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June 5, 2014

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06-0Q8104  
06-Ker-155, 204-R6.5/R11.0; R0.0/3.7  
B.O. 03/26/2014

Dear Mr. Weishaar:

The Department of Transportation (Caltrans) is rescinding its letter, dated April 28, 2014, finding the bid submitted by Griffith Company on contract 06-0Q8104 non-responsive because it failed to properly complete the Subcontractor List form.

Caltrans reviewed the Subcontractor List form and the work to be performed cannot exceed 100 percent, as listed. Therefore, the percentages listed above 100 percent are interpreted as the subcontractor performing 100 percent of the work associated with the bid item.

Based on the above, Caltrans will proceed to award the contract to the lowest responsible bidder, provided all requirements are met.

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "John C. McMILLAN".

**JOHN C. McMILLAN**  
Deputy Division Chief  
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Caltrans 2010 revised Standard Specifications, Section 2-1.33C states in part, "...*The Subcontractor List must show the name, address, and work portions to be performed by each subcontractor listed. Show work portions by bid item number, description, and percentage of each bid item subcontracted*". On the Subcontractors List form, Central Striping to perform work described as striping. However, in column 3, Percentage of Bid Items Subcontracted Griffith listed percentages that are exceed 100% of the amount for the work to be performed.

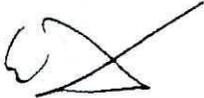
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Your attention is directed to Section 3-1.04 of the 2010 Standard Specifications. Caltrans is not obligated to offer an extension of the award period for a nonresponsive bid. Should you wish to extend your bid while resolving a nonresponsive finding, you must send your request to the Office Engineer no later than 4:00 p.m., two business days prior to the expiration of your bid.

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DL-028104

STATE OF CALIFORNIA · DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION  
**SUBCONTRACTOR LIST**  
 DES-OE-0102.2 (REV 3/2011)

Bidder Name: Griffith Company

The bidder must identify each subcontractor performing work in an amount in excess of 1/2 of 1 percent of the total bid or \$10,000, whichever is greater (Pub Cont Code § 4100 et seq.). Complete columns 1 and 4 and submit with the bid. Complete columns 2 and 3 and submit with the bid or fax to (916) 227-6282 within 24 hours after the bid opening. Failure to provide complete information in columns 1 through 4 within the time specified will result in a nonresponsive bid.

Column 1: Business Name and Location	Column 2: Bid Item Nos.	Column 3: Percentage of Bid Item Subcontracted	Column 4: Description of Subcontracted Work
Arrow Signs Temecula, CA	2	100	Construction Area Signs
Pavement Management Solutions, Inc. Murrieta, CA	11, 12	100, 53	Must Grinds
G3 Quality Cerritos, CA	14, 15, 16	.016, .060, .009	QC/QA
Pavement Recycling Systems Jurupa Valley, CA	9	41	Cold Plane AC
Loop Electric, Inc.	25, 26	100, 100	Electrical
Central Striping Service, Inc.	1, 3, 7, 8, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24	67, .064, 333, 150, 108, 133, 67, 94, 60, 100	Striping

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