STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

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Contract No. C200869
WBS 34365.3.40, 34365.3.41

CERTIFIED MAIL

X Ref. No. 8.U401727, 8.U401717

Federal Aid No. NHF-540(2), NHF-540(1)
Tip No. R-2000F, R-2000G
County Wake
Location I-540 (NORTHERN WAKE EXPRESSWAY) FROM EAST OF US-1 SOUTH OF PERRY CREEK RD TO US-64 EAST OF KNIGHTDALE.

NOTIFICATION OF AWARD

VECELLIO & GROGAN, INC.
POST OFFICE BOX 2438
BECKLEY, WV 258022438

Dear Sir or Madam:

This is official notification that the Board Of Transportation has awarded you the contract for the above project based on the bid submitted on **July 22, 2003** in the amount of **$66,975,618.03**.

Necessary forms for executing contract bonds are enclosed. **Please return the three (3) sets of executed bonds enclosed in this package within 14 calendar days from the date you received your award letter to:**

N.C. Department Of Transportation
Design Services Unit
Attn : Mr. R. A. Garris, P. E. - Contract Officer
1591 MAIL SERVICE CENTER
RALEIGH, N.C. 27699-1591

As soon as possible following receipt of the properly executed contract bonds, the Department will complete the execution of the contract and return one copy of the contract to you. Please remember that **work may not start before the contract has been properly executed.**

In addition, I wish to call your attention to Articles 108-1, 108-2, and 108-3 of our Standard Specifications relative to prosecution of work, progress schedule, and preconstruction conferences. Also enclosed is information regarding these items and other items that should be addressed prior to beginning work. Please forward this information to the Division Engineer **J. G. Nance,** or Division Construction Engineer, **T. N. Parrot**, as soon as possible so that a preconstruction conference can be held. The Division's mailing address is **2612 North Duke Street Durham**, **NC 27704** and telephone number is **(919)560-6851**.

In accordance with Article 104-2 of our Standard Specifications, it will be necessary for you to submit the name of those individuals within your organization who will be authorized to sign supplemental agreements that may be necessary in the performance of the work under this contract. Please furnish this information to Resident Engineer **Bob Shultes**. The Resident Engineer's mailing address is **6700 Aviation Parkway Morrisville**, **North Carolina 27560** and telephone number is **(919) 840-0914**.

If clarification is required, I can be reached by telephone at (919) 250-4124.

Sincerely,

R. A. Garris
Contract Officer

cc: Angie Ayscue
L. R. Chriswan, Jr.
Omar Sultan
J. G. Nance
Bob Shultes
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Marilyn Wagner
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CENTURY CENTER COMPLEX
BUILDING B - ENTRANCE B15
1020 BIRCH RIDGE DRIVE
RALEIGH NC