

STATE OF FLORIDA
DIVISION OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

DISASTER STRATEGIES &
IDEAS GROUP, LLC,

Petitioner,

and

LOUIS BERGER GROUP, INC.,

Intervenor,

vs.

DEM Case No.: 15-003
ITB-DEM-14-15-023
DOAH Case No.: 15-2538BID

STATE OF FLORIDA,
DIVISION OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT,

Respondent,

and

TRUE SOLUTIONS GROUP, LLC,

Intervenor.

DIVISION OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT
FILING AND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT FILED,
on this date, with the designated Agency Clerk,
receipt of which is hereby acknowledged.

Cynthia Morris 7/10/15
Agency Clerk Date

FINAL ORDER DISMISSING FORMAL BID PROTEST PETITION

Petitioner, Disaster Strategies & Ideas Group, LLC (“DSI”) filed a Formal Bid Protest Petition (“Petition”) challenging the Division of Emergency Management’s (“DEM”) Notice of Intent to Award for Invitation to Bid # ITB-DEM-14-15-023 (“ITB”), which seeks a contractor to provide Disaster Recovery Services. Louis Berger Group, Inc. also filed a Formal Written Protest and Petition for Formal Administrative Hearing challenging the same notice of intent to award.

The petitions were referred to the Division of Administrative Hearings ("DOAH") and assigned case numbers 15-2538BID and 15-2537BID, respectively. The cases were consolidated at DOAH.

On June 3, 2015, DSI filed a Stipulation for Voluntary Dismissal of Petitioner, Disasters, Strategies & Ideas Group, LLC's Protest Petition. That same day, the Administrative Law Judge ("ALJ") issued his Order Severing Case and Closing File and Relinquishing Jurisdiction. In the order, the ALJ severed Case No. 15-2538BID from Case No. 15-2537BID, closed Case No. 15-2538BID, and relinquished jurisdiction to the Division of Emergency Management.

Having reviewed the pleadings of record and being fully advised in the premises it is hereby ORDERED and ADJUDGED:

1. The Formal Bid Protest Petition is **DISMISSED** with prejudice.
2. This Final Order shall become effective on the date of filing with the Agency Clerk of the Division of Emergency Management.

DONE and ORDERED this 10th day of July.



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