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**DATE:** November 29, 2023

**TO:** Heavy Civil Inc.  
Johnson-Davis Incorporated

**FROM:** Morton L. Rose, P.E., Director, Roadway Production Div. 

**RE:** **AWARD RECOMMENDATION  
A1A FROM INDIANTOWN ROAD TO  
APPROXIMATELY 350' NORTH, DRAINAGE  
IMPROVEMENTS  
PALM BEACH COUNTY PROJECT NO.: 2020027**


Based on bid results and EBO compliance review, Engineering & Public Works recommends award of the above referenced contract to **Heavy Civil Inc.**

The enclosed Award Recommendation will be posted at the Engineering & Public Works Department / Roadway Production Division reception area on the 3rd Floor at 2300 North Jog Road, West Palm Beach, Florida on November 30, 2023.

<http://discover.pbcgov.org/engineering/roadwayproduction/Pages/Bid-Documents.aspx>

If your office wishes to protest the award recommendation, you may do so by addressing your protest to Ms. Melody Thelwell, Director, Palm Beach County Purchasing Department, 50 South Military Trail, West Palm Beach, Florida 33415. Failure to submit a protest to the Director of Purchasing within five (5) business days after posting of the Award Recommendation, as prescribed in Section 2-55(b) of the Palm Beach County Code, shall constitute a waiver of proceedings under the referenced County Code.

We thank you for your continued interest in bidding Palm Beach County projects.

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**AWARD RECOMMENDATION**  
**A1A FROM INDIANTOWN ROAD TO APPROXIMATELY 650'**  
**NORTH, DRAINAGE IMPROVEMENTS**  
**PALM BEACH COUNTY PROJECT NO.: 2020027**

Palm Beach County Engineering & Public Works recommends award to **Heavy Civil Inc.**, the lowest responsive, responsible bidder meeting all of the Equal Business Opportunity (EBO) ordinance requirements.

Rank	Bidder	Bid Amount	Footnotes
1	Heavy Civil Inc.	\$345,122.50	1, 2
2	Johnson-Davis Incorporated	\$693,295.00	2

**Footnotes:**

1. Recommended Awardee
2. Responsive to the Entire Solicitation
3. Non-responsive to the EBO Ordinance Mandatory API
4. Non-responsive to other EBO Ordinance Requirements
5. Bid order of ranking was affected by the Local Preference Ordinance

**Enclosures:** Office of Equal Business Opportunity Compliance Review  
Bid Tabulations

## OEBO PARTICIPATION EVALUATION FORM

DATE SENT: November 20, 2023	CONTRACTS MANAGER: Holly Knight, P.E.
PROJECT #: 2020027	PROJECT NAME: A1A from Indiantown Rd. to Approx. 650' North, Drainage Improvements
USER DEPARTMENT: Engineering	SOLICITATION OPENING DATE:
OEBO ESTABLISHED API: <u>The API set for this project is 20% SBE min. mandatory</u>	

## SOLICITATION EVALUATION INFORMATION

RESPONDENT	PRIME IS A CERTIFIED S/M/WBE	IS PRIME BIDDER RESPONSIVE	PERCENTAGE OF S/M/WBE UTILIZATION
Heavy Civil, Inc.	2	1	20.8%
Johnson-Davis Incorporated	2	1	21.6%

## KEYS FOR DETERMINATION (NOTED IN THE SOLICITATION EVALUATION INFORMATION TABLE)

- (1) YES  
(2) NO  
(3) N/A

## EVALUATION NOTES:

Heavy Civil, Inc. is responsive.

Johnson-Davis Incorporated is responsive.


Please see the attached compliance review (Form J OEBO v.4) for additional evaluation comments.

Evaluated by: Angela Smith, SBDS III

Signature: 

Date: 11/20/23

Reviewed by: Allen Gray

Signature: 

Date: 11.20.2023

	Certification Status	Expiration Date	Bid Amount/Price/Percent: \$345,122.50	
<b>Prime Respondent:</b> Heavy Civil, Inc.	Non-SBE	N/A	79.8%	
Subcontractor/Sub consultant Name				Supplier
Trinity Striping, Inc.	SBE	5/17/2026	1.88%	<input type="checkbox"/>
Atlas Surveying & Mapping, Inc.	SBE	7/11/2025	3.91%	<input type="checkbox"/>
Agricultural Land Services, Inc.	WBE	11/3/2025	1.14%	<input type="checkbox"/>
R & D Paving	WBE	4/9/2025	13.89%	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>TOTAL SBE PARTICIPATION</b>			<b>20.8%</b>	

Evaluation Comments: Heavy Civil, Inc. is responsive to the API and the EBO requirements.

