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# Statement of Qualifications

SOQ NO. 24-015

## To Provide Routine Engineering Services for Drainage Projects



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## Section One

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### TEC Form for Pivotal Engineering

**TEC Professional Services Questionnaire**

**A. Project Name and Advertisement Resolution Number:**

**Routine Engineering Services for Drainage Projects- SOQ 24-015; Resolution No. 144202**

**B. Firm Name & Address:**



3925 N. I-10 Service Road W., Suite 109R  
Metairie, LA 70002

**C. Name, title and contact information of Principal, as defined in Section 2-926 of the Jefferson Parish Code of Ordinances, who is a registered, licensed architect, professional engineer, or surveyor in the State of Louisiana:**

**Avinash Mehta, PE, President**

**Principal-In-Charge**

3925 N. I-10 Service Road W., Suite 109R  
Metairie, LA 70002

Office 504-799-3653; Cell 504-559-6518

[amehta@pivotaleng.com](mailto:amehta@pivotaleng.com) ; Registered PE (Louisiana No. 35100)

**D. Name and contact information of employee who is a registered and licensed architect, professional engineer, or surveyor in the State of Louisiana in the applicable discipline. A subcontractor may be substituted here only if the advertised Project requires more than one discipline.**

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**E. Please provide the number of employees whose primary function corresponds with each category:**

- |                                       |                                  |                                    |
|---------------------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| <u>2</u> Administrative               | <u>2</u> Estimators              | <u>  </u> Specification Writers    |
| <u>1</u> Architects (Licensed)        | <u>  </u> Geologists             | <u>1</u> Structural Engineers      |
| <u>  </u> Chemical Engineers          | <u>  </u> Geotechnical Engineers | <u>  </u> Graduate Engineers       |
| <u>7</u> Civil Engineers              | <u>  </u> Interior Designers     | <u>1</u> Project Managers          |
| <u>8</u> Construction Inspectors      | <u>  </u> Landscape Architects   | <u>1</u> Clerical                  |
| <u>  </u> Ecologists                  | <u>  </u> Land Surveyor          | <u>  </u> Grant/Funding Specialist |
| <u>2</u> Electrical Engineers         | <u>1</u> Mechanical Engineers    | <u>  </u> Sanitary Engineers       |
| <u>3</u> Engineer Intern              | <u>2</u> Environmental Engineers |                                    |
| <u>  </u> Professional Land Surveyors |                                  | <u>31</u> TOTAL                    |

**F. Is this submittal by a JOINT-VENTURE? Please check: YES  NO**

**If marked "No" skip to Section I. If marked "yes" complete Sections G-H.**

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**G. If submittal is by JOINT-VENTURE, list the firms participating and outline specific areas of responsibility (including administrative, technical, and financial) for each firm. Please attach additional pages if necessary.**

1. N/A

**H. Has this JOINT-VENTURE previously worked together? Please check:**

YES  NO

**I. List all subcontractors anticipated for this Project. Please note that all subcontractors must submit a fully completed copy of this questionnaire, applicable licenses, and any other information required by the advertisement. See Jefferson Parish Code of Ordinances, Sec. 2-928(a)(3). Please attach additional pages if necessary.**

Name & Address:	Specialty:	Worked with Firm Before (Yes or No):
1) <b>BFM Corporation, LLC</b> 15 Veterans Memorial Blvd Metairie, LA 70062	Surveying	Yes
2) <b>Gulf South Engineering &amp; Testing, Inc.</b> 15 Veterans Memorial Blvd Metairie, LA 70062	Geotechnical Engineering & Testing	Yes
3.		

**J. Please specify the total number of support personnel that may assist in the completion of this Project:**

31

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**K. List the professional in charge, key persons, specialists, and individual consultants anticipated for this Project and provide their relevant information below. If necessary, please attach additional documentation (i.e. resume) that demonstrates the employment history and experience of the Firm's key persons that may assist in the completion of this Project. Please attach additional pages if necessary.**

### **PROFESSIONAL IN CHARGE OF PROJECT:**

**Name & Title:**

**Avinash Mehta, PE; President; Principal In Charge**

**Project Assignment:**

**Principal-in-Charge**

**Name of Firm with which associated:**



**Years' experience with this Firm:**

12

**Education: Degree(s)/Year/Specialization:**

**M.S. Civil Engineering, University of Central Florida, 2003**

**B.S. Civil Engineering, NMU – India, 2000**

**Active registration: Year first registered/discipline:**

**Louisiana PE #35100 Civil**

**Other experience and qualifications relevant to the proposed Project:**

Mr. Mehta serves as the Principal of Pivotal Engineering. Mr. Mehta has over 16 years of experience managing Civil and Environmental Engineering projects including project budget, schedule and scope, coordination of resources, business development and client liaison activities. His experience includes the street design, pocket park improvements, roadway enhancements, drainage studies, process and design, water and wastewater master planning, drainage design permitting, wastewater system design, potable water system design and conceptual planning and design for coastal restoration projects.

**Experience includes:**

#### **Westwego No. 1 Pump Station Improvements; Jefferson Parish, LA**

Mr. Mehta serves as the principal-in-charge for this project. Pivotal Engineering was retained by Jefferson Parish for the Westwego No. 1 Drainage Pump Station project. The scope of work included the demolition of the old Westwego NO. 1 Pump Station building and installation of a 100 cfs pump and generator at the new Pump Station, including ancillary work.

#### **N. Arnoult Drainage Pump Station Improvements; Jefferson Parish, LA**

Mr. Mehta serves as the principle-in-charge for this project. Pivotal is retained by Jefferson Parish for design and construction management of N. Arnoult Drainage Pump Station Improvements. The scope of the project includes the demolishing of existing building, replacing 2 existing vertical turbine pumps with 2 new 25 HP pumps, replacing existing pump control with VFD, ATS and associated electrical upgrades, SCADA, and

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replacing 100KW diesel generator with sound enclosures and fuel tank.

### **Planters Pump Station Improvements; Jefferson Parish, LA**

Mr. Mehta serves as the principle-in-charge for this project. Pivotal Engineering is retained by Jefferson Parish to provide engineering services for the Planters Pump Station Improvements project. The scope of engineering services includes the removal and replacement of diesel engines, exhaust silencers, process controls and instrumentations, miscellaneous piping and electrical, installation of air-cooled heat exchangers, and refurbishment of gear box for drainage pumps of No. 1, 2, 3 and 4.

### **Oak Street Pump Station Improvements; St Charles Parish, LA**

Mr. Mehta served as the principle-in-charge for this project. Pivotal was retained by St. Charles Parish for the Oak Street Pump Station Improvements project. The scope of services involved:

- Replace the 100 HP Diesel Driven 24” pump by a 36”, 200 HP Electrically driven pump with VFD.
- Modify all controls and existing power distribution to fit the new arrangement.
- Upgrade Generator to a 350 KW system to handle new and existing loads.
- Pivotal was responsible for increasing the generator size and adding power and controls for a new 200hp pump.

### **Hero Pump Station; Jefferson Parish, LA**

Mr. Mehta served as the principle-in-charge for this project. Pivotal was retained by Jefferson Parish for the Hero Pump Station project to improve the electrical systems and its components. Pivotal was responsible for adding power and controls for (4) new trash rakes.

### **Engineers Canal Pump Station Improvements (Norco); St Charles Parish, LA**

Mr. Mehta served as the principle-in-charge for this project. The proposed Engineer’s Canal Pump Station Capacity Increase project consists of the installation of a new pump in an open bay of the pump station platform. The 200-horse power electric motor pump will be a 26” submersible pump that will add an additional 28,000 GPM of flow capacity. A new 26” discharge pipe will be installed over the levee and will be approximately 286’ in length. The concrete blocks along the side of the levee will be extended approximately 3’ to anchor the new discharge pipe. A concrete box and slab extension will be required for the crown of the levee for the vehicle ramp. The proposed project also includes the removal of the existing generator to install a larger generator that will service the existing and new pumps.

### **Des Allemandes Pump Station; Jefferson Parish, LA**

Mr. Mehta served as the principle-in-charge for this project. Pivotal was retained by Jefferson Parish to provide engineering services for the Des Allemandes Pump Station project. The project is to demolish the existing “Des Allemandes Pump Station” and replace it with a new structure and pump.

### **14<sup>th</sup> Street Drainage Improvements; Jefferson Parish, LA**

Mr. Mehta served as the principle-in-charge for this project. Pivotal was retained by Jefferson Parish to provide preliminary and final design phase services for construction plan preparation and construction administration.

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<b>KEY PERSON, SPECIALIST, OR INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANT:</b>
<b>Name &amp; Title:</b>
<b>Yoseph Shifare, PE, PTOE, PMP; Project Director</b>
<b>Project Assignment:</b>
<b>Project Manager/Sr. Civil Engineer</b>
<b>Name of Firm with which associated:</b>

<b>Years' experience with this Firm:</b>
12
<b>Education: Degree(s)/Year/Specialization:</b>
<b>M.S. Civil Engineering, University of Louisville, Kentucky, 2014</b> <b>B.S. Civil Engineering, University of Asmara, Eritrea, 2001</b>
<b>Active registration: Year first registered/discipline:</b>
<b>2018 / Civil Engineering / LA PE # 42747</b> <b>Louisiana PTOE; Louisiana PMP</b>
<b>Other experience and qualifications relevant to the proposed Project:</b>
<p>Mr. Shifare serves as the project director of Pivotal Engineering in charge of civil/transportation projects. He has over 19 years engineering, project and construction management experience for public infrastructure as well as for industrial, commercial and private facility projects. As project director, leads and manages the day-to-day efforts of engineers on projects that include roadway, traffic analyses, pavement structural design, use of geosynthetics, geometric design, line/grade analyses, pavement marking, intersection improvements, pedestrian/bicycle lanes/paths, excavation/embankment, traffic, drainage/storm water management, water/wastewater infrastructure and landfills. In addition, Mr. Shifare has extensive experience in hydraulic and green infrastructure project design, such as experience providing complex engineering services for hazard mitigation projects for government clients, including but not limited to detention and filtration of stormwater, open channel and pipe flow drainage systems, created wetlands structures, bioretention, and design of hydraulic control structures. He is responsible to client liaison, management of the strategic aspects of project engagement, high-level review of project deliverables, leadership, project accounting and ensuring that engineering practices meets or exceeds industry standards.</p>
<b>Experience includes:</b>
<b><u>Westwego No. 1 Pump Station Improvements; Jefferson Parish, LA</u></b>
Mr. Shifare serves as the project manager for this project. Pivotal Engineering was retained by Jefferson Parish for the Westwego No. 1 Drainage Pump Station project. The scope of worked included the demolition of the old Westwego NO. 1 Pump Station building and installation of a 100 cfs pump and generator at the new Pump Station, including ancillary work.
<b><u>N. Arnoult Drainage Pump Station Improvements; Jefferson Parish, LA</u></b>
Mr. Shifare serves as the project manager for this project. Pivotal is retained by Jefferson Parish for design and

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construction management of N. Arnoult Drainage Pump Station Improvements. The scope of the project includes the demolishing of existing building, replacing 2 existing vertical turbine pumps with 2 new 25 HP pumps, replacing existing pump control with VFD, ATS and associated electrical upgrades, SCADA, and replacing 100KW diesel generator with sound enclosures and fuel tank.

