



**FARR CONSTRUCTION CORPORATION dba  
RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT COMPANY**

Claire Shawver  
City of Yuba City  
1201 Civic Center Blvd.  
Yuba City, CA 95993

REFERENCE: Harter Tanks Painting Improvement Project Contract No. 20-06 -Bid Protest

ATTENTION: Claire Shawver

Farr Construction Company, DBA Resource Development Company (RDC) is writing this letter to respond to the bids opened on July 15, 2020 indicating Cal Sierra Construction is the apparent low bidder. Cal Sierra is non-responsive because they did not post the bid bond correctly, and they listed their major subcontractor (Garrett Painting & Sandblasting, Inc. ) with an expired DIR registration. Therefore RDC is the lowest responsive bidder.

Attachment "A" shows Cal Sierra turned in their bid using an in-valid form for the bid bond. This is a material mistake that deems the bid non-responsive with an in-valid security. Without that security, Cal Sierra has an unfair advantage to not be fiducially responsible for their bid in the event that they wanted to withdraw. This opportunity was not available to the rest of us bidding contractors.

Attachment "B" shows Cal Sierra's major paint sub-contractor Garrett Painting & Sandblasting, Inc. had an expired DIR at the time of bid which violates section 2.2 of the contract Special Previsions and Labor Code section 1725.5 and 1771.1.

In the event additional information is needed, please contact our office at 775-356-8004.

Sincerely,

Jeff Farr  
President  
Resource Development Company

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CITY OF YUBA CITY  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

BIDDER'S BOND

HARTER TANK PAINTING IMPROVEMENTS  
CONTRACT NO. 20-06

We, Cal Sierra Construction, Inc., as Principal, and United States Fire Insurance Company as Surety, are bound unto the City of Yuba City, Department of Public Works, hereafter referred to as "Obligee," in the penal sum of ten percent (10%) of the total amount of the bid of the Principal submitted to the Obligee for the work described below, for the payment of which sum we bind ourselves jointly and severally.

THE CONDITION OF THIS OBLIGATION IS SUCH, THAT:

WHEREAS, the Principal is submitting a bid to the Obligee for **HARTER TANK PAINTING IMPROVEMENTS** for which bids are to be opened at Yuba City, California, on July 8, 2020.

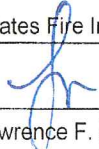
NOW, THEREFORE, if the Principal is awarded the contract and, within the time and manner required under the Notice to Contractors, Special Provisions, Proposals, and Contract for this work, after the prescribed forms are presented to him for signature, enters into a written contract, in the prescribed form, in accordance with the bid, and files two bonds with the Obligee, one to guarantee faithful performance of the contract and the other to guarantee payment for labor and materials is provided by law, then this obligation shall be null and void; otherwise, it shall remain in full force.

In the event suit is brought upon this bond by the Obligee and judgment is recovered, the Surety shall pay all costs incurred by Obligee in such suit, including a reasonable attorney's fee to be fixed by the court.

Dated: July 7, 2020

Cal Sierra Construction, Inc.  
By: 



United States Fire Insurance Company  
By:   
Lawrence F. McMahon, Attorney-in-Fact

Attachment "B"



State of California

# Department of Industrial Relations

## Contractor Information

Legal Entity Name  
Corporation  
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PW-LR-1000576659  
03/17/20  
06/30/20  
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