

City of Charlotte

Charlotte-Mecklenburg Government Center 600 East 4th Street Charlotte. NC 28202

Legislation Text

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Franklin and Vest Water Treatment Plants Laboratory Renovations

Action:

Award a contract in the amount of \$352,710 to the lowest responsive bidder Wharton-Smith, Inc. for construction of Franklin and Vest Water Treatment Plants Laboratory Renovations.

Staff Resource(s):

Angela Lee, Charlotte Water Ron Hargrove, Charlotte Water

Explanation

- Charlotte Water operates three water treatment plants producing approximately 100 million gallons per day of quality drinking water for more than 950,000 customers.
- Each treatment plant contains a water quality laboratory so that the operators can analyze samples to maintain quality standards throughout the treatment process.
- This project provides for laboratory safety and modernization improvements at the Franklin and Vest facilities, which benefits water treatment and water quality by maintaining a safe, reliable and efficient laboratory setting.
- These renovations include:

Replacing existing laboratory cabinetry with new cabinetry to remove asbestos,

Replacing vinyl floor tile with more durable rubberized floor covering,

Replacing light fixtures and ceiling tiles, and

Installation of high efficiency heating, air conditioning and ventilation systems.

- On November 22, 2017, Charlotte Water issued an Invitation to Bid; four bids were received from interested service providers.
- Wharton-Smith, Inc. was selected as the lowest, responsive, responsible bidder.

Charlotte Business INClusion

Established MSBE Goal: 5.00% Committed MSBE Goal: 5.90%

Wharton-Smith, Inc. met the established subcontracting goal and has committed 5.90% (\$14,325) of the total contract amount, excluding Allowances, to the following certified firm(s) (Part B: Section 3 of the Charlotte Business INClusion Policy):

- Clear Site Industrial (SBE) (\$6,975) (demolition, asbestos removal)
- Window2Wall, Inc. (SBE) (\$6,500) (glass)
- All Points Waste Service, Inc. (MBE) (\$850) (dumpster/trash services)

Fiscal Note

Funding: Charlotte Water Community Investment Plan

Attachment

Maps