### **Planters Pump Station Improvements; Jefferson Parish, LA**

Mr. Shifare serves as the project manager for this project. Pivotal Engineering is retained by Jefferson Parish to provide engineering services for the Planters Pump Station Improvements project. The scope of engineering services includes the removal and replacement of diesel engines, exhaust silencers, process controls and instrumentations, miscellaneous piping and electrical, installation of air-cooled heat exchangers, and refurbishment of gear box for drainage pumps of No. 1, 2, 3 and 4.

### **Hero Pump Station; Jefferson Parish, LA**

Mr. Shifare served as the project manager for this project. Pivotal was retained by Jefferson Parish for the Hero Pump Station project to improve the electrical systems and its components. Pivotal was responsible for adding power and controls for (4) new trash rakes.

### **Engineers Canal Pump Station Improvements (Norco); St Charles Parish, LA**

Mr. Shifare served as the project manager for this project. The proposed Engineer's Canal Pump Station Capacity Increase project consists of the installation of a new pump in an open bay of the pump station platform. The 200-horse power electric motor pump will be a 26" submersible pump that will add an additional 28,000 GPM of flow capacity. A new 26" discharge pipe will be installed over the levee and will be approximately 286' in length. The concrete blocks along the side of the levee will be extended approximately 3' to anchor the new discharge pipe. A concrete box and slab extension will be required for the crown of the levee for the vehicle ramp. The proposed project also includes the removal of the existing generator to install a larger generator that will service the existing and new pumps.

### **Des Allemandes Pump Station; Jefferson Parish, LA**

Mr. Shifare served as the project manager for this project. Pivotal was retained by Jefferson Parish to provide engineering services for the Des Allemandes Pump Station project. The project is to demolish the existing "Des Allemandes Pump Station" and replace it with a new structure and pump.

### **14<sup>th</sup> Street Drainage Improvements; Jefferson Parish, LA**

Mr. Shifare served as the project manager for this project. Pivotal was retained by Jefferson Parish to provide preliminary and final design phase services for construction plan preparation and construction administration.

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<b>KEY PERSON, SPECIALIST, OR INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANT:</b>
<b>Name &amp; Title:</b>
<b>Bassam Mekari, PE; Sr. Electrical Engineer</b>
<b>Project Assignment:</b>
<b>Sr. Electrical Engineer</b>
<b>Name of Firm with which associated:</b>

<b>Years' experience with this Firm:</b>
<b>12</b>
<b>Education: Degree(s)/Year/Specialization:</b>
<b>MS in Electrical Engineering - 3 hours remaining</b> <b>BS in Electrical Engineering, 1987, Louisiana State University</b>
<b>Active registration: Year first registered/discipline:</b>
<b>Licensed PE - # 31801</b>
<b>Other experience and qualifications relevant to the proposed Project:</b>
<p>Mr. Mekari serves as the principal of Pivotal Engineering and the Engineering Manager in charge of all of the electrical engineering projects. He has developed tremendous experience in designing and installing Medium and Low Voltage Electrical Distribution Systems for commercial and industrial facilities lift stations, water treatment plants, Schools, Justice Centers, Police Stations, and industrial Thermal Reactors. He also designed/built electrical sub-stations for industrial systems and supervised actual installations throughout the US and worldwide. Mr. Mekari has designed over 200 electrical projects and will be instrumental in the overall plant electrical systems design. He also developed tremendous experience in sizing VFDs, UPSs, LED lighting, Dry and Liquid-Fill Transformers, Motors, Medium and Low Voltage Grounding Systems, Panelboards and Switch Gears, ATs, Back Up Generators and possesses hands on field installations' experience and construction administration. Mr. Mekari developed expertise is all applicable codes pertaining to his projects such as NEC, NFPA 70E, NFPA 820, UL and local codes.</p>
<b>Experience includes:</b>
<b><u>Planters Pump Station Improvements; Jefferson Parish, LA</u></b>
Mr. Mekari served as the project main electrical engineer. Pivotal Engineering is retained by Jefferson Parish to provide engineering services for the Planters Pump Station Improvements project. The scope of engineering services includes the removal and replacement of diesel engines, exhaust silencers, process controls and instrumentations, miscellaneous piping and electrical, installation of air-cooled heat exchangers, and refurbishment of gear box for drainage pumps of No. 1, 2, 3 and 4.
<b><u>Oak Street Pump Station Improvements; St Charles Parish, LA</u></b>
Mr. Mekari served as the project main electrical engineer of record and the Chief Engineer for the upgrades and improvements of the pump station. Pivotal was retained by St. Charles Parish for the Oak Street Pump Station Improvements project. The scope of services involved:

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- Replace the 100 HP Diesel Driven 24” pump by a 36”, 200 HP Electrically driven pump with VFD.
- Modify all controls and existing power distribution to fit the new arrangement.
- Upgrade Generator to a 350 KW system to handle new and existing loads.
- Pivotal was responsible for increasing the generator size and adding power and controls for a new 200hp pump.

### N. Arnoult Drainage Pump Station Improvements; Jefferson Parish. LA

Mr. Mekari served as the project manager and the main Electrical Engineer for the overall lift station upgrades and pumping capacity increase (5400 gpm). This lift station was one of the larger lift stations for Shreveport DPW. Some of Mr. Mekari’s responsibilities included the design of a new power supply and distribution center (600A, 480V, 3 phase Switch Gear with MCC & VFDs for the (3) new 100 HP pumps) as an upgrade to the facility’s existing systems, PLC control and SCADA/Telemetry interface. Moreover, Mr. Mekari added a secondary power supply (600A, 480 V, 3 phase) to the switch gear from a different feeder via an automatic transfer switch. Some other responsibilities also included the installation of new 18” Mag flow meter in the existing below grade force main and new odor control system.

### CC1 Lift Station Improvements; Luling, LA

Mr. Mekari served as the project main Electrical Engineer of record and the Chief Engineer for the upgrades and improvements of the lift station. The overall scope consisted of a major upgrade and overhaul of the existing pump station. Some of his responsibilities involved increasing the pumping capacity of the station from 2580 gpm to 4000 gpm (55% pumping capacity increase). Some of the main work scope involved the demolition of the entire existing power distribution gear, removal of existing 6 (30 hp) pumps with all related controls and replacement with (3) 100 hp pumps with soft start controls. Mr. Mekari performed a cost analysis breakdown between Soft Start and VFDs and client chose the first option due to budget constraints. Moreover, Mr. Mekari updated the SCADA controls, added new PLC and tied the controls to the department Telemetry system. Project is in bid phase.

### Patriot Lift Station; Jefferson Parish, LA

Mr. Mekari served as the project main Electrical Engineer of record and the Chief Engineer for the upgrades and improvements of the lift station. Pivotal was retained to perform a full electrical design with specifications for a duplex lift station (Patriot) for Jefferson Parish. The overall system consisted of a NEMA 4X self-standing main control panel/MCC, 240, 3 phases, 4 wires. The control panel also included logic to allow the pump motors to start/stop manually from the push bottoms at the panel or automatically via the PLC inside the panel. The PLC also controlled the levels at the well and the backup level system. All of the PLC digital and analogue inputs/outputs were also transmitted from the PLC to the Jefferson Parish SCADA system central facility via radio signal.

### Wright Road Improvements; New Orleans, LA

Mr. Mekari served as the project main Electrical Engineer of record and the Chief Engineer for the upgrades and improvements of the lift station. Pivotal personnel were retained by the City of New Orleans for the design of Wright Road located in New Orleans East. The project entailed the design of a new roadway section, subsurface sewer, water and drainage facilities, the relocation of conflicting utilities, as well as the development of specifications and construction oversight. Pivotal engineering staff has also been required to provide public coordination, agency approvals, oversee contractor compliance, and represent the Owner at various public meetings.

