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July 7, 2014

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Bret Taber
Taber Construction, Inc.
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Concord, CA 94553

04-014104
04-Ala-5785
B.O. 06/24/14

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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "John C. McMILLAN".

JOHN C. McMILLAN
Deputy Division Chief
Office Engineer
Division of Engineering Services

Attachment

Seaberg Jr, Earl R@DOT

From: Josh Ward [josh@sausal.net]
Sent: Wednesday, June 25, 2014 12:35 PM
To: Seaberg Jr, Earl R@DOT
Cc: Jim Ward; Michelle McLellan
Subject: SFOBB Maintenance Building - Bidding Qualifications
Attachments: Taber Prebid Meeting Representative.pdf

Earl,

Thanks for speaking with me earlier about the DVBE participation, and verifying that you will indeed be reviewing that before the issuance of award in a few days. I also wanted to note something that I found while reviewing the requirements to bid, and I found that in the special provisions, Section 2-1.03 MANDATORY PREBID MEETING states that for attendance at the prebid meeting, "the bidder's representative must be a company officer, project superintendent, or project estimator." I looked at Taber's attendance list, and it states that Tyler Competente was the attendee. Looking online I found that Tyler Competente is not a company officer, a project superintendent, or an estimator for the project; he is a project engineer for the company who has been at Taber for about 8 months. Please see the attached file documenting what I found, and please advise how this will affect the award.

Thanks,

Josh Ward, Vice President
Sausal Corporation
422 Whitney Street * San Leandro, CA 94577
Phone (510) 568-6600 * Fax (510) 632-9769
www.sausal.net " josh@sausal.net

SPECIAL PROVISIONS

ORGANIZATION

Special provisions are under headings that correspond with the main-section headings of the *Standard Specifications*. A main-section heading is a heading shown in the table of contents of the *Standard Specifications*.

Each special provision begins with a revision clause that describes or introduces a revision to the *Standard Specifications* as revised by any revised standard specification.

Any paragraph added or deleted by a revision clause does not change the paragraph numbering of the *Standard Specifications* for any other reference to a paragraph of the *Standard Specifications*.

DIVISION I GENERAL PROVISIONS

1 GENERAL

Add to section 1-1.01:

Bid Items and Applicable Sections

Item code	Item description	Applicable section
027306	Dewatering and Non-Storm Water Discharge Control	13
027307	Vibration Monitoring	15
027308	Sewer Video Survey	15
027309	Furnish Pile (Class 200, Alternative X)	49
027310	Drive Pile (Class 200, Alternative X)	49
044615	Drive Indicator Pile (Class 200, Alternative x)	49
044616	Furnish Indicator Piling (Class 200, Alternative x)	49

2 BIDDING

Replace section 2-1.03 with:

2-1.03 MANDATORY PREBID MEETING

The Department will conduct a mandatory prebid meeting for this contract. The purpose of the meeting is to provide small businesses the opportunity to meet and interact with prospective bidders and increase their participation in the performance of contracts.

Each bidder must attend the mandatory prebid meeting. The bidder's representative must be a company officer, project superintendent, or project estimator. For a joint venture, one of the parties must attend the mandatory prebid meeting. The Department does not accept a bid from a bidder who did not attend the meeting.

TABER CONSTRUCTION, INC	Tyler Competente	(925) 682-6133	tcompetente@taberconstruction.com	ON FILE
TRANSWORLD CONSTRUCTION, INC	Cesar Garcia	(415) 906-9968	cesar@transworld.sf.com	ON FILE
TRICO CONSTRUCTION	Mayum Bruschera	(415) 543-2100	jim@tricoconstruction.com	ON FILE
WEST BAY BUILDERS, INC	Scott Murtaugh	(415) 456-8972	scottm@westbaybuilders.com	ON FILE
ZOVICH & SONS, INC	JR	(510) 784-1273	estimating@zovichconstruction.com	ON FILE



Tyler Competente

Project Engineer at Taber Construction Inc.

Location: Concord, California, United States

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- See who you and Tyler Competente know in common
- Get introduced to Tyler Competente
- Contact Tyler Competente directly

[View Tyler's full profile](#)

Tyler Competente's Overview

Project Engineer at **Taber Construction Inc.**

Junior Project Estimator at **DeSilva Gates Construction**
Intern at **Taber Construction Inc.**
Intern at **Skanska USA Building Inc.**

California State University-Fresno

Connections 153 connections

Tyler Competente's Experience

Project Engineer

Taber Construction Inc.

