INDIAN RIVER COUNTY OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET PURCHASING DIVISION

DATE: August 5, 2021

TO: BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

THROUGH: Jason E. Brown, County Administrator

Kristin Daniels, Budget Director

FROM: Jennifer Hyde, Purchasing Manager

SUBJECT: Award of Bid 2021046 for South Oslo Road WTP SCADA System Improvements

BACKGROUND:

Kimley-Horn Work Order 4 under continuing services agreement 2019070 was authorized by the Board on April 20, 2021. Under this work order, Kimley-Horn is providing design and bidding assistance services for the construction of electrical and Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition (SCADA) system improvements. These improvements include installation of new high service pump Program Logic Control (PLC) panel, hardware upgrades to existing Main PLC panel, conduit, wiring and any other systems as depicted on the plans and in these specifications to provide a complete and functional system at the South Oslo Road Water Treatment Plant. Bids for the improvements have been issued and received with the results shown below.

BID RESULTS:

Advertising Date:

Bid Opening Date:

Demandstar Broadcast to:

Specifications/Plans Downloaded by:

Replies:

June 9, 2021

July 22, 2021

509 Subscribers

21 Vendors

2 Vendors

Firm	Location	Total Bid Price
TLC Diversified, Inc.	Palmetto	\$241,800
Hinterland Group, Inc.	Riviera Beach	\$294,400

ANALYSIS:

Kimley-Horn has reviewed the bids received, and determined TLC Diversified, Inc. to be the lowest, responsive and responsible bidder. The Department of Utility Services has reviewed Kimley-Horn's bid analysis and is recommending award to TLC Diversified.

SOURCE OF FUNDS:

The engineer's opinion of probable cost was \$202,280. Kimley-Horn stated the variance from their estimate can most likely be attributed to elevated materials costs due to the COVID-19 pandemic, particularly in relation to the new high service pump PLC panel.

Funding in the amount of \$241,800 is available in the Water Production/R&R/WTF SCADA system updates (47121936-044699-19536) account in the operating fund. Operating fund revenues are received through water and sewer service sales.

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends the Board award Bid 2021046 to TLC Diversified, Inc., approve the sample agreement and authorize the Chairman to execute the agreement after receipt and approval of the required public construction bond and insurance, and after approval of the agreement by the County Attorney as to form and legal sufficiency.

ATTACHMENT:

Sample Agreement