

March 16, 2023

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Toole Design Group, LLC 8484 Georgia Avenue, Suite 800 Silver Spring, MD 20910

ATTN: Jennifer L. Toole, President

NOTICE OF AWARD RFP No. 22-500622 Comprehensive Trail – Greenway Master Plan Services Estimated Amount: \$348,500.00

Dear Ms. Toole:

This confirms that the DeKalb County Board of Commissioners (BOC) at the *February 16, 2023* meeting acted to approve the contract award for the subject RFP No. 22-500622, Comprehensive Trail – Greenway Master Plan (Multiyear Contract) in accordance with your response to the subject Request for Proposals.

A notice to proceed (NTP) meeting will be scheduled for a later date. Please work with Brenda H. Redus, Senior Procurement Agent, <u>bredus@dekalbcountyga.gov</u>, in providing the necessary documents to complete this transaction and in conjunction with the NTP Meeting. Immediately proceed to acquire (1) the current certificate of insurance (COI), (2) valid county or city Business License, (3)*Contractor's Affidavit, (4)*LSBE Subcontractor Affidavit, (5)*Certificate of Corporate Resolution and (6) Sub-Agreement with each LSBE (see LSBE information below) in accordance with the terms of the RFP and County Contract. The above listed executed contract documents must be completed and returned to Ms. Redus via email upon your receipt of this Notice of Award.

No work is to begin until you have received the Notice to Proceed from the Procurement Manager of DeKalb County. No County department has the authority to authorize you to perform any work until the Notice to Proceed has been issued.

Sincerely,

Delois Robinson, MBA, CPPO Procurement Manager Department of Purchasing and Contracting

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LSBE Information

LSBEs: Blue Cypress Consulting LLC (LSBE-MSA) % Participation: 20

NOTE:

You are required to prepare separate sub-agreements between your company and of the above LSBE that you identified in your proposal for this project. The following language (terms and conditions) must be included in the LSBE sub-agreement:

- (1) The percentage (%)/and dollar amount of the agreement (this amount should be the same as documented on the Letter of Intent (LOI) included in your bid package.
- (2) The solicitation and contract number should also be incorporated into the document i.e. "this sub agreement is in support of DeKalb County Contract #_____ (to be provided upon execution).
- (3) Prime shall pay the LSBE Sub no later than seven (7) calendar days from prime contractor's receipt of payment from DeKalb County.
- (4) Substitution Language in place of termination clause -

All requests for changes or substitutions of the subcontractors named in the notarized schedule of LSBE Participation shall be made in writing to the LSBE Review Panel and shall clearly and fully set forth the basis for the request, including documentary proof or affidavits of individuals, where necessary. The LSBE Review Panel will review the request and make a final decision. The facts supporting the request must not have been known nor reasonably should have been known by either party prior to the submission of the notarized Schedule of LSBE Participation. Post-award LSBE shopping is prohibited and may be cause for cancellation, rejection or other punitive remedies against the prime contractor.

(5) The Prime/LSBE shall also incorporate a proposed "work schedule" that identifies the work to be completed by the LSBE according to the SOW (scope of work) through the term of the contract.

The sub-contractor agreement between your company and the LSBE must be sent to <u>DekalbFirstLSBE@dekalbcountyga.gov</u> for approval prior to scheduling the Notice to Proceed Meeting. Also, copy Ms. Redus on this communication.