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Division of Public Works
Design & Construction

August 20, 2019

His Excellency, Governor Christopher T. Sununu and the Honorable Council State House Concord, New Hampshire 03301

REQUESTED ACTION

Authorize the Department of Administrative Services, Division of Public Works Design and Construction to enter into an agreement with Smith Alvarez Sienkiewycz Architects, (Vendor Code 260846) Burlington, VT, for Architectural Services required for planning, design and construction of various Public Works' Projects as necessary and required by the Department. The contract is effective from the date of Governor and Council approval through June 30, 2022. The amount expended under this agreement shall not exceed \$500,000.00.

EXPLANATION

The Department proposes to retain the private consulting firm of Smith Alvarez Sienkiewycz Architects to expedite the current project workload and provide appropriate technical expertise as required for specific projects. This is one (1) of five (5) open-ended agreements for Architectural services that will be presented for approval. The agreement will enable the Department to respond quickly to unscheduled project requests and possible emergencies regarding Architectural issues. The decision as to which projects will be assigned will be made on a case-by-case basis depending on the particular expertise required and the firm's current workload.

This type of consulting agreement will be funded from the monies for each project. The majority of projects needing this type of Architectural Services consultant work are maintenance and capital funded projects.

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This agreement is a proposed contract with the architectural services firm selected to provide on-call Architectural services. It is anticipated that Architectural Services can be handled by five (5) additional architectural firms through the contract period.

The consultant selection process employed by the Department for this project is in accordance with RSAs 21-1:22, 21-1:22-c, and 21-1:22-d, all applicable Federal Laws and the Department's procedures for "Selection of Engineers, Architects and Surveyors dated July 28, 2005. Consensus scoring was used in this selection process in order to assure that the perspective of each committee member received proper consideration during scoring deliberations. Each committee member, which included Theodore Kupper, Michelle Juliano, Gary Brown and Timothy Smith, brings different strengths and knowledge to the table. This allows thorough discussion and weighing of the different perspectives during the scoring process. This process also makes follow-up explanations to the unselected firms easier.

In February 2019, the Division of Public Works Design & Construction advertised in the Union Leader, the Division of Public Works Design & Construction website and email notification soliciting interest in providing on-call Architectural Services. The following table lists the twenty-four (24) consultant firms who submitted letters of interest and were considered for this assignment:

Alba Architects, LLP
Frank Anzalone Associates
CMK Architects, P. A.
Harriman Associates
JSA Architects
KOAL PLLC
Lavallee Brensinger Architects
Randall T. Mudge & Associates
Oak Point Associates
PHB Architects, PLLC
Port One Architects
Samyn-D'Elia Architects, P. A.

SBA Architects
Schatelier Architectural Studio
Scott + Partners
Smith-Alvarez-Sienkiewycz Architects
SMRT Architects & Engineering
Stone River Architects
Tennant Goucher Architects
The H. L. Turner Group
UK Architects, PC
Warrenstreet Architects, Inc.
Christopher P. Williams, Architects, PLLC
Wright-Pierce

These firms were evaluated based on years of experience, experience on relative projects and past experience with the Division of Public Works, if any. The top eight (8) rated firms listed below, were sent a Request for Technical Proposals:

Alba Architects, LLP KOAL PLLC Oak Point Associates Scott + Partners Smith-Alvarez-Sienkiewycz Architects SMRT Architects & Engineering Stone River Architects Tennant Goucher Architects His Excellency, Governor Christopher T. Sununu and the Honorable Council August 20, 2019 Page 3 of 3

The proposals were rated on the comprehension of the assignment, clarity of the proposal, capacity to perform in a timely manner, quality and experience of the project manager and team, and overall suitability for the assignment.

It is now the Department's intent to enter into Statewide Consultant Service Agreements with the five (5) highest rated firms as their legal documentation and Certificate of Insurance become available.

Alba Architects, LLP KOAL PLLC Oak Point Associates

Smith-Alvarez-Sienkiewycz Stone River Architects

A copy of Smith Alvarez Sienkiewycz Architects' Statement of Qualifications is provided, herewith, for your information and convenience.

The subject agreement has been approved by the Attorney General as to form and execution. Copies of the fully executed agreement are on file at the Secretary of State's Office and the Department of Administrative Services, Division of Public Works Design & Construction.

Respectfully submitted,

Charles M. Arlinghaus Commissioner

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Explanation of Statewide Consultant Committee Selection

Members are selected using the approved guidelines for the Bureau of Public Works Design and Construction "Selection of Engineering, Architects, and Surveyor Services". Per these guidelines, the Committee should consist of the Bureau Administrator plus two other Project Managers.

The Administrator is a member of all the Selection Committees, serving to provide the larger perspective of the consultant capabilities that are desired, also bringing knowledge of the quantity of work and various types of anticipated projects the consultant may be called on to perform. He brings the perspective of achieving agency goals, using a balance of those consultants who have performed excellent work in the past, along with bringing in new consultant firms.

The Assistant Administrator manages the day-to-day oversight of the Consultant assignments, and is the second member of all the selection committees. Her job description specifically outlines her involvement in the management of the consultants. She brings the expertise of the day-today working with consultants. Her past and present experience involves frequent interaction with consultants, including review of consultants' proposals and their engineering work.

The discipline head, for the specific type of work the consultant is being hired for (i.e. Mechanical, Civil, Architectural, Electrical etc.), brings additional expertise concerning the capabilities of various consultants they have worked with. Their years of project management experience provide the more detailed perspective about the various consultants' strengths or weaknesses and how they would fit with the project needs.

Administrator PM/	neodore Kupper – 5	years state service
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35 years private sector

Michelle Juliano- 31 years State service Assist. Administrator PM5 Architectural PM4

Gary Brown - 7 years State Service, 34 years

private sector

Architectural PM4 Timothy Smith - 6 years State service, 25

years private sector

COMMITTEE PROPOSAL RATING FOR ARCHITECTURAL STATEWIDE

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Gary Brown		3	3	4	4	17		
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Oak Point Associates							93.5	<===== Highest Rating
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Gary Brown	3.5	3.5	3.5	4	3	17.5		
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Smith-Alvarez-Sienkiewycz							96.0	<===== Highest Rating
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Michelle Juliano	5	5	5	5	5	25		
Gary Brown		4	4	4	4	21		
Tim Smith	5	5	5	5	5	25	1	
SMRT Architects & Engineers							87.5	1
Ted Kupper		5	5	5	4	24	1	
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Stone River Architects							89.5	<===== Highest Rating
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Gary Brown	3.5	3.5	3	3.5	4	17.5	7	
Tim Smith	5	5	5	5	5	25	1	
Tennant Goucher Architects							77.5	1
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November 22, 2019

State of New Hampshire
Department of Administrative Services
Bureau of Public Works Design & Construction
POB 483, 7 Hazen Drive – Room 250
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Attn: Theodore Kupper

Dear Theodore:

Smith, Alvarez, Sienkiewycz Architects PC, as a corporation, does not own any vehicles. Therefore, no vehicles are included on our insurance policy.

Sincerely,

Stephen Smith Principal

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