River County Road & Bridge Staff discovered that the 96-inch corrugated metal culvert crossing under 4th Street at 90th Avenue had collapsed due to corrosion and had destroyed the overlying roadway and was partially blocking the Indian River Farms Water Control District's Sub-Lateral D-4 Canal. Staff stabilized the site and removed soil that was blocking the drainage conveyance; however, roadway restoration was not able to be performed due to the size of the culvert.

The project consists of the replacement of an existing culvert at the intersection of 4th Street and 90th Avenue and restoration of the 4th Street roadway. Other work will include sheet piling, temporary canal bypass, earthwork, sodding, maintenance of traffic, erosion control and any other incidental work required to complete the project.

A bid opening for the project was held on May 19, 2021. Nine (9) bids qualified bids were received. A detailed bid tabulation is on file and available for viewing in the County Engineering Division. Bid totals are as follows:

COMPANY	BID
Florida Site Contracting Vero Beach, Florida	\$334,472.00
Ferreira Construction Southern Division Co., Inc. Hobe Sound, Florida	\$342,170.35
Loren Jock Trucking, Inc. Stuart, Florida	\$347,346.00
Johnson-Davis, Inc. Fort Pierce, Florida	\$349,500.00
Timothy Rose Contracting, Inc. Vero Beach, Florida	\$359,907.70
Gregori Construction, Inc. Titusville, Florida	\$381,490.00
Ryan Incorporated, Southern Stuart, Florida	\$419,517.00*
Hinterland Group, Inc. Riviera Beach, FL	\$486,230.00
Boromei Construction, Inc. Okeechobee, Florida	\$591,510.00

*Denotes mathematical errors on bid form corrected

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Florida Site Contracting is considered to be the lowest, responsive, responsible bidder for the project with a bid totaling \$334,472.00. This bid is \$65,528 below the engineer's cost estimate of \$400,000.00.

Upon checking references, County Staff, has determined that Florida Site Contracting has successfully completed similar construction projects.

FUNDING

Funding is budgeted and available in Account No. 31521441-066510-21008/Optional Sales Tax, Road & Bridge/90th Avenue Culvert Replacement in the amount of \$334,472.00.

RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends that the project be awarded to Florida Site Contracting in the amount of \$334,472.00 and requests that the Board of County Commissioners approve the sample agreement and authorize the Chairman to execute said agreement after receipt and approval of the required Public Construction Bond and Certificate of Insurance, and after the County Attorney has approved the agreement as to form and legal sufficiency.

ATTACHMENTS

Sample Agreement

APPROVED AGENDA ITEM FOR JUNE 15, 2021