Privately Held; 51-200 employees; Construction industry
November 2013 – Present (8 months) Concord, CA

Coordinate work with Project Managers, Superintendents, Architects, Inspectors and Sub-Contractors by processing RFIs, submittals, transmittals, inspection requests, etc. Update weekly schedules to foresee tasks. Collect As-Builts, O&Ms, warranties for close-out documents.

Junior Project Estimator

DeSilva Gates Construction

Privately Held; 501-1000 employees; Construction industry
September 2013 – October 2013 (2 months) Dublin, CA

Analyzed plans to project potential work needed to complete a bid on a project; takeoff. Visited sites to understand magnitude of work. Attended bid runs to submit final bid and record bid numbers.

Intern

Taber Construction Inc.

May 2011 – August 2012 (1 year 4 months) Concord, California

Working under CFO and Engineers of the company. Handling closeout documents, RFIs, submittals, change orders, administrative work, etc.

intern

Skanska USA Building Inc.

Public Company; 1001-5000 employees; Construction industry
June 2009 – August 2009 (3 months) San Jose

Constructed the San Jose Regional Medical Hospital off the McKee exit.

Tyler Competente's Skills & Expertise

RFI Submittals Change Orders Construction Management Construction Primavera P6 Value Engineering
Process Scheduler Project Coordination Suretrack On-Screen Takeoff CPM Scheduling Prolog Microsoft Office
Microsoft Project Close-out Constructware Proliance e-Builder Microsoft Excel

[View All \(21\) Skills](#)

Tyler Competente's Education

California State University-Fresno

Bachelor of Science (BS), Construction Management
2007 – 2013

Activities and Societies: Sigma Phi Epsilon Fraternity

Tyler Competente's Additional Information

Groups and Associations:



Cal High Alumni



Tyler Competente

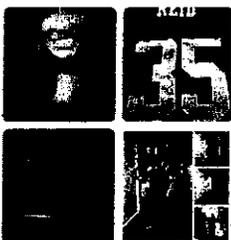
@Competente13

Project Engineer w/ Taber
#Construction #BayArea #SigEp
#FresnoState #SFGiants
#SFNiners #GSWarriors Happily
with @Kayyyy_Rene

San Ramon, California

Joined January 2012

63 Photos and videos



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Tyler Competente @Competente13 · Jun 23
Family Feud on the lunch break!

Retweeted by Tyler Competente

NFL on ESPN @ESPNNFL · Jun 23
"I don't take vacations. I don't get sick. I don't observe major
holidays. I'm a jackhammer" - Jim Harbaugh

Retweeted by Tyler Competente

DJ STONE @DJSTONEE · Jun 20
Good things come to those who wait. Great things come to
those who are willing to wake their ass up & work for it.
#letsgetit

Retweeted by Tyler Competente

Bill Williamson @BWilliamsonESPN · Jun 18
#49ers Day 2 seems sharper. Rookies look good. Ellington
and Hyde can play.

Retweeted by Tyler Competente

Tyler Competente @Competente13 · Jun 18
Can't wait to see this beauty on the
4th and my bday! #WCW
#FallingHarderEveryDay
@Kayyyy_Rene



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- #ShawnAtMidnight
- #WhyILoveBAM
- #mehmetkilicserbestkalsin
- #UstacaTezga
- #cardboard
- Today is National Strawberry Par.
- Eli Wallach
- PkkUşağıAKP KalekoluDurdurdu
- R.I.P Michael Jackson
- Tabletop Season 3 - With Wil

BID OPENING DATA

LettingID: 10-0J92U4
 LettingDate: 07/02/14
 CallOrder: 1
 ContractID: 10-0J92U4
 Description: CONSTRUCTION ON STATE HIGHWAY IN
 Description: SACRAMENTO AND SAN JOAQUIN COUNTIES NEAR TERMINUS FROM 0.7 MILE WE
 Description: MOKELUMNE RIVER BRIDGE TO 0.5 MILE EAST OF MOKELUMNE RIVER BRIDGE
 Description: In District 10 on Route 12
 Project ID: 1014000054
 Amendments: 2
 BidErrors:

VendorName: Myers and Sons Construction, LP
 Bid Security: Electronic Bidder's Bond
 License #: 944155

*****DISCLAIMER*****
 California Company, Small Business and Non-Small Business preferences
 are not applied on Federally funded projects

 Small Business Preference: No
 Non-Small Business Preference: No
 California Company Preference: No

NOTE: DAYS BID, COST PER DAY, AND TIME TOTAL ARE ONLY
 REPORTED ON CDST + TIME (A+B) PROJECTS

Checksum:	5767E2E0	
Items total (A amount):	4,488,449.00	
Days bid:	days @	Cost Per Day
Time total (B amount):	0.00	
BidTotal (A+B amount):	\$4,488,449.00	

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