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<b>KEY PERSON, SPECIALIST, OR INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANT:</b>
<b>Name &amp; Title:</b>
<b>Terry Elnaggar, PE; Sr. Civil/Environmental Engineer</b>
<b>Project Assignment:</b>
<b>Sr. Civil Engineer</b>
<b>Name of Firm with which associated:</b>

<b>Years' experience with this Firm:</b>
<b>12</b>
<b>Education: Degree(s)/Year/Specialization:</b>
<b>MS / 1988 / Civil and Environmental Engineering / Univ. of California, Berkley</b>
<b>BS / 1985 / Civil Engineering / Louisiana State University</b>
<b>Active registration: Year first registered/discipline:</b>
<b>LA PE #23832 – Civil/Environmental</b>
<b>Other experience and qualifications relevant to the proposed Project:</b>
<p>Mr. Elnaggar serves as a Principal of Pivotal Engineering LLC. He is the lead civil and environmental engineer for the company. His 30 years of experience includes project management and design work in roadways, drainage, sewer, earthen levees, floodwalls, floodgates and pump stations. He has performed multiple engineering projects for public and private clients on the local, state and federal level. He has served as Project Design Manager for numerous projects including, pavement widening and rehabilitation work. He takes a hands-on approach to successfully managing the design, QA/QC, stakeholder coordination, discipline leads, and schedule management. He has managed and prepared design-build construction plans, utility coordination, drainage, stormwater management, right-of-way plats, complex E&amp;SC, environmental documentation/permitting, and environmental mitigation/restoration. He has also served on the construction program management side with both municipal, and industrial clients, providing oversight of projects designed by other consultants, providing design reviews and coordination between the consultant and the multiple other agencies involved. His experience includes design and construction management for civil and environmental projects including municipal and industrial solid waste permitting, risk assessments, water permitting and compliance, air permitting and compliance, emission inventories and reporting, groundwater investigations, regulatory compliance, environmental process design, permitting, and waste treatment system design.</p>
<b>Experience includes:</b>
<b><u>Wright Road Improvements; New Orleans, LA</u></b>
<p>Mr. Elnaggar served as the Project Engineer for the design of Wright Road located in New Orleans East. The project included subsurface drainage, roadway paving, curb and gutter, utility's location and relocation, sidewalks. Mr. Elnaggar was responsible for coordination and oversight of all engineering and design tasks, and construction management for this project. Mr. Elnaggar also ensured all design guidelines were followed, the project remained within budget, milestone dates were met, and the needs and concerns of the client were addressed. The project was valued at \$9 million.</p>

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### **Broadmoor Lift Station Upgrades; Shreveport**

The Project includes the rehabilitation of the facility building including pumps, pipes, screening system, odor control system, and designing of an access road. Mr. Elnaggar reviewed, designed and sized the temporary by pass system; reviewed and designed the horizontal and vertical alignment of a concrete pavement access road. Further, Mr. Elnaggar reviewed and managed the project design package including the specification, capital project estimate and Construction document.

### **CC1 Lift Station Improvements; Luling, LA**

The Project includes analysis and design to increase the existing capacity of the lift station. For this project Mr. Elnaggar reviewed, and analyzed the design of the Odor Control System; reviewed a simply supported two-way slab wet well cover for H2O Loading. Further reviewed and calculated capital cost estimate of the project and Construction document.

### **City of New Orleans Hurricane Ida Emergency Status Damage Assessments, New Orleans, LA**

In the wake of Hurricane Ida (August 2021), Pivotal Engineering was retained by City of New Orleans to perform emergency status damage assessments and repair cost estimates for each of their 416 facilities. Facility types included administrative buildings, recreation centers, parks, playgrounds, life safety stations and other types. Pivotal developed a comprehensive, GIS-based logistical framework for efficient staff management and planning. Due to the constant communication with the teams and client, Pivotal was able to make changes to priority locations within the day. Pivotal used a team of dedicated cost estimators to perform all cost estimates, based on the RSMMeans database. Pivotal was able to deploy drone imagery for additional inspection of roof and other inaccessible items. Progress was shared with the City daily via an email summary as well as a real-time, cloud-based data dashboard. Pivotal staff worked seven (7) days per week for six (6) weeks to complete the project.

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### **KEY PERSON, SPECIALIST, OR INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANT:**

**Name & Title:**

**James Amodeo, PE; Sr. Mechanical Engineer**

**Project Assignment:**

**Mechanical Engineer**

**Name of Firm with which associated:**



**Years' experience with this Firm:**

**12**

**Education: Degree(s)/Year/Specialization:**

**BS / 1994 / Mechanical Engineering**

**Active registration: Year first registered/discipline:**

**LA PE #36489 – Mechanical - 2011**

**Other experience and qualifications relevant to the proposed Project:**

Mr. Amodeo serves as the Senior Mechanical Engineer for Pivotal Engineering. Mr. Amodeo has more than 20 years of experience in the analysis, design and project construction management for various types of building mechanical systems, plumbing design, and code compliance.

Working on more than 20 FEMA projects post Katrina, Mr. Amodeo has developed tremendous FEMA experience and reviewing PWs and providing cost estimates.

Mr. Amodeo will be designated as the Sr. Mechanical Engineer for this project. Mr. Amodeo will be responsible for all mechanical and plumbing design, review of all applicable code requirements, methodologies and design recommendations and schematics

**Experience includes:**

#### **Cleveland & Avron Sewer Lift Station Rehabilitation; Jefferson Parish, LA**

Mr. Amodeo served as a Sr. Mechanical Engineer for the lift station upgrades for this project. Pivotal was retained by Jefferson Parish to replace the existing submersible pumps with new submersible pumps with Premium Efficiency Motors and Variable Frequency Drives (VFD) as well as new controls, piping, and valves. 3-15HP pumps will be replaced with 2-25Hp Pumps.

#### **N. Sibley & Boone Lift Station Improvements; Jefferson Parish, LA**

Mr. Amodeo served as a Sr. Mechanical Engineer for the lift station upgrades for this project. Pivotal Engineering was retained by Jefferson Parish to provide preliminary and final design phase services for design and construction plan preparation of the C4-1A (N. Sibley and Boone) Lift Station Rehabilitation project. The major scope of the improvement is replacement of all existing submersible pumps with new submersible pumps with Premium Efficiency Motors and Variable Frequency Drive (VFD) as well as new controls, piping, and valves. 2-15 HP pumps will be replaced with 2-15 HP Pumps.

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### **Broadmoor Lift Station; Shreveport, Louisiana**

Mr. Amodeo served as a Sr. Mechanical Engineer for the lift station upgrades and pumping capacity increase (5400 gpm). This lift station was one of the larger lift stations for Shreveport DPW. The Project includes the rehabilitation of the facility building including pumps, pipes, screening system, odor control system, and designing of an access road. Project management responsibilities included budgeting; invoicing; executing monthly progress meetings; preparing and tracking project schedules; and interacting with the client, owner, contractors and various permitting agencies.

### **CC-1 Lift Station Upgrade: St Charles Parish DPW; Luling, Louisiana**

Mr. Amodeo served as the Sr. Mechanical Engineer for the upgrades and improvements of the lift station. The overall scope consisted of a major upgrade and overhaul to increase the pumping capacity of the pump station. Scope also included the demolition of the existing mechanical pumping system including the removal of (6) existing (30 hp) pumps with all related piping and appurtenances and replacement with (3) 100 hp pumps with updated piping, controls and monitoring. Some of Mr. Amodeo's responsibilities involved verifying the existing field conditions including pumps, piping, and odor control of Analysis for maximizing the current force main capacities in order to maximize the capacity and efficiency of the new lift station which reflected an increase of 55% pumping capacity coupled with higher efficiencies and improved monitoring and odor control. Mr. Amodeo also helped with the cost analysis breakdown in order to budget the new pumping system for the overall mechanical construction scope.

### **Patriot Lift Station; Jefferson Parish, LA**

Mr. Amodeo served as the Sr. Mechanical Engineer for the upgrades and improvements of the lift station. Pivotal was retained to perform a full electrical design with specifications for a duplex lift station (Patriot) for Jefferson Parish. The overall system consisted of a NEMA 4X self-standing main control panel/MCC, 240, 3 phases, 4 wires. The control panel also included logic to allow the pump motors to start/stop manually from the push bottoms at the panel or automatically via the PLC inside the panel. The PLC also controlled the levels at the well and the backup level system. All of the PLC digital and analogue inputs/outputs were also transmitted from the PLC to the Jefferson Parish SCADA system central facility via radio signal.

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<b>KEY PERSON, SPECIALIST, OR INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANT:</b>
<b>Name &amp; Title:</b>
<b>Sundiata Marcelin, PE; Sr. Civil Engineer</b>
<b>Project Assignment:</b>
<b>Civil Engineer</b>
<b>Name of Firm with which associated:</b>

<b>Years' experience with this Firm:</b>
<b>6</b>
<b>Education: Degree(s)/Year/Specialization:</b>
<b>B.S. Civil Engineering, 2004</b>
<b>Active registration: Year first registered/discipline:</b>
<b>2013 / Civil Engineering / LA PE # 38589</b>
<b>Other experience and qualifications relevant to the proposed Project:</b>
<p>Mr. Marcelin has over 10 years of experience in both civil and structural engineering as well as over 15 years of experience in construction management. This civil engineering experience includes complete urban roadway restoration design with new sewage, water, drainage, and full right-of-way layout in Jefferson, St Bernard, and Orleans Parish. Mr. Marcelin has extensive knowledge of the civil infrastructure and design standards of Orleans Parish. This knowledge base allows him to efficiently review designs for both above ground and sub-surface infrastructure. His project experience includes roadway, traffic analyses, pavement structural design, use of geosynthetics, geometric design, line and grade analyses, pavement marking, intersection improvements, pedestrian and bicycle lanes or paths, excavation and embankment, traffic, drainage/storm water management, water and wastewater systems.</p>
<b>Experience includes:</b>
<b><u>14th Street Drainage Improvements; Jefferson Parish, LA</u></b>
<p>Mr. Marcelin serves as a senior engineer for this project, responsible for project coordination, generation of overall design (including calculations and modeling) and the project schedule. Overall, the project goal is to improve the drainage network along 14th Street. Project scope items include the following: construction of new sidewalks and ADA ramps, replacement of pavement and driveways, adjustment of required sewer connections, adjustment of identified water lines and the construction of a new outfall for the canal.</p>
<b><u>Wright Road Improvements; New Orleans, LA</u></b>
<p>Mr. Marcelin serves as a senior engineer for this project, responsible for project coordination, generation of overall design (including calculations and modeling) and the project schedule. Pivotal personnel were retained by the City of New Orleans for the design of Wright Road located in New Orleans East. The project entailed the design of a new roadway section, subsurface sewer, water and drainage facilities, the relocation of conflicting utilities, as well as the development of specifications and construction oversight. Pivotal engineering staff has also been required to provide public coordination, agency approvals, oversee contractor compliance, and represent the Owner at various public meetings.</p>

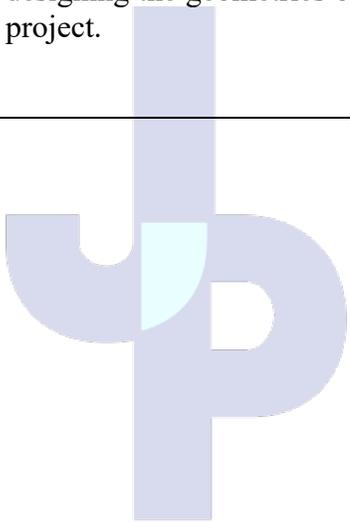
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### **RR016 BW Cooper Gert Town Dixon Group C; New Orleans, LA**

Mr. Marcelin is the senior engineer for this project. He is tasked with the completing above and below ground design of the restoration of approximately nine (9) blocks (3,245 ft) in the neighborhood of B.W. Cooper, Gert Town and Dixon. This design includes the horizontal and vertical roadway alignment and right-of-way design complete with new drainage structures based on an updated more resilient analysis procedure, limited waterline and sewer line replacement, and Sidewalk and ADA ramp layout. His work also required coordination and compatibility with adjacent active and future construction projects.

