



STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA  
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

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**NOTICE OF AWARD**

Division Eleven

March 9, 2026

Triangle Grading & Paving, Inc.  
PO Box 2570  
Burlington, NC 27215

**Contract No.:** DK00438  
**WBS:** DF18311.2006186.PR  
**County:** Avery County  
**Location:** Replace Bridge #050030 on SR 1321 (Curtis Creek Road) Over Curtis Creek  
**Type Of Work:** Grading, Drainage, Paving, and Structure  
**Bid Opening:** February 19, 2026

Mr. Kirkpatrick, Jr.,

I am pleased to inform you that your firm has been awarded the contract for DK00438 based on the bid submitted on February 19, 2026, in the amount of \$882,193.65.

Prior to execution of the contract by the Department, the following items must be received in this office within fourteen (14) calendar days:

- Two (2) original sets of Payment Bonds and Performance Bonds, each with accompanying Power of Attorney, in the amount of \$882,193.65. These forms are available on the NCDOT website 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 *Standard Specifications*. The Certificate must include the North Carolina Department of Transportation as an additional insured on the policy.
- Two properly executed Non-Collusion Affidavit, Debarment Certification, and Execution of Contract Forms. These forms are available on the NCDOT website at: <https://connect.ncdot.gov/letting/Pages/Central-Letting-Forms.aspx>

**North Carolina Department of Transportation  
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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 the *Standard Specifications* related to liability insurance, prosecution of work, progress schedule and preconstruction conference. 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 Resident Engineer prior to the preconstruction conference. **Please contact Resident Engineer, Lance Byrd, 828-268-6026, to schedule the preconstruction conference.**

If you have any questions regarding this contract, please contact me at 336-903-9115.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Bethany Elmore".

Bethany Elmore, PE  
Division Contract Engineer

CC: Michael Poe, PE, Division Engineer  
Brandon Whitaker, PE, Deputy Division Engineer  
Ivan Dishman, PE, Division Construction Engineer  
Matthew Evans, PE, Division Maintenance Engineer  
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Lance Byrd, PE, Resident Engineer