



Carter & Sloope
CONSULTING ENGINEERS

March 7, 2016

Ms. Donna Whitener, Mayor
City of Blue Ridge
480 West First Street
Blue Ridge, Georgia 30513

RE: City of Blue Ridge
Wastewater Treatment Plant Digester Improvements
C & S Project No: B7970.011

Dear Ms. Whitener,

As you are aware, bids were received and opened for the referenced project on March 3, 2016 at 2:00 PM. We have checked and tabulated the base bids received as follows:

<u>Contractor</u>	<u>Total Base Bid</u>	<u>% Over Low Bid</u>
1. J.S. Haren Company	\$ 69,500.00	-----
2. Lanier Contracting Company	\$115,893.00	66.8%

Carter & Sloope has determined that **J.S. Haren Company** is the low bidder for this project **when evaluated on the basis of the Base Bid amount.**

Since the low bidder appears to have adequate experience, technical ability, and financial capability to complete this project and has successfully completed similar projects, **Carter & Sloope recommends the project be awarded to J.S. Haren Company in an amount equal to the base bid amount of \$69,500.00.**

We are enclosing one (1) copy of the "Bid Opening Minutes," "Bid Opening Attendance" sheet, and certified "Bid Tabulation" for your records. We are also enclosing three (3) copies of the Notice of Award for this project. Please execute all three (3) copies of the Notice of Award and return them to our office as soon as possible. We will prepare three (3) originals of the Agreement and forward them to you when the Contractor has executed the Agreement and delivered all the necessary Payment and Performance bonds and Certificates of Insurance.

If you have any questions or need any additional information, please call us.

Sincerely,


Alex S. Wiseman, P.E.

ASW: hdc

Enclosures: Bid Opening Minutes – 1 copy
Bid Opening Attendance – 1 copy
Certified Bid Tabulation – 1 copy
Notice of Award – 3 copies

BID OPENING MINUTES
B7970.011 – CITY OF BLUE RIDGE
MARCH 3, 2016

It is now 2:00 PM. Bids for the City of Blue Ridge-Wastewater Treatment Plant Digester Improvements are now closed and the Owner is no longer accepting bids.

Introductions:

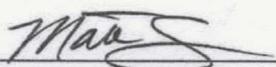
The Bids will be opened and read aloud, stating whether or not a Bid Bond is attached, the Addendums have been noted.

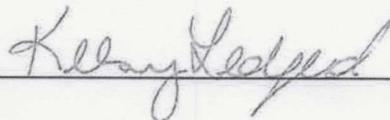
We will begin with sealed bid from:

1. Rehab Construction Co., Inc.
Bid Bond (is) (is not) attached
Addendum 1 (is) (is not) noted
Base Bid-Lump Sum, amount of \$ _____
2. Lanier Contracting Company
Bid Bond (is) (is not) attached
Addendum 1 (is) (is not) noted
Base Bid-Lump Sum, amount of \$ 115,893.00
3. E&D Contracting Services, Inc.
Bid Bond (is) (is not) attached
Addendum 1 (is) (is not) noted
Base Bid-Lump Sum, amount of \$ _____
4. J.S. Haren Company
Bid Bond (is) (is not) attached
Addendum 1 (is) (is not) noted
Base Bid-Lump Sum, amount of \$ 69,500.00

At this time, the apparent low Bidder is J.S. Haren Co. with a Base Bid Amount of \$ \$69,500.00. All "Base Bid" amounts will be reviewed and a formal award made within the next 15 to 60 days. We appreciate your interest in this project and we hereby officially adjourn this Bid Opening.

2:05 PM March 3, 2016

Signature: 

Signature: 

**BID TABULATION FOR ALL BIDS
 RECEIVED AT THE CITY OF BLUE RIDGE
 480 West First Street, Blue Ridge, GA 30513
 ON MARCH 3, 2016 @ 2PM**

**CARTER & SLOOPE, INC.
 CONSULTING ENGINEERS
 1031 Stonebridge Parkway
 Watkinsville, GA 30677**

PROJECT:		BIDDERS:	
CITY OF BLUE RIDGE Wastewater Treatment Plant Digester Improvements C&S PROJECT NO.: B7970.011		J.S. Haren Company 1175 Highway 11 North Athens, TN 37303	
		Lanier Contracting Company 3690 Lawrenceville Suwanee Rd. Suwanee, GA 30024	
ITEM NO.	Basis of Bid	LUMP SUM	LUMP SUM
5.01			
1	Wastewater Treatment Plant Digester Improvements Bidder agrees to furnish all materials and equipment and to perform all labor necessary to construct the wastewater treatment plant improvements as shown on the drawings and as specified herein for installation of one floating surface aerator, mooring equipment, control panel, electrical complete, equipment startup, and all appurtenances necessary to place the equipment into operation.	\$ 69,500.00	\$ 115,893.00
TOTAL BASE BID for Item 1		\$ 69,500.00	\$ 115,893.00

I hereby certify that this Bid Tabulation is a true and accurate representation of all Bids received on March 3, 2016.



Alex S. Wiseman, P.E. #31780