### **RR076 Lake Vista Group D; New Orleans, LA**

Mr. Marcelin serves as a senior engineer for this project, responsible for project coordination, generation of overall design (including calculations and modeling) and the project schedule. Pivotal is retained by City of New Orleans to provide roadway full reconstruction including subsurface improvements (drainage, sewer and water line improvement). The project entails roadway rehabilitation for five (5) blocks (1,750 ft) in the neighborhood of Lake Vista. This design of multiple streets is required to meet rehabilitation goals set by FEMA and CNO and water line replacement program set by S&WB. The project also included identifying and designing the geometrics of the streets, preparation of capital cost estimates and construction documents for the project.



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<b>KEY PERSON, SPECIALIST, OR INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANT:</b>	
<b>Name &amp; Title:</b>	
<b>Bryan B. Smith, PE; Environmental Engineer</b>	
<b>Project Assignment:</b>	
<b>Project Engineer</b>	
<b>Name of Firm with which associated:</b>	
	
<b>Years' experience with this Firm:</b>	
7	
<b>Education: Degree(s)/Year/Specialization:</b>	
BS / 2011 / Environmental Engineering	
MS / 2014 / Civil and Environmental Engineering	
<b>Active registration: Year first registered/discipline:</b>	
2015 / Environmental / PE # 43843	
<b>Other experience and qualifications relevant to the proposed Project:</b>	
<p>Mr. Smith serves as a senior environmental engineer and construction manager with Pivotal Engineering. Mr. Smith has more than eight (8) years of experience with the public works and environmental project types, including the design of subsurface utilities and roadways. He is well-rounded in technical approaches for the design, site inspection and coordination of municipal infrastructure projects.</p> <p>Additionally, he is well established in both state and federal regulations for water quality, NPDES compliance and SWPPP preparation. His projects include both public and private sector that require his time in both the office and the field.</p>	
<b>Experience includes:</b>	
<b><u>France Road North; New Orleans, LA</u></b>	
For this project, Mr. Smith assisted with the scoping phase, including site documentation, identification of critical improvements and determination of the extent of drainage/roadway modifications. Pivotal performed design & construction administration services for France Rd. The project included 1.5 miles of full roadway reconstruction design. The scope of this project was to remove and replace roadway & drainage improvements.	
<b><u>Plum Orchard -West Lake Forest Group B (New Orleans, LA</u></b>	
Mr. Smith performed the design services for the RR3 Plum Orchard/West Lake Forest Group B project. Scope of work included photographic documentation of existing conditions, FEMA-eligible repairs and additional repairs for considerations as well as designing eligible improvements in AutoCAD Civil3d. Additional tasks included revisions to drawings for adherence to CNO, SWBNO and FEMA guidelines.	
<b><u>Bonnabel Bike Path; Jefferson Parish, LA</u></b>	
Mr. Smith performed scoping phase services for the Bonnabel Bike Path project. As this project was developed to increase community access to quality-of-life resources (Lake Pontchartrain as well as nearby open-space	

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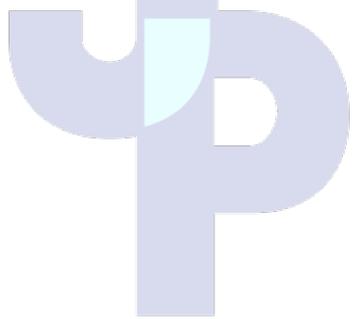
places), maximum attention was given to the configuration of the bike path along Bonnabel Street. Existing trees were integrated into the design as well as standard traffic control devices.

### **Water Effectiveness in Broadmoor; New Orleans, LA**

For this project, Mr. Smith reviewed the design drawings, managed geotechnical soil investigation and performed water quality testing for on-site, pre-construction conditions. His knowledge of green infrastructure design, water quality requirements for such installations and generation construction experienced allowed him to positively impact the project and ensure that the tasks were completed on time.

### **City of New Orleans Hurricane Ida Emergency Status Damage Assessments, New Orleans, LA**

In the wake of Hurricane Ida (August 2021), Pivotal Engineering was retained by City of New Orleans to perform emergency status damage assessments and repair cost estimates for each of their 416 facilities. Facility types included administrative buildings, recreation centers, parks, playgrounds, life safety stations and other types. Pivotal developed a comprehensive, GIS-based logistical framework for efficient staff management and planning. Due to the constant communication with the teams and client, Pivotal was able to make changes to priority locations within the day. Pivotal used a team of dedicated cost estimators to perform all cost estimates, based on the RSMMeans database. Pivotal was able to deploy drone imagery for additional inspection of roof and other inaccessible items. Progress was shared with the City daily via an email summary as well as a real-time, cloud-based data dashboard. Pivotal staff worked seven (7) days per week for six (6) weeks to complete the project.



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### **KEY PERSON, SPECIALIST, OR INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANT:**

**Name & Title:**

**Eliot Guerin, PE; Civil Engineer**

**Project Assignment:**

**Civil Engineer**

**Name of Firm with which associated:**



**Years' experience with this Firm:**

**6**

**Education: Degree(s)/Year/Specialization:**

**B.S. / 2018 / Civil Engineering**

**Active registration: Year first registered/discipline:**

**LA PE #0047729 / 2023 / Civil Engineering**

**Other experience and qualifications relevant to the proposed Project:**

Mr. Guerin is a civil designer with over 4 years of experience at Pivotal Engineering. Throughout this time, he has focused on design of roadways, sanitary sewer systems and storm drainage collection systems (including applicable green infrastructure components) More specifically, he is well-established in traffic analyses, pavement structural design, use of geosynthetics, geometric design, line and grade analyses, pavement marking, intersection improvements, pedestrian and bicycle lanes or paths, excavation and embankment, traffic, drainage/storm water management, water and wastewater, and landfills. He is a very competent design engineer with strong skillset in hydraulic & hydrologic modeling and AutoCAD Civil 3D.

#### **Experience includes:**

##### **Pritchard Road Extension**

Mr. Guerin serves as a civil designer for this project. Pivotal Engineering is retained by Jefferson Parish to design roadway reconstruction and extension of Pritchard Road. The project scope includes the following:

- Removal and replacement of existing 20 ft wide concrete roadway with 26 ft wide roadway and extend 130 ft to connect Pritchard Road to Sprig Street.
- Removal and replacement of existing drainage piping. The design of drainage pipe networks is completed for a 10 years storm period using LADOTD drainage software.
- Relocation of existing street side ditch with a new ditch and box culvert. Drainage ditch, box culvert and junction box designed for 10 years storm period.
- Offset existing 10" and 18" SFM both vertically and horizontally.

##### **Drainage Improvements to 14<sup>th</sup> Street; Jefferson Parish, LA**

Mr. Guerin serves as a civil designer for this project. Overall, the project goal is to improve the drainage network along 14th Street. Project scope items include the following: construction of new sidewalks and ADA ramps, replacement of pavement and driveways, adjustment of required sewer connections, adjustment of identified water lines and the construction of a new outfall for the canal.

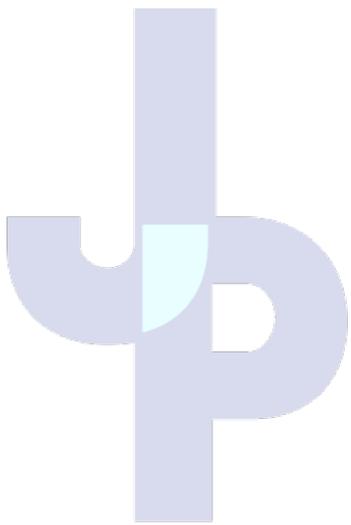
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### Wright Road Improvements; New Orleans, LA

Mr. Guerin serves as a civil designer for this project. The project includes removing the existing street, drainage and sewer structures and designing new alignment and profile, drainage and sewer structures. He was responsible for designing horizontal and vertical roadway alignment, drainage collection systems, water line replacements, sewer line replacements, geometrics of the streets as well as preparing both capital cost estimates and construction documents.

### RR 016-019 Improvements

Mr. Guerin serves as a civil designer for this project. Pivotal is currently retained by City of New Orleans to provide roadway full reconstruction including subsurface improvements (drainage, sewer and water line improvement). The project entails roadway rehabilitation for nine (9) blocks (3245 ft) in the neighborhoods of B.W. Cooper, Gert Town and Dixon. This design of multiple streets are required to meet rehabilitation goals set by FEMA and CNO and water line replacement program set by S&WB. The project also includes identifying and designing the geometrics of the streets, preparation of capital cost estimates and construction documents for the project.



