

MEMORANDUM

TO: Karl McCottry, Deputy Secretary for Finance and Administration

FROM: Nicholas C. Pizzuti, Interim Director – Local Government Services

RE: SOQ Evaluation and Short-list Recommendation
Carolina Crossroads Phase 3C – - Replacement of I-20 bridges over the
Saluda River and CSX Railroad, and I-20 widening between Exits 61 and 63

DATE: July 29, 2024

The South Carolina Department of Transportation (SCDOT) received five responses to the Request for Qualifications (RFQ) for the above referenced project.

The Evaluation Committee met on July 23, July 24 and July 25, 2024, to review and score the statements of qualification. The Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) participated as an advisor during all aspects of the evaluation process. As a result, the committee recommends that three of the five teams advance to the Request for Proposals (RFP) phase of the selection process.

The three teams recommended for advancement are:

- Archer Western Construction, LLC
- Balfour Beatty Reeves Joint Venture
- United-Blythe Joint Venture

If you approve the advancement of the three recommended teams to the RFP phase of the selection process, please indicate by signing below.

Approval: _____
Karl McCottry, Deputy Secretary for Finance and Admin. Date

Concurrence: _____
Emily Lawton, P.E. FHWA Division Administrator Date

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