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RESOLUTION AWARDING CONSTRUCTION CONTRACT FOR ROBBINS ROAD CULVER REPLACEMENT

WHEREAS, after proper advertisement, bids were received and publicly opened by City/County Purchasing at 12:00 p.m., Monday, September 20, 2021, for the Robbins Road Culvert Replacement project and the following bids were received:

	City/State	Total Bid
RES Carolinas, LLC	Mount Airy, NC	\$200,375.38
Double Mountain Construction, LLC	Mount Airy, NC	214,455.00
Baker Underground, Inc.	Kernersville, NC	265,140.00
Charles D. Lowder, Inc.	Winston-Salem, NC	296,703.00

WHEREAS, the low bidder, RES Carolinas, LLC, agreed to the subcontracting goals established for this project of 5% with certified minority-owned businesses and 5% with certified women-owned businesses; and

WHEREAS, it is the recommendation of the Finance Committee that a contract be awarded to RES Carolinas, LLC, the low bidder meeting specifications, for the Robbins Road Culvert Replacement project in the estimated total amount of \$200,375.38.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Winston-Salem that the contract for the Robbins Road Culvert Replacement project is hereby awarded to RES Carolinas, LLC in the estimated total amount of \$200,375.38. The City Manager and City Clerk are authorized to execute the contract on behalf of the City, with contract and bond forms to be approved by the City Attorney and bid deposit retained until the successful bidder has provided satisfactory contract, performance and payment bonds.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the award of this contract constitutes a preliminary determination as to the qualifications of the bidder. The City is not legally bound to perform the

contract until the contract is duly executed by the City. The bid deposit may be retained if the bidder fails to execute the contract or give satisfactory surety as required by N.C.G.S. 143-129.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that RES Carolinas, LLC will be required to subcontract,

at a minimum, 5% of this contract with certified minority-owned businesses and 5% with certified women-owned businesses as indicated on the Affidavit "C" submitted by the company.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that funds have been previously appropriated and made available in the FY2021-22 budget to cover the cost of this contract.