



October 26, 2023

CIP NO. 22-09

CERTIFIED MAIL

Jorge Diaz De La Fuente, President
De La Fuente Construction, Inc.
3025 Beyer Blvd. Suite E-101
San Diego, CA 92154

Dear Mr. De La Fuente,

Project: EASTSIDE I-805 COMMUNITY GREENBELT PROJECT

Subject: NON-RESPONSIVE BID

Thank you for bidding the Eastside I-805 Community Greenbelt project. However, there is a significant irregularity in your bid that renders it non-responsive.

On September 21, 2023, the Eastside I-805 Community Greenbelt project, CIP No. 22-09, was posted on Planet Bids. On October 11, 2023, one (1) bid was received by the 5:00 p.m. deadline. De La Fuente Construction, Inc., was the apparent low bidder with a total bid amount of \$4,670,227.59. Upon review of all documents submitted, De La Fuente Construction, Inc., (Bidder) listed that they will perform less than the required 50 percent (50%) of the work, violating Section 7. "Work By Bidder's Own Forces" of the Construction Specifications (Specs) requires that the Bidder to perform at least 50 percent (50%) of the work.

Since you did not meet this requirement listed in the Specs, your bid cannot be considered for award.

Sincerely,


Stephen Manganiello
Director of Public Works/City Engineer

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