

## DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND DEVELOPMENT

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**September 21, 2022** 

TO:

Michael Gorbaty

Consultant Contract Services Administrator

FROM:

Shawn D. Wilson, Ph.D.

Secretary

RE:

**Selection Justification** 

Contract No. 4400024587

Contract for Off System Highway Bridge Program

Carey Road over Blackwater Bayou

**Project Short List** 

State Project No. H.014988.5

F.A.P. No. H014988 East Baton Rouge Parish

In accordance with Louisiana Revised Statute 48:293, this memorandum serves as justification for selection of Aucoin & Associates, Inc., ranked number 3 on the referenced project short list.

The advertised project description provides that the scope of services is to provide all necessary engineering and related services required for developing plans for the replacement of one bridge in East Baton Rouge Parish, which is not on the State Highway System.

The shortlist identifies Monroe& Corie, Inc. as number 1, Forte & Tablada, Inc. as number 2, and Aucoin & Associates, Inc. as number 3 in overall rank. However, I am selecting Aucoin & Associates, Inc., in an effort to ensure that work be adequately spread across this industry for the type of work being performed to the extent possible. I look to recent and/or concurrent awards as an indicator in making these determinations.

For these reasons and as identified above, I have selected Aucoin & Associates, Inc, Number 3.

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