	Certification Status	Expiration Date	Bid Amount/Price/Percent: \$693,295.00	
<b>Prime Respondent:</b> Johnson-Davis Incorporated	Non-SBE	N/A	68.6%	
Subcontractor/Sub consultant Name				Supplier
Pathway Enterprises, Inc.	SBE	7/11/2025	1.37%	<input type="checkbox"/>
Almazan Construction LLC	MBE - HI	9/6/2025	6.05%	<input type="checkbox"/>
R & D Paving, LLC	WBE	4/9/2025	13.25%	<input type="checkbox"/>
Trinity Striping, Inc.	SBE	5/17/2026	.937%	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>TOTAL SBE PARTICIPATION</b>			<b>21.6%</b>	

Evaluation Comments: Johnson-Davis Incorporated is responsive to the API and the EBO requirements.

<b>BID TABULATIONS</b> <b>A1A From Indiantown Road to Approximately 650' North, Drainage Improvements</b> <b>PBC PROJECT #2020027</b>					<b>Average of Bid</b> <b>Items for All Bidders</b>		<b>Engineer's Estimate</b>		<b>Heavy Civil Inc.</b>		<b>Johnson-Davis Incorporated</b>	
#	FDOT Item #	Item Description	Qty.	Units	Unit Price	Unit Price	Unit Price	Amount	Unit Price	Amount		
<b>ROADWAY ITEMS</b>												
1	0101 1	Mobilization	1	LS	\$ 48,150.00	\$ 31,220.00	\$ 31,300.00	\$ 31,300.00	\$ 65,000.00	\$ 65,000.00		
2	0102 1	Maintenance of Traffic (including Pedestrian MOT)	1	LS	\$ 63,406.50	\$ 31,220.00	\$ 31,813.00	\$ 31,813.00	\$ 95,000.00	\$ 95,000.00		
3	0110 1 1	Clearing and Grubbing	1	LS	\$ 23,906.50	\$ 20,820.00	\$ 32,813.00	\$ 32,813.00	\$ 15,000.00	\$ 15,000.00		
4	0120 1	Regular Excavation	225	CY	\$ 38.75	\$ 20.10	\$ 47.50	\$ 10,687.50	\$ 30.00	\$ 6,750.00		
5	0327 70 1	Mill Existing Asphalt Pavement (1" Average Depth)	2,100	SY	\$ 10.58	\$ 7.15	\$ 6.15	\$ 12,915.00	\$ 15.00	\$ 31,500.00		
6	0337 7 80	Asph. Concrete Friction Course (1.0") (FC-9.5) Rubber	125	TN	\$ 321.70	\$ 216.00	\$ 268.40	\$ 33,550.00	\$ 375.00	\$ 46,875.00		
7	0425 1 521	Inlets (Ditch Bottom), (Type C), < 10'	1	EA	\$ 9,131.50	\$ 5,134.74	\$ 8,263.00	\$ 8,263.00	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 10,000.00		
8	0425 1 541	Inlets (Ditch Bottom), (Type E), < 10'	1	EA	\$ 10,031.00	\$ 7,700.00	\$ 8,062.00	\$ 8,062.00	\$ 12,000.00	\$ 12,000.00		
9	0425 2 41	Manholes (Type P-7), < 10'	3	EA	\$ 8,862.00	\$ 3,974.38	\$ 6,724.00	\$ 20,172.00	\$ 11,000.00	\$ 33,000.00		
10	0430 880 01	Inline Check Valve (18")	1	EA	\$ 8,146.50	\$ 25,000.00	\$ 5,293.00	\$ 5,293.00	\$ 11,000.00	\$ 11,000.00		
11	0425 11	Modify Existing Drainage Structure	2	EA	\$ 2,500.00	\$ 3,800.00	\$ 500.00	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 4,500.00	\$ 9,000.00		
12	0430 174 118	Pipe Culvert (18") Optional Material	110	LF	\$ 194.00	\$ 84.53	\$ 138.00	\$ 15,180.00	\$ 250.00	\$ 27,500.00		
13	0443 70 03	French Drains (18" Dia), (incl. Ballast Rock & Filter Fabric)	460	LF	\$ 334.00	\$ 161.99	\$ 168.00	\$ 77,280.00	\$ 500.00	\$ 230,000.00		
14	0520 1 10	Concrete Curb & Gutter (Type F)	180	LF	\$ 77.25	\$ 23.59	\$ 54.50	\$ 9,810.00	\$ 100.00	\$ 18,000.00		
15	0520	Concrete Flume	4	EA	\$ 1,098.00	\$ 2,500.00	\$ 696.00	\$ 2,784.00	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 6,000.00		
16	0570 1 2	Sod	360	SY	\$ 12.50	\$ 4.31	\$ 13.00	\$ 4,680.00	\$ 12.00	\$ 4,320.00		
17	0430 94 1	Storm Sewer Clenaing (Exist.), (24" or Less)	340	LF	\$ 12.50	\$ 13.39	\$ 10.00	\$ 3,400.00	\$ 15.00	\$ 5,100.00		
<b>SUBTOTAL (ROADWAY)</b>							\$	<b>309,002.50</b>	\$	<b>626,045.00</b>		
<b>CONTINGENCY ITEMS</b>												
18	0400 1	Class I Concrete (Miscellaneous)	50	CY	\$ 750.00	\$ 1,220.00	\$ 500.00	\$ 25,000.00	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 50,000.00		
19	0121 70	Flowable Fill	50	CY	\$ 250.00	\$ 455.00	\$ 200.00	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 300.00	\$ 15,000.00		
20	102 99	Changeable (Variable Message) Sign (Non MOT)	4	EA	\$ 175.00	\$ 31.87	\$ 100.00	\$ 400.00	\$ 250.00	\$ 1,000.00		
21	0102 14	Traffic Control Officer (Non MOT)	10	HR	\$ 98.50	\$ 7.82	\$ 72.00	\$ 720.00	\$ 125.00	\$ 1,250.00		
<b>SUBTOTAL (CONTINGENCY)</b>							\$	<b>36,120.00</b>	\$	<b>67,250.00</b>		
<b>TOTAL BID</b>							\$	<b>345,122.50</b>	\$	<b>693,295.00</b>		