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<b>KEY PERSON, SPECIALIST, OR INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANT:</b>
<b>Name &amp; Title:</b>
<b>Kepal Patel, EI; Electrical Project Engineer</b>
<b>Project Assignment:</b>
<b>Electrical Designer</b>
<b>Name of Firm with which associated:</b>

<b>Years' experience with this Firm:</b>
<b>5</b>
<b>Education: Degree(s)/Year/Specialization:</b>
<b>BS Electrical Engineering 2019</b>
<b>Active registration: Year first registered/discipline:</b>
<b>2019 LA EI # 0034453</b>
<b>Other experience and qualifications relevant to the proposed Project:</b>
<p>Mr. Patel serves as an electrical/roadway designer for Pivotal Engineering. Mr. Patel designing experience includes CADD work, generally to show the pole location, laying out circuit design from the power source to individual poles, type of foundation used, type of fixture used and include its specifications. Currently, he is working on several JP streetlight projects and his role requires voltage drop calculations, conduit sizes, wire sizes, grounding and bonding etc. and thus determine what kind of electrical components would be required for the installations.</p>
<b>Experience includes:</b>
<p><b><u>Planters Drainage Pump Station; Jefferson Parish</u></b></p> <p>Mr. Patel serves as an electrical/roadway designer for this project. Pivotal Engineering is retained by Jefferson Parish to provide engineering services for the Planters Pump Station Improvements project. The scope of engineering services includes the removal and replacement of diesel engines, exhaust silencers, process controls and instrumentations, miscellaneous piping and electrical, installation of air-cooled heat exchangers, and refurbishment of gear box for drainage pumps of No. 1, 2, 3 and 4.</p>
<p><b><u>Wright Road Improvements; New Orleans, LA</u></b></p> <p>Mr. Patel serves as an electrical/roadway designer. Pivotal personnel were retained by the City of New Orleans for the design of Wright Road located in New Orleans East. The project entailed the design of a new roadway section, subsurface sewer, water and drainage facilities, the relocation of conflicting utilities, as well as the development of specifications and construction oversight. Pivotal engineering staff has also been required to provide public coordination, agency approvals, oversee contractor compliance, and represent the Owner at various public meetings.</p>
<p><b><u>Cousins Blvd Extension</u></b></p> <p>Mr. Patel serves as an electrical/roadway designer for this project.</p>

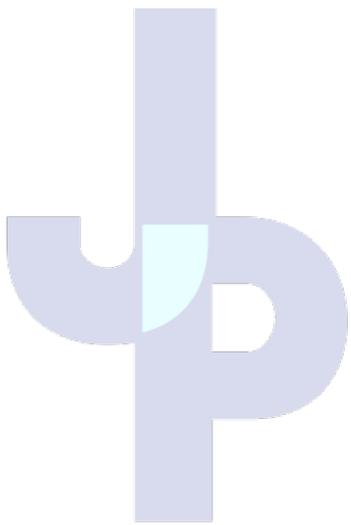
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<b>KEY PERSON, SPECIALIST, OR INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANT:</b>
<b>Name &amp; Title:</b>
<b>Javier Rondan Zambra, EI; Project Engineer</b>
<b>Project Assignment:</b>
<b>Civil Designer</b>
<b>Name of Firm with which associated:</b>

<b>Years' experience with this Firm:</b>
<b>3</b>
<b>Education: Degree(s)/Year/Specialization:</b>
<b>M.S. Civil Engineering - 2021</b>
<b>B.S. Civil Engineering - 2018</b>
<b>Active registration: Year first registered/discipline:</b>
<b>LA EI #035205 / 2022 / Civil Engineering</b>
<b>Other experience and qualifications relevant to the proposed Project:</b>
<p>Mr. Rondan serves as a civil project engineer with over two (2) years of experience in the transportation sector with a special focus on highway design, construction, and maintenance. He is knowledgeable in traffic engineering design and operation. He is well versed in construction scheduling, means &amp; methods for utility installations and green infrastructure integration.</p>
<b>Experience includes:</b>
<b><u>14th Street Drainage Improvements; Jefferson Parish, LA</u></b>
<p>Mr. Rondan's involvement in this project consists of plan drafting, quantities estimation, cost estimation and documentation for project submittal. Overall, the project goal was to improve the drainage network along 14th Street. Project scope items include the following: construction of new sidewalks and ADA ramps, replacement of pavement and driveways, adjustment of required sewer connections, adjustment of identified water lines and the construction of a new outfall for the canal.</p>
<b><u>Wright Road Improvements; New Orleans, LA</u></b>
<p>Mr. Rondan's involvement in this project consists of plan drafting, quantities estimation, cost estimation and documentation for project submittal. Pivotal personnel were retained by the City of New Orleans for the design of Wright Road located in New Orleans East. The project entailed the design of a new roadway section, subsurface sewer, water and drainage facilities, the relocation of conflicting utilities, as well as the development of specifications and construction oversight. Pivotal engineering staff has also been required to provide public coordination, agency approvals, oversee contractor compliance, and represent the Owner at various public meetings.</p>
<b><u>Smith &amp; Toulouse Lift Station Upgrades; Jefferson Parish, LA</u></b>
<p>This project consists of abandonment of existing dry well and retrofit of existing wet well, construction of new</p>

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wet well, valve pit, and force main bypass, and installation of new sewer and pipes and sewer force main, as well as removal and replacement of asphalt roadway with concrete roadway, and drainage improvements. Mr. Rondan's responsibilities include plan drafting, budget and quantities estimation, and documentation for project submittal.



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<b>KEY PERSON, SPECIALIST, OR INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANT:</b>
<b>Name &amp; Title:</b>
<b>Irish Jones; Sr. Electrical Designer</b>
<b>Project Assignment:</b>
<b>Electrical Designer</b>
<b>Name of Firm with which associated:</b>

<b>Years' experience with this Firm:</b>
<b>12</b>
<b>Education: Degree(s)/Year/Specialization:</b>
<b>5 years of college in Electrical Engineering – University of Texas at Arlington</b>
<b>Active registration: Year first registered/discipline:</b>
<b>n/a</b>
<b>Other experience and qualifications relevant to the proposed Project:</b>
<p>Mr. Jones serves as the senior electrical designer of Pivotal Engineering. He has over 40 years of experience in designing electrical installations (power distributions) for industrial and commercial applications of all magnitudes. He obtained his first-Class A electrical license in 1967 in Georgia. Being an electrical contractor for over 40 years, Mr. Jones has developed an extensive experience in not only designing and laying out electrical designs, but also in supervising the installations in the construction phase. His expertise allows the team to provide the best and most economical electrical design for any facility. Due to his experience as an electrician and a contractor, Pivotal will not need to depend on the in- plant electrician while conducting the electrical components field investigations.</p>
<b>Experience includes:</b>
<b><u>Planters Drainage Pump Station</u></b>
<p>Mr. Jones serves as the senior electrical engineer for this project. Pivotal Engineering is retained by Jefferson Parish to provide engineering services for the Planters Pump Station Improvements project. The scope of engineering services includes the removal and replacement of diesel engines, exhaust silencers, process controls and instrumentations, miscellaneous piping and electrical, installation of air-cooled heat exchangers, and refurbishment of gear box for drainage pumps of No. 1, 2, 3 and 4.</p>
<b><u>N. Arnoult Drainage Pump Station Improvements; Jefferson Parish, LA</u></b>
<p>Mr. Jones serves as the senior electrical engineer for this project. Pivotal is retained by Jefferson Parish under a prime consultant of Hartman Engineering, Inc for a design and construction management of N. Arnoult Drainage Pump Station Improvements. The scope of the project includes the demolishing of existing building, replacing 2 existing vertical turbine pumps with 2 new 25 HP pumps, replacing existing pump control with VFD, ATS and associated electrical upgrades, SCADA, and replacing 100KW diesel generator with sound enclosures and fuel tank.</p>

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**L. Work by Firm or Joint-Venture members which best illustrates current qualifications relevant to this Project. Please include any and all work performed for Jefferson Parish. Please attach additional pages if necessary.**

### PROJECT NO. 1

**Project Name, Location and Owner's contact information:**

**Nature of Firm's Responsibility:**

**Labarre Rd Railroad Crossing  
Drainage Improvements  
Jefferson Parish, LA**

Neil Schneider, Director  
Jefferson Parish, Capital Projects  
1221 Elmwood Park Blvd., Ste. 906  
Jefferson, LA 70123  
(504) 736-6833

*Design & Construction Administration*

Pivotal was retained by Jefferson Parish to provide preliminary and final design phase services for design and construction plan preparation of the Labarre Rd. Railroad Crossing Drainage Improvement. The major scope of the improvement includes:

1. The construction of a box at the south west corner of Labarre and the Norfolk railroad; construction of a box at the south east corner of Labarre and the Norfolk railroad; replacement of sidewalk access across the ditch adjacent to the tracks; and provide handicap ramps across the street from the crossing, due to the tight right of way at the corner. The designer makes sure that the handicap ramp is being built within Parish right of way.
2. The boxes are designed to accommodate all of the existing drain lines in the area in order to preserve current drainage patterns at the crossing.
3. Construction of the box on the east required removal and replacement of 1/2 of Labarre Road and of the rail road crossing arm.
4. Construction requires deep sheeting, due to proximity of tracks, possibly a coffer dam.
5. Full width of Labarre will be milled and overlaid.



**Completion Date (Actual or estimated):**

**Estimated Cost:**

**Entire Project:**

**Work for which Firm was Responsible:**

2019

\$53,345

\$53,345

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<b>PROJECT NO. 2</b>		
<b>Project Name, Location and Owner's contact information:</b>	<b>Nature of Firm's Responsibility:</b>	
<p><b>Pritchard Rd. Extension</b> Jefferson Parish, LA</p> <p>Neil Schneider Jefferson Parish, Capital Projects 1221 Yenni Building, Suite 906 Jefferson, LA 70123 (504) 736-6833</p>	<p>Pivotal Engineering is retained by Jefferson Parish to design roadway reconstruction and extension of Pritchard Road. The project scope includes the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Remove and replace existing 20 ft wide concrete roadway and replace with 26ft wide roadway and extend 130 ft to connect Pritchard Road to Sprig Street.</li> <li>2. Remove and replace existing drainage piping. The design of drainage pipe networks is completed for a 10 years storm period using LADOTD drainage software.</li> <li>3. Relocated existing street side ditch with a new ditch and box culvert. Drainage ditch, box culvert and junction box is designed for 10 years storm period.</li> <li>4. Existing 10" and 18" SFM were required to be vertical and horizontal offset.</li> </ol>	
		
<b>Completion Date (Actual or estimated):</b>	<b>Estimated Cost:</b>	
	<b>Entire Project:</b>	<b>Work for which Firm was Responsible:</b>
2020	\$1.3M	\$1.3M

