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WBS No.: 34379.3.33, R-2123CE, R-2248E  
FEDERAL AID NO.: NHF-0485(046)  
CONTRACT NO.: DJ00219  
COUNTY: Mecklenburg  
DESCRIPTION: Landscape Planting on I-485 at mallard Creek Rd. and I-485 from Benefield Rd. to Prosperity Ridge Rd.

Country Boy Landscaping, Inc.  
P. O. Box 290  
Harmony, NC 28634

Dear Sir:

Country Boy Landscaping, Inc. has been awarded the above project. The Advertised goal was set at a DBE goal of 4%.

Based on your bid proposal, the Department has approved the following prequalified DBE subcontractor 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.

**Committed DBE Subcontractors**  
Hunting Creek Construction, Inc.

**Committed Amount**  
\$15,801.00

NCDOT shall proceed with award of the above project to Country Boy Landscaping, Inc., in the amount of \$388,888.88. Before final recommendation can be submitted for approval, we must receive the following items from you:

- A Payment Bond and a Performance Bond, each with an accompanying Power of Attorney, in the amount of \$388,888.88.
- Two properly executed Execution of Contract Forms are available on the NCDOT web site at <https://connect.ncdot.gov/letting/Pages/Central-Letting-Forms.aspx>.
- 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 items to the following address:

Ms. Cindy Iorlano  
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,



Kellie Crump  
Division Project Manager

cc: Benny Sloan, State Contractor Utilization Engr.  
James Norris, Transportation Program Management

Jeff D'Arruda, P. E., Roadside Envir. Engr.  
Jeff Littlefield, P. E., Resident Engr.