

**INDIAN RIVER COUNTY
OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET
PURCHASING DIVISION**

DATE: December 1, 2022

TO: BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

THROUGH: Jason E. Brown, County Administrator
Kristin Daniels, Director, Office of Management and Budget

FROM: Jennifer Hyde, Purchasing Manager

SUBJECT: Award of Bid 2023014 for County Beach Parks Post Hurricane Emergency Dune Repairs

BACKGROUND:

On behalf of the Coastal Engineering Division, an invitation to bid was issued for the emergency replacement of sand at various County beach parks, which was eroded by the impacts of Hurricane Ian. After release of the bid, the beaches were further impacted by Hurricane Nicole; therefore, additional quantity estimates were made by the Coastal Division, and an Addendum to the Bid Form issued to facilitate recovery from both storms. The impacted parks are Golden Sands Beach Park, Wabasso Beach Park, Turtle Trail Beach Park, Seagrape Beach Park and Tracking Station Beach Park.

BID RESULTS:

Advertising Date: October 27, 2022
 Bid Opening Date: November 30, 2022
 Solicitation Broadcast to: 520 Subscribers
 Bid Documents Requested by: 30 Firms
 Replies: 6 Firms

Firm	Total Bid
Guettler Brothers Construction, LLC	\$662,742.00
CWR Contracting, Inc.	\$946,115.00
Rio-Bak Corporation	\$957,681.00*
Dickerson Infrastructure, Inc. dba Dickerson Florida, Inc.	\$1,073,150.00
Eastman Aggregate Enterprises, LLC	\$1,090,744.75
Ranger Construction Industries, Inc.	\$1,237,528.75

*Denotes mathematical errors corrected

ANALYSIS:

The Coastal Division and Public Works Department have reviewed the bids and determined Guettler Brothers Construction, LLC to be the lowest, responsive, responsible bidder. Guettler has recently completed the Sector 3 Beach and Dune Restoration Phase 2 project (Bid 2021050) for the County.

FUNDING:

The emergency dune repairs will be funded by the Beach Restoration Fund/Other Contractual Services accounts for Hurricanes Ian and Nicole. Funding for this expense will require a budget amendment from Beach Restoration Fund/Cash Forward Oct 1st. County staff does intend to pursue FEMA reimbursement for this expense, if applicable.

Account Name	Account Number	Amount
Beach Restoration Fund/Other Contractual Services/Hurricane Ian	12814472-033490-22601	\$295,534
Beach Restoration Fund/Other Contractual Services/Hurricane Nicole	12814472-033490-23007	\$367,208

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends the Board award Bid 2023014 to Guettler Brothers Construction, LLC, approve the sample agreement, and authorize the Chairman to execute the agreement after approval by the County Attorney as to form and legal sufficiency.

ATTACHMENT

Sample Agreement