

Bid Protest PROJECT NO.: PW 23-04 Main Street / Imperial Highway Monument Sign Project

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Enclosed, please find our formal bid protest letter for the above referenced project. If necessary, we are available to attend the City Council meeting next week or meet with the city at a time that is convenient for all parties involved. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me. Thank you.

Sincerely,

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City of El Segundo
Public Works Department
Engineering Division
350 Main Street
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RE: Bid Protest PROJECT NO.: PW 23-04 Main Street / Imperial Highway Monument Sign Project

Dear Elias Sassoon:

This correspondence shall serve as Fluoresco Services, LLC formal protest of the bid award for the above-referenced project. We are including our grounds for protest below.

1. Bidding instructions provided in section 2.4 states that the bidder and all subcontractors, regardless of tier, have the appropriate current licenses issued by the State of California Contractor's State License Board for the work to be performed.
2. Subcontractors section 6.1 indicates that each Bidder will list in the Bid Form all first-tier subcontractors that will perform work, labor or render such services. The Bid Form contains spaces for the following information when listing Subcontractors: (1) Work Activity; (2) name of Subcontractor; (3) city of Subcontractor's business location. Failure to list any of these items on the Bid Form will result in the City treating the Bid as if no Subcontractor was listed for the Work and that Bidder represents to the City that it is fully qualified to perform that portion of the Work and will perform do so.
3. Square Signs indicated on the subcontractor form that "none" would be utilized.
4. Square Signs currently holds only a C-45 Sign Contractor license. Specific aspects of the scope of work for this project will require more than just a C-45 license. These items include electrical, modification of irrigation systems, turf installation, removal of existing flatwork, site grading, and other specialty trades.

By submitting this protest, we are requesting that the City of El Segundo reexamine the bids. We appreciate your consideration in this matter. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Gary Gryder, Director of Sales at (602) 276-0600 or via email at ggryder@fluoresco.com

Respectfully,

Gary Gryder
Director of Sales