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<b>PROJECT NO. 3</b>		
<b>Project Name, Location and Owner's contact information:</b>	<b>Nature of Firm's Responsibility</b>	
<p><b>Planters Pump Station Improvements</b> Jefferson Parish, LA</p> <p>Neil Schneider Jefferson Parish, Capital Projects 1221 Yenni Building, Suite 906 Jefferson, LA70123 (504) 736-6833</p>	<p>Pivotal Engineering is retained by Jefferson Parish to provide engineering services for the Planters Pump Station Improvements project. The scope of engineering services includes the removal and replacement of diesel engines, exhaust silencers, process controls and instrumentations, miscellaneous piping and electrical, installation of air-cooled heat exchangers, and refurbishment of gear box for drainage pumps of No. 1, 2, 3 and 4.</p> 	
<b>Completion Date (Actual or estimated)</b>	<b>Estimated Cost:</b>	
	<b>Entire Project:</b>	<b>Work for which Firm was Responsible:</b>
2021	\$533,552	\$533,552

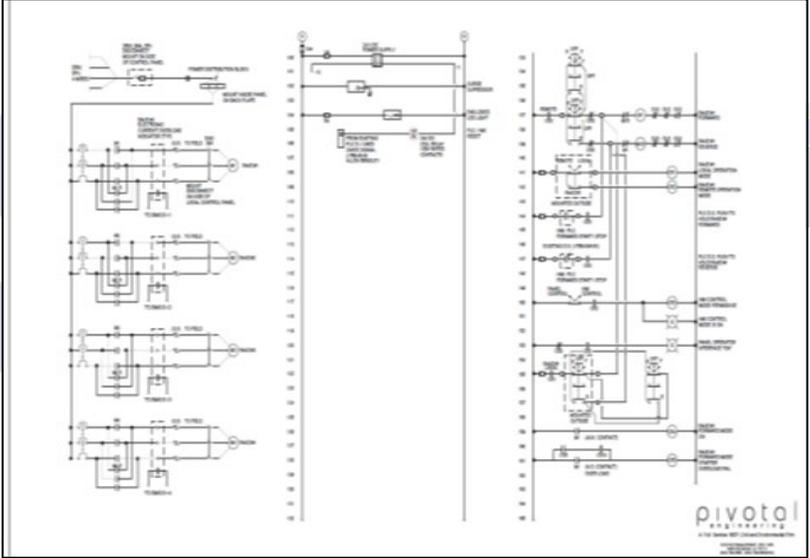
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**PROJECT NO. 4**

<b>Project Name, Location and Owner's contact information:</b>	<b>Nature of Firm's Responsibility:</b>	
<p><b>Westwego No. 1 Pump Station Improvements Jefferson Parish, LA</b></p> <p>Jefferson Parish, Capital Projects 1221 Yenni Building, Suite 906 Jefferson, LA70123 (504) 736-6833</p>	<p>Pivotal Engineering was retained by Jefferson Parish for the Westwego No. 1 Drainage Pump Station project. The scope of worked included the demolition of the old Westwego NO. 1 Pump Station building and installation of a 100 cfs pump and generator at the new Pump Station, including ancillary work.</p> 	
<p><b>Completion Date (Actual or estimated):</b></p>	<b>Estimated Cost:</b>	
	<b>Entire Project:</b>	<b>Work for which Firm was Responsible:</b>
2019	\$285,683.00	\$35,000

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### PROJECT NO. 5

<b>Project Name, Location and Owner's contact information:</b>	<b>Nature of Firm's Responsibility:</b>	
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Hero Pump Station Jefferson Parish, LA</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Jefferson Parish 15045 River Rd Hahnville, LA 70057 (985) 783-5110</p>	<p>Pivotal was retained by Jefferson Parish for the Hero Pump Station project to improve the electrical systems and its components. Pivotal was responsible for adding power and controls for (4) new trash rakes.</p> <div style="text-align: center; border: 1px solid black; padding: 10px; margin: 10px 0;">  </div>	
<b>Completion Date (Actual or estimated):</b>	<b>Estimated Cost:</b>	
	<b>Entire Project:</b>	<b>Work for which Firm was Responsible:</b>
2020	\$283,720	\$28,000

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<b>PROJECT NO. 6</b>		
<b>Project Name, Location and Owner's contact information:</b>	<b>Nature of Firm's Responsibility:</b>	
<p><b>N. Arnoult Drainage Pump Station Improvements</b>  <b>Jefferson Parish, LA</b></p> <p>Jefferson Parish, Capital Projects                      1221 Yenni Building, Suite 906                      Jefferson, LA70123                      (504) 736-6833</p>	<p>Pivotal is retained by Jefferson Parish for design and construction management of N. Arnoult Drainage Pump Station Improvements. The scope of the project includes the demolishing of existing building, replacing 2 existing vertical turbine pumps with 2 new 25 HP pumps, replacing existing pump control with VFD, ATS and associated electrical upgrades, SCADA, and replacing 100KW diesel generator with sound enclosures and fuel tank.</p> 	
<b>Completion Date (Actual or estimated):</b>	<b>Estimated Cost:</b>	
	<b>Entire Project:</b>	<b>Work for which Firm was Responsible:</b>
TBD	\$841,800	\$257,590

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<b>PROJECT NO. 7</b>		
<b>Project Name, Location and Owner's contact information:</b>	<b>Nature of Firm's Responsibility:</b>	
<p><b>Bonnabel Canal Improvements Jefferson Parish, LA</b></p> <p>Angela DeSoto, Director Jefferson Parish Engineering Department 1221 Elmwood Pkwy., Suite 802 Jefferson, LA 70123 (504) 736-6000</p>	<p>Pivotal was retained by Jefferson Parish for a design and construction administration of Bonnabel Canal Improvement.</p> <p>The major scope of the improvement will include the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The project consists of 4500 ft of sheet pile system to stabilize 35 ft wide by 15ft deep drainage canal in 3 phases:               <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Ph. I – Veterans Blvd. to the Pomona St. Bridge</li> <li>b) Ph. II - Pomona St. Bridge to the Nero St. Bridge</li> <li>c) Ph. III – Nero St. Bridge to W. Esplanade Ave.</li> </ol> </li> <li>2. Design includes slope paving to top of bank and fill/regrading of the canal bank</li> <li>3. Design of the slope paving should be to match the one ft lower than the high-water line</li> <li>4. Design included sheet pile geotechnical review and structural design.</li> <li>5. Design included yard drains to be connected back to the canal through the slope paving.</li> </ol>	
		
<b>Completion Date (Actual or estimated):</b>	<b>Estimated Cost:</b>	
	<b>Entire Project:</b>	<b>Work for which Firm was Responsible:</b>
2024	\$8.9 million	\$8.9 million

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<b>PROJECT NO. 8</b>		
<b>Project Name, Location and Owner's contact information:</b>	<b>Nature of Firm's Responsibility:</b>	
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Wright Road Improvements New Orleans, LA</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">City of New Orleans 1300 Perdido St., Room 6W03 New Orleans, LA 70112 Nguyen Phan (504) 658-8000</p>	<p>Pivotal personnel are retained by the City of New Orleans for the design of Wright Road located in New Orleans East. The project entails the design of a new roadway section, subsurface sewer, water and drainage facilities, the relocation of conflicting utilities, as well as the development of specifications and construction oversight. Pivotal engineering staff have also been required to provide public coordination, agency approvals, oversee contractor compliance, and represent the Owner at various public meetings.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Review the required topographical survey of existing site conditions prior to start of design phase.</li> <li>Design new drainage network for 10 years return period.</li> <li>Design new gravity sewer collection system to replace existing system that had been in service for more than 40 years.</li> <li>Design new water main and located it on the median.</li> <li>Design new street for tie-in to side streets.</li> <li>Coordinate all efforts with various private &amp; public utility companies, state &amp; local agencies, as well as civic &amp; community organizations.</li> </ul> <div style="text-align: center; margin-top: 20px;">  </div>	
<b>Completion Date (Actual or estimated):</b>	<b>Estimated Cost:</b>	
	<b>Entire Project:</b>	<b>Work for which Firm was Responsible:</b>
2022	\$9M	\$9M

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<b>PROJECT NO. 9</b>		
<b>Project Name, Location and Owner's contact information:</b>	<b>Nature of Firm's Responsibility:</b>	
<p><b>14th Street Drainage Improvements Jefferson Parish, LA</b></p> <p>Jefferson Parish, Capital Projects Director 1221 Elmwood Park Blvd., Suite 906 Jefferson, LA 70123 (504) 736-6833</p>	<p>Pivotal was retained by Jefferson Parish to provide preliminary and final design phase services for construction plan preparation and construction administration. The major scope of the improvement will include the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. As requested by the parish the project scope will extend a 36" down Avenue D to Leo Street as shown in sketch attached. The 36" will tie into the already proposed line to be installed on 14th. We have also added 2-24" to connect Avenue C to 14th street for future continuation. (See Attachment C for the schematic locations of the new drainage system)</li> <li>2. All catch basins to be replaced</li> <li>3. Existing drain line is off of street and new line will be placed off of street</li> <li>4. No lateral pipes Crossing Street on Avenue D.</li> <li>5. Utility conflicts will be addressed. Engineer will contact private companies for their utility locations.</li> </ol>	
<b>Completion Date (Actual or estimated):</b>	<b>Estimated Cost:</b>	
	<b>Entire Project:</b>	<b>Work for which Firm was Responsible:</b>
2020	\$1.6M	\$ 1.6 M

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<b>PROJECT NO. 10</b>		
<b>Project Name, Location and Owner's contact information:</b>	<b>Nature of Firm's Responsibility:</b>	
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>France Rd. North Paving &amp; Drainage Improvements, New Orleans, LA</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Port of New Orleans 1350 Port of New Orleans Place New Orleans, LA 70130 504-528-2551</p>	<p>Pivotal performed design &amp; construction administration services for France Rd. The project included 1.5 miles of full roadway reconstruction design. The scope of this project is to remove and replace roadway &amp; drainage improvements.</p> <p>The execution and delivery of this project demonstrates that Pivotal engineer's expertise on the following required criteria of specialized experience and technical competence:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Louisiana Standards for Roads &amp; Bridges</li> <li>FHWA, AASHTO, ADA and other Federal, States, &amp; Local Public Works requirements</li> <li>Performance history, competency, responsiveness, cost control, work quality and the ability to meet schedules and deadlines.</li> </ul>	
		
<b>Completion Date (Actual or estimated):</b>	<b>Estimated Cost:</b>	
	<b>Entire Project:</b>	<b>Work for which Firm was Responsible:</b>
2020	\$114,000	\$114,000

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**M. List all prior and/or on-going litigation between Firm and Jefferson Parish. Please attach additional pages if necessary.**

Parties:		Status/Result of Case:
Plaintiff:	Defendant:	
1. N/A	N/A	There are no prior/on-going litigations between Pivotal Engineering, LLC & Jefferson Parish.
2.		
3.		
4.		

