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Dear Mr. Walker:

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Caltrans reviewed the bid documents and finds that Papich followed the bidding instructions on bid day and in its subsequent 24 hour submittal. Furthermore, Caltrans finds the bid submitted by Papich responsive.

Based on the above, Griffith's protest will have no bearing on the award of this contract and Caltrans will proceed to award this contract to the lowest responsible bidder, provided that all requirements are met.

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

Sincerely,


JOHN C. McMILLAN
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