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**December 1, 2015**

Contract No. C203657  
WBS 46045.3.2

Federal Aid No. STATE FUNDED  
Tip No. B-5331  
County Columbus  
Location BRIDGE #269 OVER BIG BRANCH ON SR-1849.

**NOTIFICATION OF AWARD**

THE TARA GROUP OF LUMBERTON, INC.  
2700 NC HWY 72  
LUMBERTON, NC 28360

Dear Sir or Madam:

This is official notification that the Secretary Of Transportation has awarded you the contract for the above project based on the bid submitted on **November 17, 2015** in the amount of **\$725,745.35**.

Necessary forms for executing the contract and the contract bonds are available on the NCDOT web site at <https://connect.ncdot.gov/letting/Pages/Central-Letting-Forms.aspx>. Please return two properly executed signature sheets and two original sets of executed bonds within 14 calendar days from the date you received your award letter. Execution of contract shall conform to Section 102-8 of the *Standard Specifications* and shall be sent to:

**N.C. Department Of Transportation  
Contract Standards and Development Unit  
Attn : R. A. Garris, P.E. - Contract Officer  
1591 MAIL SERVICE CENTER  
RALEIGH, N.C. 27699-1591**

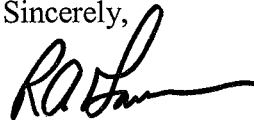
As soon as possible following receipt of the properly executed contract bonds, the Department will complete the execution of the contract and return one copy of the contract to you. Please remember that **work may not start before the contract has been properly executed.**

In addition, I wish to call your attention to Articles 107-15, 108-1, 108-2, and 108-3 of our *Standard Specifications* relative to liability insurance, prosecution of work, progress schedule, and preconstruction conferences. Information regarding these items and other items is available at <http://www.NCDOT.org/business> under the Project Letting link and should be addressed prior to beginning work. Please forward this information to the Division Engineer **Gregory W Burns, PE**, or Division Construction Engineer, **Randy K Wise, PE** as soon as possible so that a preconstruction conference can be held. The Division's mailing address is **PO Box 1150 Fayetteville, NC 28302** and telephone number is **(910)486-1493**.

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 **William R Marsh, Sr., PE**. The Resident Engineer's mailing address is **1194 Prison Camp Road Whiteville, North Carolina 28472** and telephone number is **(910) 642-2789**.

If clarification is required, I can be reached by telephone at (919) 707-6900.

Sincerely,



R. A. Garris, P.E.  
Contract Officer

cc: Angie Ayscue  
Majed Al-Ghandour  
Benny Sloan  
**Gregory W Burns, PE**  
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