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March 21, 2016

Mr. Bryan Turner  
Champion Landscapes, Inc.  
10328 Robinson Church Rd  
Charlotte, NC 28215

Project: Landscape Planting of I-485 Interchanges at Johnston Rd, NC 51 and South Blvd.  
County: Mecklenburg  
TIP No.: R-4902(L)  
WBS No.: 39929.3.3

Dear Sir:

Champion Landscapes, Inc. has been awarded the above project. Your bid proposal indicated adequate participation to satisfy the advertised DBE goal of 2.0%.

Based on your bid proposal, the Department has approved the following prequalified DBE subcontractors and dollar amounts to meet the contract goal requirements. These firms are required to be utilized under the regulations in the Special Provision contained in the contract proposal. Any changes in the work affecting a DBE firm or replacement of a DBE firm will need to follow the appropriate steps as outlined in these provisions.

<u>Committed DBE Subcontractors</u>	<u>Committed Amount</u>
Grants Creek Nursery Inc.	\$11,696.00

NCDOT shall proceed with award of the above project to Champion Landscapes, Inc. in the amount of \$279,224.60. Before final recommendation can be submitted for approval, we must receive the following items from you:

- A Certificate of Public Liability and Property Damage Insurance for the coverage as stated in Section 107-15 of the NCDOT Standard Specifications. This certificate must include the NC Department of Transportation as an additional insured on the policy.
- A Letter of Intent for each certified minority subcontractor listed and approved for the contract.

Please submit the above item to the following address:

Mr. Terry Bursleson  
NCDOT Proposal Engineer  
716 West Main Street  
Albemarle, NC 28001



No further action will be taken until we receive the correspondence listed above. It will be your responsibility to contact Kellie Crump at (704) 983-4400 to schedule a Preconstruction Conference prior to beginning work. No time extensions will be considered for delays in scheduling the Preconstruction Conference except as authorized by Section 108-10 of the Standard Specifications.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (704) 983-4400.

Sincerely,



Tim Boland, PE  
Project Development Engineer

cc: Benny Sloan, State Contractor Utilization Engineer  
James Norris, Transportation Program Management  
Kellie Crump, Construction Staff Engineer