**N. Use this space to provide any additional information or description of resources supporting Firm's qualifications for the proposed project.**

**PIVOTAL ENGINEERING, LLC**

**Pivotal Engineering, LLC** is a full-service engineering design firm based in New Orleans, Louisiana. Pivotal has established a reputation for providing superior service to its clients and delivering quality work on time and within budget. Pivotal's principals and staff have in excess of 200 years of combined experience in civil engineering, mechanical engineering, electrical engineering, environmental engineering and program/project management for both public and private entities across the Gulf South Region. The current staff of Pivotal has extensive experience managing a variety of complex projects, from conception to construction.

Pivotal is a certified Small Business Enterprise with both the Small Business Administration and City of New Orleans. Furthermore, Pivotal has been certified as a Disadvantaged Business Enterprise by the City of New Orleans, Sewerage and Water Board of New Orleans, the New Orleans Aviation Board and Harrah's Casino. Pivotal Engineering is also certified by the Louisiana Department of Economic Development as a Small Entrepreneurship SE (Hudson Initiative) firm.

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### Required Personnel/Required Firm Qualifications

The person or firm submitting a Statement of Qualifications shall have the following minimum qualifications:

**1. one principal who is a professional engineer who shall be registered as such in Louisiana**

Avinash Mehta, PE  
LA PE # 35100 Civil Engineering

**2. a professional in charge of the project who is a professional engineer who shall be registered as such in Louisiana with a minimum of five (5) years' experience in the disciplines involved**

Avinash Mehta, PE  
LA PE # 35100 Civil Engineering

**3. one employee who is a professional engineer registered as such in Louisiana in the field or fields of expertise required for the project (A sub-consultant may meet the requirement only if the advertised project involves more than one discipline.)**

Yoseph Shifare, PE, PTOE, PMP  
LA PE# 42747 Civil Engineering

### Evaluation Criteria

**1) Professional training and experience in relation to the type of work required for the engineering services**

Pivotal Engineering, LLC has decades of experience assisting communities, agencies, and private entities in meeting their stormwater needs on small- and large-scale projects. We provide traditional services such as evaluation, design, and construction of drainage infrastructure, but are also at the forefront of our industry in offering state-of-the art services such as digital data collection/management and incorporating green practices/low impact development into our designs. With the expertise of more than 40 professionals, hydrologists, permitting specialists and other personnels, we provide a full range of in-house stormwater capabilities, including:

- Pipeline, culvert, and channel analysis
- Treatment system and drainage pump station installation/replacement/rehabilitation design
- Structural Best Management Practices
- Hydraulic modeling
- Permitting and public bidding
- Construction administration/resident representation
- Rain gardens, green practices, and Low Impact Development (LID)
- Retention/detention basins

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- Stormwater recovery and reuse
- Grant identification and writing, management, reporting

Our water resources engineers have accumulated many years of experience in drainage investigations, drainage design, stormwater management design, Best Management Practices (BMP) assessments and improvements and design to achieve Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL) goals. We are thoroughly familiar with stormwater management regulations in the regions we serve.

The Pivotal Engineering staff members that will be assigned to this project also have extensive, and specialized experience in Design Engineering and Construction Management of numerous pump stations. Pivotal Engineering engineers evaluates, designs, commissions and provide value-engineers' solutions for new, rehabilitation and upgrade pump station projects. Our experience encompasses pump stations ranging from 5 to 500 CFS for stormwater, raw water, treated water and wastewater facilities. It includes surge control systems, compressed air systems, valves, piping and vibration control. In fact, our projects involve practically all types of pumping conditions, pumping equipment, piping size and material, control schemes and power sources. We see pump stations as whole systems. Combining mechanical specifications, controls logic, and hydraulic and transient analyses, our system-wide approach focuses on achieving reliable, efficient, long-life and easy-to-maintain operation.

Pivotal has established a reputation for providing superior service to its clients and delivering quality work on time and within budget. Pivotal's principals and staff have in excess of 200 years of combined experience in architectural, civil, mechanical, electrical, structural, environmental engineering, construction management, construction inspection and program /project management for both public and private entities across the Gulf South Region. Our Principals and Staff have gained this experience not only through many years of providing services to this variety of clients on a very diverse portfolio of projects, but also through focused continuing education. Pivotal Engineering's principals and staff have all been given accolades on their technical competence and knowledge of administering the contract plans and specifications per agency policy and procedure.

**Pivotal's pump station design services include but not limited to;**

<b>PUMP SELECTION</b>
<b>TRANSIENT ANALYSIS EVALUATION</b>
<b>INTAKE AND SUCTION SIDE HYDRAULIC DESIGN</b>
<b>SYSTEM CONTROLS INCLUDING PUMP CONTROL VALVES</b>
<b>POWER SUPPLY AND ELECTRICAL DESIGN</b>

We evaluate and design facilities using any type of pumping: horizontal end suction and horizontal split-case; vertical centrifugal, vertical diffusion vane, submersible vertical turbine, and inclined submersible turbines; and submersible sewage pumps. Our expertise includes all pump layout and selection factors: net positive suction head available; operating head range versus rated capacity; variable and/or constant speed pumps; footprint/space restrictions; site layout; and transient controls. Our expertise includes automatic pump bypass facilities, control valves, surge anticipation/relief valves and hydropneumatics surge tanks

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To ensure best suction side hydraulics, we design per Hydraulic Institute (HI) standards and perform thorough analysis through CFD modeling and/or physical modeling to confirm flow into each pump is uniform and free of vortices. Pivotal has provided condition assessments of existing equipment by evaluating machine vibration at various pumping conditions, and providing detailed technical recommendations to improve pump station reliability. Our expertise includes evaluating pumping systems for hydraulic performance with in-site testing of the units in the field and preparing detailed reports for reliability-centered maintenance. System Controls Providing expertise in the planning and design of complex water distribution control systems, we help clients select the best alternative for real-time monitoring, communications, security and issue mitigation. As part of the Pump Station designs, we select control valves to ease pump operation, lower costs, and provide high-confidence reliability based on owner objectives. To ensure Power Supply and Electrical Design Supporting continuous pumping operation, we deliver power system reliability and redundancy calculations. Our experience includes pumping units powered by engine drives and electrical motors using across-the-line starters, soft-starters and adjustable frequency drives. We have successfully designed and commissioned several types of pump speed controls using liquid rheostats, adjustable frequency drives, electromagnetic eddy current drives, etc. based on owner's choice. Following Hydraulic Institute guidelines while drawing on our extensive pump station experience, we analyze each component of the system. Built on operations, energy, maintenance and asset-replacement data, our analysis provides accurate cost-estimates and minimizes life-cycle costs.

Pivotal Engineering is currently providing these engineering and construction management services to many municipalities and state agencies in the region including The City of New Orleans, Jefferson Parish, The City of Shreveport, The City of Kenner, St. Charles Parish, and St. John Parish. These services have also been provided to private clients such as Entergy, Waste Management, and private developers. Pivotal Engineering has in depth understanding of local, state, and federal governmental agencies procedures and regulations

Our management team is comprised of experienced managers and task leaders with proven leadership, thoughtfully bringing together capable team members with exceptional technical skills, and supporting them with good QA/QC processes. Open lines of communication and weekly internal conference calls will ensure that the project is managed successfully, within budget and schedule.

Our Team is committed to defining the project and setting expectations as our first step toward making that project a success. We as a team will apply various techniques for project estimation and cost control including:

- Set Expectations Early, Review Often
- Planning the Project Budget
- Keeping Track of Costs
- Establishing a Communication Plan
- Effective Time Management
- Project Change Control
- Use of Earned Value to Monitor Both Cost and Schedule

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Our integrated team will provide an optimized concurrent engineering environment that provides an opportunity to substantially reduce the total cost of a project. Benefits of our integrated team with members of various skilled disciplines enable a simultaneous contribution to an early project definition and increase the likelihood of a reduced lifecycle cost by avoiding costly alterations later in the design process.

**Just to summarize, Pivotal Engineering is competent in all aspects of Drainage and Stormwater Management Design services, including but not limited to:**

Hydrologic/Hydraulic Studies	Erosion/Sediment Control
Flood Plain Analysis	Structural Best Management Practices
Drainage Design	Utilizing Low Impact Development Techniques
Stormwater Management	Stormwater Infrastructure Improvement Plans

### **2) Size of firm, considering the number of professional and support personnel required to perform the type of engineering tasks**

The Pivotal staff includes over 40 professionals driven to excellence and focused on our client's needs. We are made up of 9 Louisiana Licensed Professional Engineers, 7 Engineering Interns, 5 Program and Grant Management personnel, 10 Construction Inspectors, and 1 Licensed Architect. Our staff also includes program managers, CADD technicians, grant specialist, field monitors and administrative support staff, all of which provides years of experience to help ensure that our work is exceptional.

Pivotal not only presents the number of professional and support personnel available to perform this type of engineering tasks, but also demonstrates the breadth and diversity of the capabilities of the staff. Beyond this diversity of capabilities, Pivotal Engineering's Environmental, Planning, Design and Inspection staff has combined experience of greater than 200 years of experience in all phases of project delivery, including electrical, civil, mechanical, environmental, planning, management, design, and construction supervision experience. Professional qualifications include city, state, and federal certifications in safety, management, and a list of other certifications. The Pivotal drafting team is well versed in a variety of software including CIVIL 3D, HEC RAS, H2O MAP and Arc GIS. We ask that you note the resumes included herein for further information.

### **3) Capacity for timely completion of newly assigned work, considering the factors of type of engineering task, current unfinished workload, and person or firm's available professional and support personnel**

The Team at Pivotal has the needed technical personnel to assure Jefferson Parish that all work will be performed in accordance to the contract scope of work and in strict conformance with the latest Codes, guidelines and standards. Pivotal Engineering has a depth of technical capabilities and expertise to complete the assigned work in a timely manner. Pivotal staff has a reputation of project delivery both on time and

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within budget. Pivotal Engineering's current workload will allow for quick assignment of technical resources to the project at hand. The firm has the required management and field personnel readily available to begin the necessary services upon written notification.

