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Bid Protest Contract 06-0P8104

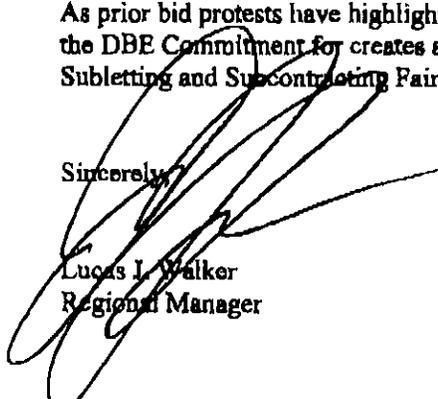
Dear Mr. McMillan,

Please consider this letter as a formal protest to the bid submitted by Desert Concepts Construction, Inc. ("DCCI") for the above referenced contract.

This protest is submitted on the basis that DCCI's bid is non-responsive and must be rejected. DCCI's Bid Item List in their Subcontractor List form includes the listing of subcontractor Cal-Stripe for Bid Item No. 1 at a percentage of 36.6 of that bid item. However, when reviewing DCCI's DBE Commitment form it lists Veridico Group, Inc. for Bid Item Nos. 1, 6, and 7. DCCI is indicating in their DBE Commitment from that Veridico is performing 100% of Bid Item Nos. 1, 6, and 7. The form requires that when 100% of item is not to be performed, the exact portion must be described. DCCI followed these instruction for Austin Enterprises by indicating "partial" next to the description of work. The lack of any partial indication for Veridico must mean that they are performing 100% of the item of work. How can Cal-Stripe be doing a portion of Bid Item No. 1 when Veridico is doing 100% of it? Furthermore, Veridico is not listed on DCCI's Subcontractor Listing form.

As prior bid protests have highlighted, a discrepancy between the subcontract listing and the DBE Commitment creates a revised "Subcontractor List" and is in violation of the Subletting and Subcontracting Fair Practices Act of the Public Contract Code.

Sincerely,


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