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MEDICAL DISTRICT DRAINAGE IMPROVEMENT PROJECT AT EHRHARDT ST: SECTION 3 EMPLOYMENT AND OTHER ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES

The City of Charleston's Medical District Drainage Improvement Project at Ehrhardt Street (Project), funded in part by the Community Development Block Grant – Mitigation (CDBG-MIT) program, funded and regulated at the federal level by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) and administered by the state of South Carolina Office of Resilience Disaster Recovery Division (DRD), is expected to be awarded to Triad Engineering and Contracting Company of Mt. Pleasant, South Carolina in April of 2022.

The work to be performed under this Contract is subject to the requirements of Section 3 of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, as amended, 12 U.S.C. 1701u (section 3). The purpose of Section 3 is to ensure that employment and other economic opportunities generated by HUD assistance or HUD-assisted projects covered by Section 3 shall, to the greatest extent feasible, be directed to low- and very low-income persons, particularly persons who are recipients of HUD assistance for housing.

The Project will construct a deep tunnel extension and drop shaft to drain the street level stormwater collection system. Project activities include: (1) the excavation of a deep tunnel approximately 900 feet long, (2) installation of a drop shaft, (3) construction of a large concrete vortex box, and (4) near-surface utility work of stormwater and water/wastewater infrastructure. Additional information for the Project may be found through visiting the City's project website at < <https://www.charleston-sc.gov/2564/Medical-District-Drainage-Tunnel-Extensi> >.

Interested parties are encouraged to contact Triad Engineering and Contracting, Co. for information on potential Section 3 employment and other economic opportunities related to the construction of the Project.

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