

May 7, 2015

Josh Richardson  
City of Gillette  
Engineering Department  
P.O. Box 3003  
Gillette, WY 82717-3003

**RE: Westover Road Improvements  
Project No. 15EN07**

Dear Josh,

Bids were received at 3:00 p.m. on Wednesday, May 6, 2015 for the above referenced project. A total of four (4) contractors submitted bids. There was one (1) addendum for this project and it was acknowledged on all bids. Proper Bid Security in the form of a Bid Bond in the amount of five percent (5%) of the bid amounts was included with all bids as well as the "Certificate of Residency Status."

There were no mathematical errors found with the bids as all the bids were submitted on the electronic bid form print outs. The bids are tabulated as follows:

<b>Mountain View Builders</b>	Total	\$1,588,744.00
<b>Powder River Construction</b>	Total	\$1,311,564.50
<b>S&amp;S Builders</b>	Total	\$1,486,313.60
<b>DRM, Inc.</b>	Total	\$1,338,670.50
<b>Engineer's Estimate</b>	Total	\$1,621,199.81

The bidders are local contractors and have worked on similar projects throughout the region and for the City of Gillette. Powder River Construction has indicated they are comfortable with their bid and that they have the equipment, materials, and manpower to complete your project in the time frame allowed and in accordance with the contract documents.

A bid tabulation form with the comparable unit pricing and totals is attached. The low bid is 19% below the Engineer's Estimate and 8.4% below the average of the bids. The unit prices seen in the bids varied throughout among the bidders. The biggest variations in unit prices with the low bidder were contained in the following bid items; Mobilization,

QUALITY

INTEGRITY

SERVICE

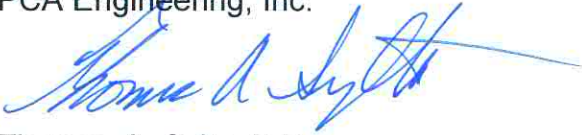
Unclassified Excavation, Subgrade Preparation, Aggregate Base, Concrete Paving and Curb and Gutter.

The low bidder has met the requirements for bidding. I recommend the City of Gillette award the Westover Road Improvements project to the low bidder, Powder River Construction Inc., in the amount of \$1,311,564.50.

If you have any questions concerning this evaluation, please do not hesitate to contact me at (307) 687-0600, or e-mail at [syltet@pcaengsur.com](mailto:syltet@pcaengsur.com).

Sincerely,

PCA Engineering, Inc.



Thomas A. Sylte, P.E.  
Project Engineer

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Attachments: Bid Tabulation Form  
Contractor Bids