**THE COUNTY DOES NOT GUARANTEE THE ACCURACY OF THE FORMULAS AND EXTENSIONS USED IN THIS SPREADSHEET.**

**THE ITEMS AND QUANTITIES ABOVE, SHALL GOVERN OVER THE PLANS.**

**PAY ITEM FOOTNOTES IN CONSTRUCTION PLANS SHALL ALSO BE INCLUDED IN ITEM UNIT PRICE.**

<b>Note #</b>	<b>FDOT Item #</b>	<b>PAY ITEM FOOTNOTES</b>
1	All	All costs for Maintenance of Traffic (MOT) and mobilization shall be considered incidental to, and shall be included in, unit prices for the pay items. MOT to include all items for maintenance of vehiular and pedestrian traffic as directed by Palm Beach County.
2	All	All items shall include cost to furnish and install unless otherwise noted.
3	All	FDOT Item numbers are for use in determining eligibility for price adjustment per General Provision 9-2 only.
4	All	Exacavation and backfill for structures including cost of any select bedding material that may be necessary for satisfactory installation as direced by Palm Beach County is considered incidental to the cost of the structures.
5	0110 1 1	Costs for Clearing and Grubbing to include sawcut of existing asphalt or concrete designated for removal per the plans; the removal and relocation of privately owned systems such as irrigation, mailboxes, fencing, etc; the remocal/obliteration of any existing stop bar striping; the removal of any posts/signs; the removal of any storm structures or piping; and the removal and disposal in suitable area of excess and unsuitable material that may be encountered during excavation as directed by Palm Beach County. Tree root removal is considered incidental to "Clear and Grubbing." The removal of existing concrete spherical/conical parking preventers and barriers are incidental to the clearin and grubbing pay item. Removal and disposal of pavement, concrete, curb and gutter, trees, signs, irrigation, etc. Within the limits of the project are to be included in the clearing & grubbing pay item.
6	0120 1	Berm construction, swale construction, re-grading of roadways, driveways, canal sections and all other rough & finish earthwork shall be considered incidental to excavation and embankment pay items
7	0337 7 80	Prime and tack coats are considered incidental to asphalt construction
8	0520 1 10	Curb & gutter pay items include the curb pad.
9	0570 1 2	Sodding should match existing and shall be in accordance with section 575 of the general provisions of this specification and shall include the costs for fertilizer and water until final acceptance.
10		Contingency items may be increased decreased or deleted as directed by the engineer.

Bids as read at opening on November 7, 2023, 2:00 PM

All bids subject to OEBO compliance and Board Approval.

Prepared by: Felicia Johnson, Technical Assistant 1

Checked by: Holly B. Knight, P.E., Contracts Section Manager

Contract Time is 240 Calendar Days