



STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA  
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

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GOVERNOR

J. ERIC BOYETTE  
SECRETARY

November 6, 2020

**NOTIFICATION OF AWARD**  
**GOAL CONFIRMATION / GFE**

Mr. Brandon Shore  
EASTERN STRUCTURES, LLC  
1629 US Hwy 158  
Mocksville, NC 27028

SUBJECT: Bid Opening on October 27, 2020  
Contract No. DH00316  
TIP No.: N/A  
WBS Element No.: 17BP.8.R.138  
Replacement of Bridge No. 760007 over Gum Swamp Creek on SR 1608 (Boyd Lake Road)

Mr. Shore,

This is to advise that your bid submitted for the above referenced project in the amount of \$426,090.00 was the lowest responsible bid. The Department has accepted this bid and has awarded the contract to EASTERN STRUCTURES, LLC.

The Combined MBE/WBE Goal for this project is **9.0%**. Based on the information you included on the *Listing of MBE/WBE Subcontractors Form*, your firm submitted a Combined goal of **5.8%**. Therefore, your Bid Proposal indicates **inadequate MBE and/or WBE participation** to satisfy the advertised contract goal.

In lieu of submitting a Good Faith Effort package for review, your firm has made a request for the withdrawal of banked funds to meet the MBE/WBE participation goal shortfall. This request has been approved. Therefore, the withdrawn banked funds in the amount of **\$13,630.60** will be used to meet the Contract Goal Requirements.

We are requesting that you furnish two (2) properly executed signature sheets and two (2) sets of 100% Payment and Performance Bonds covering this work. Section 103-7 of the Standard Specifications requires the Contractor to provide the required bonds within 14 days of notification. The forms are available at: <https://connect.ncdot.gov/letting/Pages/Central-Letting-Forms.aspx>.

Also, please furnish the required certificate of insurance on the standard ACORD form as soon as possible. The insurance shall be in the amount of five million dollars (\$5,000,000.00) and the State of North Carolina shall be named as an additional insured on the policy. Please refer to

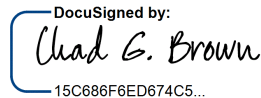
Article 107-15 of the *Standard Specifications*. The certificate of insurance **must be returned to this office by 12:00 Noon November 13, 2020**

In addition, please submit written documentation of bidder commitment to use **MBE/WBE** subcontractors with the required "Letter of Intent to Perform as Subcontractor" for each subcontractor. This form is available at: <https://connect.ncdot.gov/letting/LetCentral/Letter%20of%20Intent%20to%20Perform%20as%20a%20Subcontractor.pdf>. **This information must be returned to this office by 12:00 Noon November 13, 2020**

**Please submit the information requested above to my attention at the Division Office in Carthage.**

For your information, a copy of bid tabulations is attached.

Sincerely,

DocuSigned by:  
  
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Chad G. Brown  
Division Proposal Engineer

cc: Mr. J. A. Dietrich Mr. M. W. Kitchen, PE File