

MUSKEGON COUNTY QUALIFICATION SUMMARY

Commodity Number: 926-85

Proposal: RFP 13-2079

Department: Administration

Release Date: 06/11/13

Product / Service: Professional Geotechnical Reporting & Materials Testing Services

Opening Date: 06/18/13

****MITN Solicitation Statistics****

Vendors Received Notice: 95

Vendors Accessed Attachments: 25

Proposals Received: 6

No-Proposal Form Received: 1

Vendor Name & Address		Lump Sum Not To Exceed Total Cost				Comments
Driesenga & Associates, Inc. 455 E. 8th Street Holland, MI 49423		\$74,350.00				
Materials Testing Consultants 693 Plymouth Avenue, NE Grand Rapids, MI 49505		\$86,900.00				
Nordlund & Associates, Inc. 813 E. Ludington Avenue Ludington, MI 49431		\$87,100.00				
Professional Service Industries, Inc. 1316 Front Avenue, NW, Ste 117 Grand Rapids, MI 49504		\$104,290.00				
Soils & Structures, Inc. 6480 Grand Haven Road Muskegon, MI 49441		\$76,961.10				
Somat Engineering, Inc. 3390 Broadmoor Avenue, SE, Ste G Grand Rapids, MI 49512		\$170,358.00				
Estimated Cost \$150,000.00 No Advertisement						

Department Recommendation:

Name of Witness: Tina Nash

Buyer's Name: Christine R. Johnson

Signature: _____

Heath Kaplan,
Finance & Management Services Director:

Signature: _____

Vendor Awarded: _____

Board Approval Date: _____

Purchase Order Number: _____



Muskegon County Geotechnical and Materials Testing RFP #13-2079 - Bid Analysis Prepared by Granger Construction Co. 6/24/13

Provider	Jail Geotech	Jail Materials	Jail Subtotal	JTC Geotech	JTC Materials	Irregularity	JTC Subtotal	Total	Variance from Average - Under or (Over)
Driesenga & Associates	6,990.00	46,900.00	53,890.00	4,360.00	16,100.00		20,460.00	74,350.00	6,977.77
Materials Testing Consultants	11,100.00	46,350.00	57,450.00	4,850.00	24,600.00		29,450.00	86,900.00	(5,572.23)
Nordlund & Associates	10,200.00	49,000.00	59,200.00	6,900.00	21,000.00		27,900.00	87,100.00	(5,772.23)
Professional Service Industries	6,760.00	81,060.00	87,820.00	3,200.00	13,270.00		16,470.00	104,290.00	(22,962.23)
Soils & Structures	6,525.00	58,000.00	64,525.00	3,625.00	8,811.10		12,436.10	76,961.10	4,366.67
Somat Engineering	14,700.00	79,965.00	94,665.00	5,200.00	70,193.00	\$300 diff. btn. subtotal and bid	75,693.00	170,358.00	(89,030.23)

It appears that two of the firms looked at the RFP and the project very differently than the other four firms. We conclude that these proposals are economically outliers. All other proposals are nearly within one standard deviation of the sample. For professional services, any firm recommended by the engineer of record provides reasonable value.

Averages	9,379.17	60,212.50	69,591.67	4,689.17	25,662.35		30,401.52	99,993.18	
SDEV	3,245.33	16,277.51	17,254.36	1,314.00	22,515.85		23,126.43	36,042.71	
Averages excluding two high proposals	7,618.75	50,062.50	58,766.25	4,008.75	14,795.28		19,316.53	81,327.78	
SDEV excl. 2 high proposals	1,731.27	15,639.51	4,429.51	737.66	5,110.05		6,593.60	6,636.40	