

RFP No. 18-001
FIRE HYDRANT INSTALLATION

J.A. LaRocco Enterprises, Inc

101075 Overseas Hwy
Key Largo, FL 33037
305-453-0368

Contact: Brian Conover
Larocco743@att.net
September 21, 2017

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Letter of Transmittal

2) a) J.A. LaRocco Enterprises proposes to install sixteen (16) fire hydrants in various locations throughout Key Largo, Florida as shown on Appendix B of the Invitation to Bid. Our company will provide all labor, material, tools and equipment necessary to complete the installations in a timely and efficient manner. The work will be completed timely and as per FCAA guidelines and permits. We understand the work is to be completed in the order of priority according to the District.

b) Authorized representatives of the Corporation are as follows:

- John LaRocco President 305-522-0462
424 Sunshine Blvd, Tavernier, FL 33070
- Brian Conover Secretary and Supervisor 305-345-6719
101075 Overseas Hwy, Key Largo, FL 33037
- Terry Davis Project Supervisor 305-360-4825
1024 Gibraltar Rd, Key Largo, FL 33037

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Profile of Proposer

3) a) J.A. LaRocco Enterprise, Inc. is a locally owned and operated corporation in Monroe County.

b) Our office and yard are located just off of the Overseas Highway in Key Largo. We currently have thirty-nine (39) employees of which fourteen (14) would be assigned to this project.

Summary of Proposer's Qualifications

4) a) Primary Individuals:

- John LaRocco is the President of J.A. LaRocco Enterprise, Inc. He will contribute 50% of his time to the project. Resume attached
- Brian Conover is the Project Supervisor for J.A. LaRocco Enterprise, Inc. He will be the District's primary contact. Brian will contribute 100% of his time to the project. He has been our Project Supervisor for over 7 years; and has been directly involved with the installation and repair of multiple projects involving water and sewer lines. Resume attached
- Terry Davis is also a Project Supervisor for J.A. LaRocco Enterprise, Inc. He will contribute 80% of his time to the project. Resume attached

We specialize in underground utility installation and repair, primarily sewer and water lines.

b) We have been installing and repairing underground utilities for over 18 years. We had contracted with KLWTD for various vacuum, force, and gravity main installation projects which were completed in 2012. We had contracted with Layne to install various vacuum, force and gravity main projects and FKAA to update main water lines in various neighborhoods within the Village of Islamorada which were completed in 2016. We recently completed the installation of sixteen (16) fire hydrants for the Key Largo Fire and EMS District. We are currently installing the upgraded transmission line for the FKAA in the area of Ocean Reef. Over the past six years, we have installed more than one hundred (100) fire hydrants and/or fire lines for private entities as well as local government in various locations throughout Monroe County. We have completed projects for The Board of County Commissioners, Little Basin Villas, Native Construction and the Key Largo Fire District.

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c) References:

- Marnie Walterson – Distribution Design Supervisor FCAA
1100 Kennedy Dr, Key West, FL 33041
Telephone: (305) 295-2154 Fax: (305) 295-2223
- Joe Joyce – Service Supervisor Florida Keys Electric Cooperative
PO Box 377, Tavernier, FL 33070
Telephone: (305) 852-2431 Fax: (305) 852-9129
- Greg Tindle – Director of Utilities Islamorada Village of Islands
86800 Overseas Hwy, Islamorada, FL 33036
Telephone: (305) 664-6451 Fax: (305) 852-9523

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Cost of Services and Materials

5) Our fixed price to install the fire hydrants to meet FKAA specifications is \$9,850.00 per hydrant assembly.

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Subcontracting

6) We employ thirty-five (35) individuals, of which, fourteen specialize in underground utility installation and repair. With our knowledge and equipment, we can fully complete projects without the additional expense of subcontracting.

