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Operational Planning & Infrastructure Committee February 6, 2024

Project Overview:

- Perform Bridge Engineering including analysis, inspection, evaluation and design to support GCRTA staff
- Work is by Task Order Assignment
- Total Task Orders not to exceed \$300,000 over a 24 month term
- Both Highway & Railroad project assignments



- Anticipated Assignments:
 - Annual Bridge Inspections
 - Load Rating of Various STEN through Girder Bridges on the Red Line East
 - Inspection and conceptual repair detail for the RTA Bridge over Brookpark Road
 - Projects with external agencies/ODOT
 - Other projects as assigned



Procurement Overview:

- Request for Proposal (RFP) issued November 12, 2023
- Accessed on the GCRTA website by twenty-three (23) interested parties
- Four (4) firms proposed
- Three (3) firms were interviewed



- Evaluation Panel Members:
 - Engineering and Project Management
 - Office of Business Development
 - Office of Management and Budget
 - Administration and External Affairs
 - Procurement



Evaluation Criteria:

- Project Manager
- Assigned Staff
- Past Performance
- Project Approach
- Location of Majority of Work
- DBE Participation



Recommended vendor:

- Michael Baker International, Inc. Cleveland, Ohio
- 7% DBE Goal will be met by utilizing:
 - 2LMN, Inc.
 - NEAS, Inc.
 - Bridge Diagnostics, Inc.



Firm Experience:

- Michael Baker International, Inc. has successfully completed projects for GCRTA, LA Metro, Sound Transit in Seattle, WA, ODOT, and Dallas Area Rapid Transit (DART), among others.
- Knowledgeable and familiar with bridges and structures
- Experienced and qualified staff
- A clear and acceptable project approach



Staff Requests that the Operational Planning and Infrastructure Committee recommend award to Michael Baker International, Inc. for On-Call Bridge Engineering Services III. The contract is in an amount not to exceed \$300,000.00 for a period of 24 months.



Questions?

