



Project Name McDuffie Terminal Dock 2 Refurbishment
Pile & Dock Repair
Project: 11703 **Task:** 3

July 8, 2026

Mr. Colin Ulter
Blade Construction, LLC
P.O. Box 359
Bon Secour, AL 36511

Re: **Notice of Intent to Award**

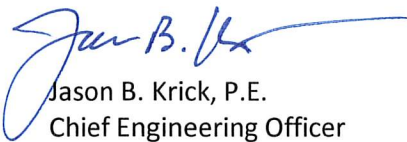
Dear Mr. Uter:

We are pleased to inform you of the contract renewal for the above referenced project. Please complete the following checked items and return within ten (10) business days.

- ☒ 1. Execute the Performance Bond and the Labor & Material Bond. **Ensure that the bonds are dated.**
- ☒ 2. Sign Acknowledgement for Change Orders on Page II-5.
- ☒ 3. Sign Contract on Page 11-6 with proper witness. The Contract shall be considered to include all attachments. **Do NOT date the contract. The contract date will be completed once fully executed and will match the date of the executed bonds.**
- ☒ 4. Provide Certificates of Insurance with required coverage and naming Alabama Port Authority as insured. Please note, our *Notice to Proceed* will not be issued until Certificates of Insurance evidencing the required coverage are received.
- ☒ 5. Execute Disclosure Statement (affidavit to state).
- ☒ 6. Executed Certificate of Compliance and attach documentation proving enrollment in the E-Verify Program.
- ☒ 7. Application for Sales & Use Tax Certificate of Exemption. A copy of the APA completed application for Sales & Use Tax Certificate of Exemption submitted to the Department of Revenue is attached. The contractor should follow the directions within the original form found at link www.revenue.alabama.gov/division/sales-use to complete the process for sales tax exemption.

Please return all copies for execution by the Alabama Port Authority. A copy will be returned for your use and file.

Sincerely,


Jason B. Krick, P.E.
Chief Engineering Officer