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Proposal Details

7) Unlike other construction companies, J.A. LaRocco Enterprise, Inc. is self-sufficient. We own and maintain all necessary equipment to complete the various aspects of underground utility installation and repair (i.e. 1 Lube/Fuel Truck, 5 Dump trucks, 1 Roll-Off Truck, 2 Tractor, 3 Lowboy Trailers, 2 Combinations Backhoe/Loaders), 6 Excavators, 6 Vermeer Trenchers, 4 Wheel Loaders, 3 Skid Steer Loaders, 1 Grader, 1 Asphalt Paver, 6 Rollers/Compactors, 1 Ditch Witch Vacuum Trailer, 1 ROVAC Vacuum Test Pump, and various concrete equipment).

Once projects are awarded we will coordinate all aspects of the project with the owner and FCAA. We will install the hydrants according to the priority established in the bid documents.

RESUME

Brian Conover
101075 Overseas Hwy
Key Largo, FL 33037
(305) 345-6719

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Date of Birth: June 7, 1981
Marital Status: Married

Health: Excellent
Military: United States Coast Guard

EDUCATION

Brosville Middle School
Tunstall High School
Danville Community College

Danville, VA Grades 6 – 7
Dry Fork, VA Grades 8 – 12
Danville, VA 1-1/2 Years

BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

From 2001 To 2005 Active Military in the United States Coast Guard in Islamorada, FL

From 2005 To Present Project Supervisor for J.A. LaRocco Enterprise, Inc. in Key Largo, FL

CURRENT LICENSES AND CERTIFICATES

American Traffic Safety Services Association (ATSSA) Completed 04/09/10
ID# 37

PERSONAL REFERENCES

Richard Crow (954) 254-7898 Brad Kline (617) 331-7607
Chris Clemmons (954) 551-4897 Sara Dunlap (305) 393-0969

RESUME

John LaRocco
424 Sunshine Blvd.
Tavernier, FL 33070
(305) 852-7252

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Date of Birth: September 18, 1953
Marital Status: Married

Health: Excellent
Military: United States Army

EDUCATION

Sunnyside Elementary & Middle School
Proviso West High School
Triton College
Universal Construction School

Chicago, IL Grades 1 – 8
Chicago, IL Grades 9 – 12
Chicago, IL 1 Year
Graduated

BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

From 1975 To 1985 Self employed Engineering Contractor in Illinois.
From 1986 To Present Self employed Engineering Contractor in Florida.

CURRENT CONTRACTORS LICENSE

Engineering Class I 245 License #01-04316

VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES

Upper Keys Rotary Club

PERSONAL REFERENCES

Mike Boyce (305) 451-2716
Tim Quann (305) 664-4433

Jim Reynolds (305) 295-2203
Joe Joyce (305) 852-2431

RESUME

Terry Davis
1024 Gibraltar Rd
Key Largo, FL 33037
(305) 360-4825

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Date of Birth: November 29, 1961
Marital Status: Married

Health: Excellent
Military: None

EDUCATION

Augusta Elementary School	Augusta, WV	Grades K – 5
Romney Middle School	Romney, WV	Grades 6 – 8
Hampshire Senior High School	Romney, WV	Grades 9 – 12

BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

From 1985 To 1987	Operator/Mechanic for Upper Keys Marine Construction Key Largo, FL
From 1987 To Present	Project Supervisor for J.A. LaRocco Enterprise, Inc. in Key Largo, FL

PERSONAL REFERENCES

Richard Beckman	(305) 451-3241	Joe Miklas	(305) 852-7225
Ronald Gilman	(352) 486-4576	Nancy Ywat	(305) 304-7423
Jim Lewanski	(305) 797-8237	Gary Grinder	(305) 797-8223

THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

AIA Document A310 Bid Bond

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, THAT WE J.A. LaROCCO ENTERPRISES, INC.

