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MEMORANDUM

TO: General Government Awards Committee

FROM: Gregory Pease, Chief of Procurement

DATE: **July 7, 2017**

SUBJECT: **PROTEST – Bid No.: CS-0500-17**
Title: LONG LINES AND INTERSECTIONS (RE-BID)

The attached bid protest filed by **SOUTHERN STATES PAVEMENT MARKINGS, INC.** is presented for action by the General Government Awards Committee, on Friday, **7/14/2017** at 1:00pm.

The General Government Awards Committee action is as follows:

UPHELD:	**DENIED:**
Dir. Adm. & Finance or Designee	Dir. Adm. & Finance or Designee
General Counsel or Designee	General Counsel or Designee
Director of Public Works or Designee	Director of Public Works or Designee

ACTION OF AWARDING AUTHORITY

Date ____ _____

Approved **Disapproved**

Signature of Authentication _____

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Southern States Pavement Markings, Inc.

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June 29, 2017

Mr. Steven Burakowski
Purchasing Analyst
Procurement Division
Finance and Administration Department
214 N. Hogan Street, Suite 800
Jacksonville, FL 32202

Formal Protest Letter

RE: Rejection Notice: CS-0500-17 Long Lines and Intersections (Re-Bid)

Mr. Burakowski:

We at Southern States Pavement Markings, Inc will like to protest the rejection of our Bid for CS-0500-17 Long Lines and Intersections (RE-Bid).

Reason being that on: 2.6.1 Qualification of bidders The Contract should only be awarded to a responsible Bidder who is qualified by experience and who is financially capable of doing the work specified. In order to award the Contract, the bidder must promptly submit the **Following upon request**: 2.6.1.1, 2.61.2, 2.6.1.3, 2.61.4 and 2.6.1.5.

Section 2.6.1 Does not refer to section 31.4 and as a requirement to be submitted with the Bid.

Please revise and advice if this City goal can be reached and we will be more than happy to comply with it and save the City Budget almost $360,000.00 (Bid Difference).

Please find attached our qualifications. We have been the Contractor for the City of Jacksonville for the last 20 years and we would like to be the Contractor for The City of Jax.

Please let us know of a time and place for a Protest hearing.

Thanks

Kevin Carter

President

CC M. Carter, Gregory Pease

City of Jacksonville, Florida

Lenny Curry, Mayor

Procurement Division
Ed Ball Building
214 N. Hogan Street, Suite 800
Jacksonville, Florida 32202

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July 6, 2017

VIA EMAIL AND MAIL

Kevin Carter, President
Southern States Pavement Markings, Inc.
P.O. Box 4492
Saint Augustine, FL 32085

Re: Protest, Long Lines and Intersections-Re-bid
Bid # CS-0500-17

Dear Mr. Carter:

I am in receipt of your protest letter filed on behalf of your company Southern States Pavement Markings, Inc. dated June 29, 2017, for the above referenced Bid.

We request that you and/or a representative of your firm appear before the general Government Awards Committee (GGAC) on Friday, July 14, 2017 at 1:00 p.m. on the 8th floor of the Ed Ball Building, 214 N Hogan Street, Conference Room 851 to present arguments limited to and in support of the issues in your letter.

Furthermore, by copy of this letter, I will formally request that all other firms having standing in this matter have a representative appear before the GGAC on the above mentioned date and time, if they desire to be heard in this matter.

If you have any questions, comments or concerns, please do not hesitate to call.

Sincerely,

for Gregory Pease
Chief, Procurement Division

cc: Dustin Freeman, Manager of Purchasing
Jeff Close, OGC
John Pappas, Director Traffic Engineering
Steven Burakowski, Procurement Analyst
Bid File

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TO: **Gregory W. Pease**
Chief of Procurement

THRU: **John Pappas, P.E.**
Director

FROM: **William Joyce**
Operations Director

DATE: **June 28, 2017**

SUBJECT: **Recommendation of Award:**
Pavement Markings Unit Price Construction – Long Lines and Intersections
Bid No.: CS-0500-17
Award Amount: $650,000.00

Traffic Engineering received two (2) bids for the subject project. Only 1 bidder submitted all documents required, Acme Barricade, Inc. The other bidder, Southern States Pavement Markings, Inc., did not submit the documentation required by the Bid Specifications for Pavement Marking Unit Price Construction – Long Lines and Intersections, Section 31.4 Contractors Qualifications, (see attached tab sheet) therefore their bid is rejected.

Traffic Engineering Division recommends approval of award to Acme Barricades, Inc., as the only responsive responsible bidder. The award to be in the amount of $650,000.00 to be issued as individual purchase orders.

