



MANATEE COUNTY FLORIDA

TO: All Bidders
FROM: R.C. "Rob" Cuthbert, CPPO, C.P.M., Procurement Official
Date: May 13, 2011
RE: **BID NO. 11-0907DS, RIVERVIEW BOULEVARD BRIDGE AT MCLEWIS BAYOU**

Pursuant to the authority provided to the County by Florida Statutes § 255.20(1) (d), Manatee County Code § 2-26-43, and the reservation of rights provided for in the bid documents (A.14 Reserved Rights), Manatee County hereby provides notice of its decision to reject all bids received in response to the referenced bid.

This decision was necessary due to a material error by the Engineer consultant, in the accurate conveyance of the required quantity for Steel sheet piling- permanent material. The bid form quantities were given as only half of the design quantity. The financial magnitude of this error could not be reasonably corrected without impairing the equity and competitiveness of the sealed bidding process.

This notice will be published and posted in the same manner as notice of the initial solicitation.

The Public Works Department shall review, amend, update and establish bid specifications and applicable bid line items with quantities that reflect the bid specifications. Due to seasonal use of this area, it is anticipated that the issuance of a new solicitation will be in the spring of 2012. Those contractors that participated in the original solicitation will be directly notified of the updated Invitation For Bids.

The Manatee County Purchasing Division is grateful for your participation and that you will continue to bid on this and similar future projects.

Cordially

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