101075 OVERSEAS HIGHWAY, Key Largo, FL 33037

as Principal, hereinafter called the Principal, and Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America

2420 Lakemont Ave., 4th fl. Orlando, FL 32814

a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of CT

as Surety, hereinafter called the Surety, are held and firmly bound unto KEY LARGO FIRE RESCUE & EMERGENCY

MEDICAL SERVICES DISTRICT

P.O. BOX 371023, KEY LARGO 33037, FL 33037

as Obligee, hereinafter called the Obligee, in the sum of Five Percent of Amount Bid

Dollars (\$ 5%),

for the payment of which sum well and truly to be made, the said Principal and the said Surety, bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

WHEREAS, the Principal has submitted a bid for INSTALLATION OF SIXTEEN (16) FIRE HYDRANTS

NOW, THEREFORE, if the Obligee shall accept the bid of the Principal and the Principal shall enter into a Contract with the Obligee in accordance with the terms of such bid, and give such bond or bonds as may be specified in the bidding or Contract Documents with good and sufficient surety for the faithful performance of such Contract and for the prompt payment of labor and materials furnished in the prosecution thereof, or in the event of the failure of the Principal to enter such Contract and give such bond or bonds, if the Principal shall pay to the Obligee the difference not to exceed the penalty hereof between the amount specified in said bid and such larger amount for which the Obligee may in good faith contract with another party to perform the Work covered by said bid, then this obligation shall be null and void, otherwise to remain in full force and effect.

Signed and sealed this 25th day of September, 2017

J.A. LaROCCO ENTERPRISES, INC.

(Principal)

(Seal)

By: 

Secretary

(Title)


(Witness)

Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America

(Surety)

(Seal)

By: 

Attorney-in-Fact D.W. Matson III

(Title)



POWER OF ATTORNEY

Farmington Casualty Company
Fidelity and Guaranty Insurance Company
Fidelity and Guaranty Insurance Underwriters, Inc.
St. Paul Fire and Marine Insurance Company
St. Paul Guardian Insurance Company

St. Paul Mercury Insurance Company
Travelers Casualty and Surety Company
Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America
United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company

Attorney-In Fact No. 216588

Certificate No. 006834244

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That Farmington Casualty Company, St. Paul Fire and Marine Insurance Company, St. Paul Guardian Insurance Company, St. Paul Mercury Insurance Company, Travelers Casualty and Surety Company, Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America, and United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company are corporations duly organized under the laws of the State of Connecticut, that Fidelity and Guaranty Insurance Company is a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Iowa, and that Fidelity and Guaranty Insurance Underwriters, Inc., is a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Wisconsin (herein collectively called the "Companies"), and that the Companies do hereby make, constitute and appoint

D. W. Matson III, and John W. Charlton

of the City of Coral Gables, State of Florida, their true and lawful Attorney(s)-in-Fact, each in their separate capacity if more than one is named above, to sign, execute, seal and acknowledge any and all bonds, recognizances, conditional undertakings and other writings obligatory in the nature thereof on behalf of the Companies in their business of guaranteeing the fidelity of persons, guaranteeing the performance of contracts and executing or guaranteeing bonds and undertakings required or permitted in any actions or proceedings allowed by law.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Companies have caused this instrument to be signed and their corporate seals to be hereto affixed, this 22nd day of June, 2016.

Farmington Casualty Company
Fidelity and Guaranty Insurance Company
Fidelity and Guaranty Insurance Underwriters, Inc.
St. Paul Fire and Marine Insurance Company
St. Paul Guardian Insurance Company

St. Paul Mercury Insurance Company
Travelers Casualty and Surety Company
Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America
United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company



State of Connecticut
City of Hartford ss.

By: [Signature]
Robert L. Raney, Senior Vice President

On this the 22nd day of June, 2016, before me personally appeared Robert L. Raney, who acknowledged himself to be the Senior Vice President of Farmington Casualty Company, Fidelity and Guaranty Insurance Company, Fidelity and Guaranty Insurance Underwriters, Inc., St. Paul Fire and Marine Insurance Company, St. Paul Guardian Insurance Company, St. Paul Mercury Insurance Company, Travelers Casualty and Surety Company, Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America, and United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, and that he, as such, being authorized so to do, executed the foregoing instrument for the purposes therein contained by signing on behalf of the corporations by himself as a duly authorized officer.

In Witness Whereof, I hereunto set my hand and official seal.
My Commission expires the 30th day of June, 2021.



[Signature]
Marie C. Tetreault, Notary Public