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Via Electronic Mail

Kirk Abbott, P.E.  
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**RE: Recommendation Letter  
IFB 222-128 Hwy 21 Water Line Extension Project**

Dear City Project Manager – Kirk Abbott

A total of 9 bids were received for the Hwy 21 Water Line Extension Project on March 22, 2022. A copy of the bid tabulation and bid item breakdown is enclosed in Attachment A.

The apparent low bidder for the above referenced project is EVT Construction LLC with a bid amount of \$1,593,100.00.

| Ranking | Bidder                       | Bid Total       |
|---------|------------------------------|-----------------|
| 1       | EVT Construction             | \$ 1,593,100.00 |
| 2       | Dale Lowden Excavating       | \$ 1,870,978.26 |
| 3       | QRO Mex Construction Co.     | \$ 1,995,911.00 |
| 4       | R-Construction               | \$ 2,307,217.30 |
| 5       | Vaca Underground Utilities   | \$ 2,319,006.66 |
| 6       | Spiess Construction Co.      | \$ 2,464,415.95 |
| 7       | Harper Brothers Construction | \$ 2,547,958.80 |
| 8       | Aaron Concrete Contractors   | \$ 2,590,388.95 |
| 9       | D Guerra Construction        | \$ 2,986,743.00 |
| N/A     | Engineer's Estimate          | \$ 2,345,602.70 |

Based on their Statement of Qualifications and the references checked, EVT Construction LLC appears to be qualified and capable of performing the work for this project. Based on this information, and Purchasing Manager's assessment of responsiveness of the Bidder, Weston Solutions recommends that the City of San Marcos award the construction contract for this project to EVT Construction LLC for a total bid amount of \$1,593,100.00.

If you have any questions or concerns, please let us know.

Sincerely,

Dain Chernick  
Senior Project Engineer

**Attachments:** Bid Tabulation