Contract to be written for an initial period of two years with two, one year renewals.

Funding source: PWCP32ERD549, Subobject 069505, Project PW0057, Detail 01

Pavement Marking Long Line Bid Comparison
Contractor Qualifications
CS-0500-17

Section	**31.4 Contractors Qualifications**	Acme Submitted?	Southern States Submitted?
•	List of all equipment that will be available throughout the City Fiscal Year and length of this contract	Yes	No
•	Company qualfications and years in business	Yes	No
•	Resume and qualifications of primary manager of this contract	Yes	No
•	Resume and qualifications of all supervisors assigned to this contract activities	Yes	No
•	Resume and qualifications of all flaggers	Yes	No
•	Availability of all personnel assigned to perform work under this contract	Yes	No
•	Availability of all equipment assigned under this contract	Yes	No
•	All ongoing and scheduled projects and contracts during the term of this contract	Yes	No
•	All subcontractors resume, qualifications and equipment	Yes	No

TITLE: PAVEMENT MARKINGS UNIT PRICE CONSTRUCTION - LONG LINES AND INTERSECTIONS

BID NO.: CS-0500-17

OPEN DATE: June 21, 2017

BUYER: Steve Burakowski

No. Invited: (7) No. Received (2) No Bids: (0)

Recorded By: Gail Sampson

				SOUTHERN STATES PAVEMENT MARKINGS, INC.		ACME BARRICADES	
ITEM	DESCRIPTION	EST. QTY	UOM	UNIT COST	TOTAL COST	UNIT COST	TOTAL COST
1	Thermoplastic Stripe, 6" wide, Solid Yellow, Per FDOT Specs. Long Line Application (Maintenance)	150	NM	$ 2,800.00	$ 420,000.00	$ 2,690.00	$ 403,500.00
2	Thermoplastic Stripe, 6" wide, Skip Yellow, Per FDOT Specs. Long Line Application (Maintenance)	50	GM	$ 900.00	$ 45,000.00	$ 760.00	$ 38,000.00
3	Thermoplastic Stripe, 6" Wide, Solid White, Per FDOT Specs. Long Line Application (Maintenance)	150	NM	$ 2,800.00	$ 420,000.00	$ 2,690.00	$ 403,500.00
4	Thermoplastic Stripe, 6" Wide, Skip White, Per FDOT Specs. Long Line Application (Maintenance)	75	GM	$ 800.00	$ 60,000.00	$ 760.00	$ 57,000.00
5	Thermoplastic Stripe, 6" Wide, Solid Yellow, Per FDOT Specs. Hand Line Application (Maintenance)	10,000	LF	$ 0.65	$ 6,500.00	$ 0.55	$ 5,500.00
6	Thermoplastic Stripe, 6: Wide, Skip Yellow, Per FDOT Specs. Hand Line Application (Maintenance)	1000	LF	$ 1.00	$ 1,000.00	$ 0.45	$ 450.00
7	Thermoplastic Stripe, 6" Wide, Solid White, Per FDOT Specs. Hand Line Application (Maintenance)	10,000	LF	$ 1.00	$ 10,000.00	$ 0.60	$ 6,000.00
8	Thermoplastic Stripe, 6" Wide, Skip White, Per FDOT Specs. Hand Line Application (Maintenance)	5,000	LF	$ 1.00	$ 5,000.00	$ 0.60	$ 3,000.00
