MANATEE COUNTY GOVERNMENT

AGENDA MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT	RFP #09-1333FL – Construction Management at Risk Services for Road and Utility Projects	TYPE AGENDA ITEM	Consent
DATE REQUESTED	June 9, 2009	DATE SUBMITTED/REVISED	June 1, 2009
BRIEFINGS? Who?	No	CONSEQUENCES IF DEFERRED	N/A
DEPARTMENT/DIVISION	Financial Management / Purchasing	AUTHORIZED BY TITLE	Jim Seuffert, Director
CONTACT PERSON TELEPHONE/EXTENSION	Frank Lambertson, 3042 / Bruce Simington, 7331	PRESENTER/TITLE TELEPHONE/EXTENSION	Tim Hochuli, Deputy Director, Project Management, 7348
ADMINISTRA	ATIVE APPROVAL		

ACTION DESIRED INDICATE WHETHER 1) REPORT; 2) DISCUSSION; 3) FORM OF MOTION; OR 4) OTHER ACTION REQUIRED

Authorization to enter into negotiations with the following firms: Balfour Beatty Construction, Fort Myers, FL; Kraft Construction Company, Inc., Sarasota, FL; Peter R. Brown Construction, Inc., Clearwater, FL; and Wright Construction Group, Fort Myers, FL for the purpose of Construction Management at Risk for Road and Utility Projects on an as required basis.

ENABLING/REGULATING AUTHORITY

Federal/State law(s), administrative ruling(s), Manatee County Comp Plan/Land Development Code, ordinances, resolutions, policy

Ordinance 08-43, Manatee County Purchasing Code Section 2-26-42, Solicitations Other Than Sealed Bids

BACKGROUND/DISCUSSION

As an additional option as a construction delivery system, the Public Works Department requested that we solicit for ongoing contracts for Construction Management (CM) at Risk Services for Road Construction Projects which would include; road construction, road widening and improvements, bridges, and utility relocation. We have previously used the Construction Manager at Risk process for some vertical construction projects such as the Judicial Center and the new Public Safety Complex. Public Works believes this type of process could also be advantageous on certain types of road construction projects.

One of the primary advantages of this type of procurement is the ability to bring the Construction Manager into the project team early in the design process. Working with the Design Engineer, the Construction Manager, in coordination with the county, is able to participate in value engineering and improve the constructability of the project. The Construction Manager at Risk process also allows for competitive solicition of subcontracts in developing a Guranteed Maximum Price (GMP).

Individual work assignments will be issued for selected projects just as the County's obtains professional engineering services.

COUNTY ATTORNEY REVIEW				
Check appropriate box				
	REVIEWED Written Comments:			
⊠	NOT REVIEWED (No apparent legal issues.)			
	NOT REVIEWED (Utilizes exact form or procedure previously approved by CAO.)			
	OTHER			

ATTACHMENTS: (List in order as attached) None		INSTRUCTIONS TO BOARD RECORDS: None		
COMMENTS:	N/A	AMT./FREQ. OF RECURRING COSTS: (ATTACH FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT)	N/A	

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The Scope of Services includes but is not limited to the following:

Phase I - The preconstruction phase, for a negotiated fixed fee, shall consist of the Construction Management (CM) firm performing design review, construction phasing and maintenance of traffic, right of way acquisition, utility coordination and relocation, permit coordination, cost estimating, scheduling, constructability reviews, construction cost forecast modeling, value engineering through all phases of design and attend all project and design team meetings The CM shall be required to develop a Guaranteed Maximum Price (GMP), using design development documents provided by the Engineers.

Phase II - The construction phase will commence if the GMP is accepted. The CM will become the single point of responsibility for the performance of the construction contract for the project and will be required to bid trade contracts. The selected firms shall be required to provide payment and performance bonds each in a value equal to 100% of the GMP. The services required for the construction program will include, but not be limited to, the following:

- 2/17/09 5/7/09 the appropriate proposal procedures were followed. The Request For Proposal (RFP) was advertized locally in the Bradenton Herald and broadcast via DemandStar seven hundred seventy six (776) potential providers of Construction Management at Risk Road and Utility Projects and thirty nine (39) firms downloaded the RFP and four (4) firms submitted proposals.
- Thirty four (34) Manatee County firms were directly contacted via DemandStar and the newly implemented County Vendor Listing

Although notified, no Manatee County firms chose to respond.

The Selection Committee consisted of:

Frank Lambertson, Purchasing Division (Chairman) Wayne Rogers, Engineering Services Division Bruce Simington, Project Management Division

- 5/7/09 the Selection Committee convened and heard oral presentations.
- 5/26/09 the Selection Committee convened telephonically and decided to enter into negotiations with the four (4) firms that submitted proposals based on the anticipated future project that faces the County and the possible availability of Federal stimulus funding. These firms were not ranked and will be used by the Public Works Department on an as required basis.

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