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Dear Mr. James:

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The Office of Business and Economic Opportunity evaluates and reviews all DBE submittals and determined that MCM did not meet the goal and did not make a good faith effort to meet the goal. However, in accordance with Code of Federal Regulation 49, MCM attended an administrative reconsideration meeting to address those findings. The Reconsideration Committee made a decision that MCM did make a good faith effort to meet the goal for this contract.

Caltrans did not conduct a review of the protest as it pertains to Bridgeway, as Caltrans will proceed to award this contract to MCM, the lowest responsible bidder.

If you have any questions, please contact Mulissa Smith, Contract Awards Manager, at (916) 227-6228.

Sincerely,

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