9	Thermoplastic Stripe, 8" Wide, Solid Yellow, Per FDOT Specs. Hand Line Application (Maintenance)	1,000	LF	$ 0.10	$ 100.00	$ 0.20	$ 200.00
10	Thermoplastic Stripe, 8" Wide, Solid White, Per FDOT Specs. Hand Line Application (Maintenance)	1000	LF	$ 1.00	$ 1,000.00	$ 1.65	$ 1,650.00
11	Thermoplastic Stripe, 12" Wide Solid White, Per FDOT Specs. Hand Line Application (Maintenance)	20000	LF	$ 1.40	$ 28,000.00	$ 1.85	$ 37,000.00
12	Thermoplastic Stripe, 12" Wide Solid Yellow, Per FDOT Specs. Hand Line Application (Maintenance)	500	LF	$ 1.00	$ 500.00	$ 0.10	$ 50.00
13	Thermoplastic Stripe, 18" Wide Solid Yellow, Per FDOT Specs. 10,000 Hand Line Application (Maintenance)	10000	LF	$ 2.00	$ 20,000.00	$ 2.20	$ 22,000.00
14	Thermoplastic Stripe, 18" Wide Solid White, Per FDOT Specs. Hand Line Application (Maintenance)	10,000	LF	$ 2.00	$ 20,000.00	$ 2.20	$ 22,000.00
15	Thermoplastic Stripe, 24" Wide Solid White, Per FDOT Specs. Hand Line Application (Maintenance)	25000	LF	$ 3.00	$ 75,000.00	$ 3.60	$ 90,000.00
16	Thermoplastic Pavement Messages, White, Per FDOT Specs. (per Letter) (Maintenance)	5000	EA	$ 12.50	$ 62,500.00	$ 20.00	$ 100,000.00
17	Thermoplastic Directional Arrows, White, Per FDOT Specs. (Maintenance)	5000	EA	$ 30.00	$ 150,000.00	$ 32.00	$ 160,000.00
18	Thermoplastic Railroad Message, White, Per FDOT Specs. (Two R's and One X) (Maintenance)	250	EA	$ 100.00	$ 25,000.00	$ 85.00	$ 21,250.00
19	Thermoplastic Stripe, 6" Wide Solid Yellow, Per FDOT Specs. Long Line Application (Resurface)	100	NM	$ 3,500.00	$ 350,000.00	$ 3,475.00	$ 347,500.00
20	Thermoplastic Stripe, 6" Wide Skip Yellow, Per FDOT Specs. Long Line Application (Resurface)	30	GM	$ 1,000.00	$ 30,000.00	$ 920.00	$ 27,600.00
21	Thermoplastic Stripe, 6" Wide Solid White, Per FDOT Specs. Long Line Application (Resurface)	100	NM	$ 3,500.00	$ 350,000.00	$ 3,475.00	$ 347,500.00
22	Thermoplastic Stripe, 6" Wide Skip White, Per FDOT Specs. Thermoplastic Stripe, 6" Wide Skip White, Per FDOT Specs. Long Line Application (Resurface)	50	GM	$ 1,000.00	$ 50,000.00	$ 965.00	$ 48,250.00
23	Thermoplastic Stripe 6" Wide Skip Yellow, Per FDOT Specs. Hand Line Application (Resurface)	6000	LF	$ 0.65	$ 3,900.00	$ 0.90	$ 5,400.00
24	Thermoplastic Stripe, 6" Wide Skip Yellow, per FDOT Specs. Thermoplastic Stripe, 6" Wide Skip Yellow, per FDOT Specs. Hand Line Application (Resurface)	500	LF	$ 1.00	$ 500.00	$ 0.90	$ 450.00
25	Thermoplastic Stripe, 6" Wide Solid White, Per FDOT Specs. Hand Line Application (Resurface)	3000	LF	$ 1.00	$ 3,000.00	$ 0.90	$ 2,700.00
			TOTAL (Items 1-25)	$	2,137,000.00	$	2,150,500.00

