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<b>Title:</b>	PROPOSED BID RECOMMENDATION				

Department: Department of Resource Management

Request: Authorization for the Forest Preserves of Cook County (the "Forest Preserves") to enter into a construction contract with Meru Corporation, primary place of business Niles, Illinois, for a water outlet improvement project at Powderhorn Lake in Chicago.

Reason: Contract #74000009403 issued under Project #21-31-109 Powderhorn Lake Outlet Improvements. The work includes, but is not limited to, a series of storm sewers to create a fish passage system connecting Powderhorn Lake to Wolf Lake, and other related work as specified in the plans and specifications. A majority of the construction will be funded through a grant sub-awarded to the Forest Preserves from Audubon Great Lakes via the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration in 2020 (Board Item No. 20-0169) to complete the design, permitting, and construction of a water control structure at Powderhorn Lake.

Bid Opening Date: 6/16/2021

**Bid Results:**

Bidder	Bid Amount
1. Meru Corporation	\$845,774.50
2. Enlight Contracting, LLC	\$894,398.00
3. V3 Construction Group, Ltd.	\$1,126,900.00

Estimated Fiscal Impact: \$845,774.50, of which approximately \$695,885.00 or 82% will be paid utilizing grant funding received from Audubon Great Lakes via the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration.

Contract Period: Two hundred seventeen (217) days from notice to proceed.

Account Name/Number: Professional Services 51030.520840; Grant and Mitigation 51010.521314 and 51010.521444

District: 4

**Concurrence(s):**

The Chief Financial Officer and Chief Attorney have approved this item.

The vendor has met the Minority- and Women-Owned Business Enterprise Ordinance via direct participation.

**Sponsors:**

**Indexes:** (Inactive) ARNOLD RANDALL, General Superintendent

**Code sections:**

**Attachments:** 1. MBE WBE Commitment Report July 2021

Date	Ver.	Action By	Action	Result
7/27/2021	1	FPD Board of Commissioners	approve	Pass
7/27/2021	1	Finance Committee	approve	Pass