



April 9, 2015

Levi Jensen, P.E.
Utility Project Manager
City of Gillette
611 Exchange Ave.
Gillette, WY 82717

Re: Gillette Madison Pipeline Project - Contract #6
Pine Ridge Water Tank
Bid Review and Recommendations

Dear Mr. Jensen:

The Pine Ridge Water Tank project was advertised for bid on March 13, 20, and 27, 2015. A prebid meeting was held on March 19, 2015. The project bid at 2:00 pm on April 8, 2015 and one (1) bid was received from COP Wyoming.

The bidder provided the requisite bid bond and acknowledged Addenda 1-3 on bid form. The following table summarizes the bid received for the base bid (welded steel tank) and alternate bid item #1 (bolted steel tank).

Gillette Madison Pipeline Project - Contract #6 Pine Ridge Water Tank - Bid Results		
Bidder	Lump Sum Base Bid Welded Tank	Additive Alternate #1 Bolted Tank
COP Wyoming	\$1,966,930	+\$30,880

Considering that there was little or no competition on Bid day, only one bid was received, and that the Bid was 50% higher than the current budget, we recommend that the Gillette Madison Pipeline Contract #6, Pine Ridge Water Tank, not be awarded at this time. We recommend that the Bid provided by COP Wyoming be rejected based on being 50% higher than the budgeted amount.

Feel free to contact me with any further questions (303) 474-2220.

Sincerely,

Andy Hundley, P.E.
Project Engineer

Cc: Dan Korinek, B&McD Project Manager