PAVEMENT MARKINGS UNIT PRICE CONSTRUCTION - LONG LINES AND INTERSECTIONS CS-0500-17				SOUTHERN STATES PAVEMENT MARKINGS, INC.		ACME BARRICADES	
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26	Thermoplastic Stripe, 6" Wide Skip White, Per FDOT Specs. Hand Line Application (Resurface)	1000	LF	$ 1.00	$ 1,000.00	$ 0.90	$ 900.00
27	Thermoplastic Stripe, 8" Wide Solid Yellow, Per FDOT Specs. Hand Line Application (Resurface)	500	LF	$ 0.10	$ 50.00	$ 0.90	$ 450.00
28	Thermoplastic Stripe, 8" Wide Solid White, Per FDOT Specs. Hand Line Application (Resurface)	2000	LF	$ 1.00	$ 2,000.00	$ 2.15	$ 4,300.00
29	Thermoplastic Stripe, 12" Wide Solid White, Per FDOT Specs. Hand Line Application (Resurface)	25,000	LF	$ 1.25	$ 31,250.00	$ 2.15	$ 53,750.00
30	Thermoplastic Stripe, 12" Wide Solid Yellow, Per FDOT Specs. Hand Line Application (Resurface)	500	LF	$ 0.01	$ 5.00	$ 0.10	$ 50.00
31	Thermoplastic Stripe, 18" Wide Solid Yellow, Per FDOT Specs. Hand Line Application (Resurface)	8,000	LF	$ 2.00	$ 16,000.00	$ 3.25	$ 26,000.00
32	Thermoplastic Stripe, 18" Wide Solid White, Per FDOT Specs. Hand Line Application (Resurface)	8000	LF	$ 2.00	$ 16,000.00	$ 3.25	$ 26,000.00
33	Thermoplastic Stripe, 24" Wide Solid White, Per FDOT Specs. Hand Line Application (Resurface)	15000	LF	$ 2.50	$ 37,500.00	$ 3.85	$ 57,750.00
34	Thermoplastic Pavement Message, White, Per FDOT Specs. (Per Letter) (Resurface)	5000	EA	$ 12.50	$ 62,500.00	$ 25.00	$ 125,000.00
35	Thermoplastic Directional Arrows, White, Per FDOT Specs. (Resurface)	5,000	EA	$ 30.00	$ 150,000.00	$ 42.00	$ 210,000.00
36	Thermoplastic Railroad Message, White, Per FDOT Specs. (Two R's and One X) (Resurface)	150	EA	$ 100.00	$ 15,000.00	$ 125.00	$ 18,750.00
37	Thermoplastic Stripe Yield Line, 24" x 26" at 12" Spacing, MUTCD Fig., 3B-16 White	100	EA	$ 10.00	$ 1,000.00	$ 9.00	$ 900.00
38	Thermoplastic Stripe, Speed Hump Markings, MUTCD Fig. 3B-28 Option C, White	500	LF	$ 4.00	$ 2,000.00	$ 5.00	$ 2,500.00
39	Thermoplastic Bike Path Markings, Symbol with Arrow	100	EA	$ 175.00	$ 17,500.00	$ 200.00	$ 20,000.00
40	Thermoplastic Shared Lane Bike Markings Per MUTCD, Fig. 9C-9	500	EA	$ 150.00	$ 75,000.00	$ 260.00	$ 130,000.00
41	Retro-Reflective Pavement Markers (RPM's) Class B, Amber/Amber Per FDOT QPL	50,000	EA	$ 2.45	$ 122,500.00	$ 3.00	$ 150,000.00
42	Retro-Reflective Pavement Markers (RPM's) Class B, White/Red Per FDOT QPL	25,000	EA	$ 2.45	$ 61,250.00	$ 3.00	$ 75,000.00
43	Remove Raised Pavement Markers	2,500	EA	$ 0.10	$ 250.00	$ 0.01	$ 25.00
44	Remove Existing Pavement Markings, 6" Wide, Thermoplastic	2,000	LF	$ 1.00	$ 2,000.00	$ 1.50	$ 3,000.00
45	Remove Existing Pavement Markings, Variable Width Thermoplastic	1,000	SF	$ 2.00	$ 2,000.00	$ 2.25	$ 2,250.00
46	Painted Traffic Stripe, 6" Solid Yellow, Per FDOT Specs. Long Line Application (Maintenance)	15	NM	$ 475.00	$ 7,125.00	$ 650.00	$ 9,750.00
47	Painted Traffic Stripe, 6" Skip Yellow, Per FDOT Specs. Long Line Application (Maintenance)	5	GM	$ 125.00	$ 625.00	$ 410.00	$ 2,050.00
48	Painted Traffic Stripe, 6" Solid White, Per FDOT Specs. Long Line Application (Maintenance)	15	NM	$ 475.00	$ 7,125.00	$ 575.00	$ 8,625.00
49	Painted Traffic Stripe, 6" Skip White, Per FDOT Specs. Long Line Application (Maintenance)	5	GM	$ 125.00	$ 625.00	$ 375.00	$ 1,875.00
50	Painted Traffic Stripe, 12" White	2,000	LF	$ 0.30	$ 600.00	$ 0.50	$ 1,000.00
51	Painted Traffic Stripe, 24" White	2,500	LF	$ 0.40	$ 1,000.00	$ 0.60	$ 1,500.00
52	Painted pavement Message, White Per Letter or Symbol	100	EA	$ 5.00	$ 500.00	$ 7.50	$ 750.00
53	Profile Thermoplastic Solid 6" White, Per FDOT Specs.	5	NM	$ 1,500.00	$ 7,500.00	$ 6,500.00	$ 32,500.00
54	Profile Thermoplastic Solid 6" Yellow, Per FDOT Specs.	5	NM	$ 1,500.00	$ 7,500.00	$ 6,500.00	$ 32,500.00
			Total (Items 26-54)	$	647,405.00	$	997,175.00
			Grand Total	$	2,784,405.00	$	3,147,375.00
			BID BOND:	YES		YES	
			SUBCONTRACTORS:	NONE		NONE	
			CONFLICT OF INTEREST	YES		YES	
			ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF ADDENDUMS (0):	N/A		N/A	