

December 30, 2013

Mr. John Shutak
Lawrence Utilities Department
P.O. Box 708
Lawrence, Kansas 66044-0708

RE: Recommendation for Award
Waterline Relocation Program
N. Iowa Street Waterline Replacement, Lakeview Road to Riverridge Road
City Project No. UT 1308DS. PEC Project No. 12A04-004-3975

Dear John:

I have attached the December 17, 2013, bid tabulation of the three bids received for the above-referenced project for your records. All bids were checked for accuracy, completeness and other applicable requirements and found to be satisfactory. Bids received were as follows:

Westland Construction, Inc.	\$450,565.00
Nowak Construction Co. Inc.	\$598,687.00
Schuetz Construction, LLC	\$603,475.00

The Engineer's Estimate as corrected was \$498,175.00.

PEC has no direct experience with Westland Construction. However, they successfully completed a waterline project for the City of Lawrence Utility Department involving pipe bursting within the past two years. Their bid documents for this project appear to be in order.

Based on the above information, PEC recommends that the City of Lawrence award the construction contract for the N. Iowa Street Waterline Replacement, Lakeview Road to Riverridge Road to Westland Construction, Inc. of Bashor, Kansas in the amount of their bid of \$450,565.00.

Very truly yours,
Professional Engineering Consultants, P. A.



Rodney J. Hofer, P.E.
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