From: Patricia Rascon
To: Rick De Santiago

Cc: <u>Jason Simpson</u>; <u>Candice Alvarez</u>

Subject: [External]October 24, 2023, City Council Agenda Item No. 10 Design & Installation of the Security & Data

Systems (CIP Z200236)

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Good afternoon, Public Works Director De Santiago,

CIFAC is a construction industry-supported organization dedicated to public contract code compliance and education. We do not represent specific contractors but rather advocate on behalf of the construction industry to ensure compliance with the Public Contract Code, fair bidding opportunities, and proper awarding of public contracts.

While reviewing the scope of work submitted by the C-10 contractor, AK Security Alarm, LLC, we found two issues of concern:

- 1. Page two of the Proposal (bullet point five) references the "Design and install fire alarm system." We understand that Contractor State Law regulations state that a C-16 Fire Protection Contractor must install this system.
- 2. AK Security Alarm LLC has a Worker's Compensation Insurance exemption filed with the CSLB. AK Alarm LLC would need proof of Worker's Compensation Insurance to fulfill that portion of the City's Agreement for Public Works Construction item 9. a.i. Furthermore, the staff report states, "Staff has reviewed and verified the contractor has a valid license and a review of the contractor's references and General and Auto Liability Insurances and Workers' Compensation Insurance are in place naming the City as additional insured."

We are currently working with the CSLB to confirm the licensing requirements for the project. Until such time, we strongly recommend that the City pull the agenda item to ensure a competitive bidding and awarding process that aligns with state laws.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

Regards,

Patricia (Patti) Rascon

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Contractor's License Detail for License # 1005318

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- Only construction related civil judgments reported to CSLB are disclosed IB&P 7071.171.
- Arbitrations are not listed unless the contractor fails to comply with the terms.
- Due to workload, there may be relevant information that has not yet been entered into the board's license database.

Business Information

AK ELECTRIC

11521 TRAILRUN COURT RIVERSIDE, CA 92505 Business Phone Number: (951) 395 0006

> Entity Sole Ownership Issue Date 07/08/2015 Expire Date 09/30/2024

License Status

This license is current and active.

All information below should be reviewed.

Classifications

C10 - ELECTRICAL

Bonding Information

Contractor's Bond

This license filed a Contractor's Bond with AMERICAN CONTRACTORS INDEMNITY COMPANY.

Bond Number: 100685150 Bond Amount: \$25,000 Effective Date: 01/01/2023

Workers' Compensation

This license is exempt from having workers compensation insurance; they certified that they have no employees at this

Effective Date: 02/20/2018 Expire Date: None

Personnel List

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