



October 26, 2022

Governing Board Communication

Agenda Item B-2

TO: MERA Governing Board

FROM: Dave Jeffries, Deputy Executive Officer for the Next Gen System

SUBJECT: Proposed Award of Bid for Next Gen System Project Bid Package No 3 (Action Item)

Recommended Action: Action Item – Award Bid Package 3 (IFB#2020-003) to Fidato and Authorize the Executive Officer to execute an agreement with Fidato.

Background:

- 1) On 06/22/2022, the MERA Governing Board approved release of Bid Package 3, which involves the site work at Mill Valley, Skyview Terrace, Tomales and Wolfback Ridge. The Bid Package was closed on 10/05/22.
- 2) MERA's engineer's estimate was \$3,381,996. MERA received one complete bid:
 1. Fidato Base Bid: \$3,612,000.00
- 3) Fidato was also awarded the work for Bid Package 1, Bid Package 1A and Bid Package 2.
- 4) AECOM staff and I reviewed the bid. Based on that review, I recommend that the MERA Governing Board award Bid Package 3 (Mill Valley, Skyview Terrace, Tomales and Wolfback Ridge) to Fidato and authorize staff to complete the process.
- 5) In addition to the Bid of \$3,612,000.00, I recommend that the Governing Board authorize a Contingency amount of \$700,000 (Approx. 20%) that can be authorized by the Executive Officer with all contingency expenditures reported to the Governing Board.

Attachments:

B-2A) Recommendation to Award Bid Package #3, dated 10/05/2022.