

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND DEVELOPMENT

INTRADEPARTMENTAL CORRESPONDENCE

MEMORANDUM

DATE: January 2, 2019

- TO: Darhlene Major Admin Program Director 4
- FROM: Shawn D. Wilson, Ph.D. Secretary
 - RE: **Selection Justification** Contract No. 4400013321/4400013322 **IDIQ Contract for In-Depth Bridge Inspection** Statewide

In accordance with Louisiana Revised Statute 48:293, this memorandum serves as justification for selection of Gresham Smith Partners.

The advertised project description provides that this is a contract for in-depth bridge inspection statewide. This advertisement was for the selection of two firms. The short list identified HNTB as #1 and Michael Baker as #2 in overall rank. However, only .13 of a point was the difference between #2 and #3, Gresham, Smith and Partners. Additionally, Michael Baker has recently been selected for several IDIO contracts.

Given the close rating and in the interest of providing some equity in work throughout the consultant community, I have selected the #3 firm, Gresham, Smith and Partners, as identified above.

SW: jh

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