

## April 30, 2021

F. M. Shelton, Inc.

1434 Ralph D. Abernathy Blvd. SW #1, Atlanta, GA 30310-1692

Re: ITB 21-101325 Quick Insertion Valves

Dear: Ms. Fawn Shelton,

The Department of Purchasing and Contracting is in receipt of your bid submission in response to the above referenced solicitation. This letter is to inform you that your company's bid is the 2<sup>nd</sup> lowest price bid that is responsive and responsible, and met the required LSBE 20% benchmark. The lowest price bid submitted by Ferguson Waterworks is responsive and responsible but only demonstrates a sufficient good faith effort.

Our DeKalb First LSBE Ordinance, Section 2-204 permits F. M. Shelton, Inc. the opportunity to match Ferguson Waterworks bid price of \$354,216.38. If your firm agrees to match the lowest bid price, then your firm will be deemed the lowest, responsive and responsible bidder. If your firm chooses not to match the bid price then Ferguson Waterworks will be deemed the lowest, responsive and responsible bidder.

Please indicate if you will or will not match the lowest price and sign below indicating your decision and return the response no later than May 5, 2021.

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Date:	05/03/2021	
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		\$354,216.38

Signature: Crystal Creekmore

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