Previously, Pivotal has provided a direct line of communication to anyone who is a representative of the client to the assigned Project Principal and Manager. It has been our goal to make communication a priority. We've provided cell lines as the first line of communication, followed by e-mail transmissions and office lines as last resorts. We do not let calls or e-mails go unanswered more than 24-hours and with this have seen huge success as it relates to our client's reliance on us as their consultant of choice.

### Approach to Agency Coordination:

The Pivotal Team will identify responsible agencies as early as practical. The Team will notify the Jefferson Parish and address technically any issues of concern regarding the project's scope, potential infrastructure, environmental, social, or economic impacts that could substantially delay or prevent an agency from granting a permit or other approval that is needed for the project. The team will assure that agencies are fully engaged in the scoping of the project and the decisions regarding alternatives to be evaluated in detail in the design.

The Team understands an agency's role in the development of the project and may include the following as they relate to areas of expertise:

- Provide meaningful and early input to address concerns and impacts.
- Identify issues that could substantially delay or prevent granting of permits/approvals.
- Identify opportunities for collaboration, including participating in coordination meetings and joint field reviews, as appropriate.
- Provide timely compliance with review and comment on preliminary documents to reflect the views and concerns of their respective agencies, alternatives considered and anticipated impacts and mitigation.

### Approach To Coordinating Project Delivery Tasks:

The Team will use an Integrated Project Delivery (IPD) approach that integrates staff, systems, team company's structures and professional practices into a process that collaboratively harnesses the talents and insights of all participants to optimize project results, increase value to the owner, to the community, reduce waste, and maximize efficiency through all phases of design, bid, and construction.

The Integrated Project Delivery is assembling a team that is committed to collaborative processes and is capable of working together effectively. In order to accomplish this, Principal project manager will:

- Identify the Team's roles that are most important to the project.
- Consider interests and seek involvement of select additional parties, such as agency official(s), local utility companies, and other stakeholders.
- Define in a mutually understandable fashion the values, goals, interests and objectives of the project to the larger program goals.
- Identify the Team's organizational and business structure best suited to IPD that is consistent with the Team's capacity and constraints. The choice should not be rigidly bound to traditional project delivery methods, but should be flexibly adapted to the project.
- Develop project agreement(s) to define the roles and accountability of the Team members. The

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project agreements should be synchronized to assure that company's roles and responsibilities are defined identically in all agreements and are consistent with the agreed Team organizational and business models. Key provisions regarding compensation, obligation and risk allocation will be clearly defined and should encourage open communication and collaboration.

#### **4) Past Performance by person or firm on Parish contracts**

Pivotal Engineering has a history of providing lift station design, facility and building design, wastewater, street, water, and drainage design and construction administration services to many municipalities and state agencies in the region including; The City of New Orleans, The City of Shreveport, Sewerage and Water Board, The City of Kenner, St. Charles Parish, St. John Parish and Jefferson Parish. These services have also been provided to private clients such as Entergy and Waste Management. Pivotal Engineering has in depth understanding of local, state, and federal governmental agencies procedures and regulations. The scope of work on which our staff has worked on includes: water treatment plant improvements, master planning, elevated storage tank designs, sewer treatment plant upgrades, lift stations, build/repair streets, sidewalks, bike paths, drainage systems and utilities. Our engineers have great track records with helping our clients meet compressed deadlines yet delivering the project within budget. Pivotal personnel have heavy construction background capabilities and have several construction inspectors with extensive experience on board.

Our staff has proven excellence in managing projects from cradle to grave while providing value engineering which saved our clients hundreds of thousands of dollars. Our staff was essential in helping the city of New Orleans expediting its recovery post Katrina by handling and completing over 50 critical FEMA funded projects. Our staff has extensive experience in managing multi-million-dollar projects and programs for public infrastructure and CDBG disaster recovery.

The following is a brief list of the team's relevant experience on the past projects performed for the parish:

- **Westwego No.1 Pump Station Improvements, Jefferson Parish, LA**
- **Labarre Road Railroad Crossing Drainage Improvements, Jefferson Parish, LA**
- **Pritchard Road Extension, Jefferson Parish, LA**
- **Bonnabel Canal Improvements, Jefferson Parish, LA**
- **N. Arnoult Drainage Pump Station Improvements, Jefferson Parish, LA**
- **Planters Pump Station Improvements, Jefferson Parish, LA**
- **Hero Pump Station; Jefferson Parish, LA**
- **Des Allemandes, Pump Station, Jefferson Parish, LA**
- **Evaluation & Design of Drainage Pump Stations at various locations in Jefferson Parish, LA**
- **14<sup>th</sup> Street Drainage Improvements, Jefferson Parish, LA**

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### **5) Location of the principal office**

Pivotal Engineering, LLC has an office located in Jefferson Parish at 3925 N. I-10 Service Rd. West, Suite 109R, Metairie, LA 70002. This shall prove to be a valuable asset to Jefferson Parish as our staff can be at the Parish's office at moment's notice to attend critical meetings.

### **6) Adversarial legal proceedings between the Parish and the person or firm performing professional services, in which the Parish prevailed, or any ongoing adversarial legal proceedings between the Parish and the person or firm performing professional services, excluding those instances or cases where the person or firm was added as an indispensable party, or where the person or firm participated in or assisted the public entity in prosecution of its claim**

Pivotal Engineering, LLC is not, nor has it ever been, involved in any litigation with the Jefferson Parish or any other Parish/State/Federal agencies.

### **7) Prior successful completion of projects of the type and nature of the engineering services, as defined, for which firm has provided verifiable references**

- Nguyen Phan, P.E., Chief Engineer City of New Orleans DPW. (504) 658-8000, [nphan@nola.gov](mailto:nphan@nola.gov)
- Khalid L. Saleh, Ph.D., Senior Design Engineer, City Of New Orleans DPW, (504) 658-8208, [ksaleh@nola.gov](mailto:ksaleh@nola.gov)
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- Neil Schneider, CCM, P.E. Director of Capital Projects, Jefferson Parish Department of Capital Projects (504) 736-6833, [nschneider@jeffparish.net](mailto:nschneider@jeffparish.net)
- Mike Lockwood, Director of Sewerage, Jefferson Parish Department of Sewer (504) 736-6661, [mlockwood@jeffparish.net](mailto:mlockwood@jeffparish.net)
- Mark Drewes, PE; Director of Public Works, Jefferson parish, Department of Public Works, (504) 736-6783, [mdrewes@jeffparish.net](mailto:mdrewes@jeffparish.net)
- Angela DeSoto, PE; Director of Engineering; Jefferson Parish, Department of Engineering, (504) 736-6500, [adesoto@jeffparish.net](mailto:adesoto@jeffparish.net)
- Myra Alexis-Valentine, Grants Administer, St. John Parish, (985) 652-9569, [m.alexisv@stjohn-la.gov](mailto:m.alexisv@stjohn-la.gov)
- Jean Todd, Contracting Officer, US Army Corps of Engineers, (901) 828 – 1503, [jean.f.todd@usace.army.mil](mailto:jean.f.todd@usace.army.mil)
- Wes Wyche; Director of Public Works; City of Shreveport; (318) 673-6000, [Wes.Wyche@shreveportla.gov](mailto:Wes.Wyche@shreveportla.gov)
- Christopher Racca; Environmental Protection Manager; Waste Management; (225) 637-2385, [cracca@wm.com](mailto:cracca@wm.com)

### **Quality Assurance / Quality Control Plan**

Our management team is comprised of experienced managers and task leaders with proven leadership who can thoughtfully bring together capable team members with exceptional technical skills, and support them with good QA/QC processes. Open lines of communication and weekly internal conference calls will ensure that the project is managed successfully within budget and schedule.

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Pivotal maintains a comprehensive program to ensure that our projects bring the most value to our clients and are of high quality. Each Pivotal project has a comprehensive QA/QC plan to make sure our procedures and documentation conforms to our corporate policies and our client's requirements. QA/QC is much more than providing reviews and checking computations. Quality is a mindset that is shared by every member of the Pivotal team. It starts by clearly understanding expectations and making a commitment to meet them every day and with every deliverable. Each project review also includes some elements of internal value engineering. Our senior staff focuses not only on accuracy and completeness, but on value, optimization, simplicity, operations, maintenance, power cost, and constructability.

Our principals and staff have gained this experience not only through many years of providing services to this variety of clients on a very diverse portfolio of projects, but also through focused continuing education. Pivotal Engineering's principals and staff have all been given accolades on their technical competence and knowledge of administering the contract plans and specifications per agency policy and procedure.

Pivotal believes that quality products and services result from having sound business practices, retaining talented staff, and focusing on being responsive to our client's needs. Our clients respect us for our philosophy of "doing the right things for the right reasons."

Quality is integrated into Pivotal's day-to-day business activities through our Quality Management System (QMS). The programs, policies, and business processes that comprise the QMS have four key elements:

- Focus – Management actively promotes quality in our business activities and defines responsibilities for maintaining a quality focus.
- Service – Staff members are trained, available, and committed to providing quality services.
- Delivery – Processes and procedures are in place that promotes quality in the delivery of our products and services.
- Improvement – Continual improvement is achieved through performance measurement and identification of areas for improvement.

Pivotal's senior management demonstrates its commitment to quality through establishing responsibilities for quality at all levels of the company, from company principals to members of management to the project team. Responsibilities are documented in Pivotal's QA/QC Program procedures. These procedures define how Pivotal delivers products and services to our clients.

### ***Experience in creating and working with multi-disciplinary project delivery team:***

Pivotal Engineering's management team is comprised of experienced managers and task leaders with proven leadership, thoughtfully bringing together capable team members with exceptional technical skills, and supporting them with good QA/QC processes. Open lines of communication and weekly internal conference calls will ensure that the project is managed successfully, within budget and schedule. Pivotal's approach to the assigned project includes integrated and comprehensive engineering services that include facility inventories, development of design criteria, assessment of major engineering components, preparation of specifications, and plans and associated construction cost.

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**O. To the best of my knowledge, the foregoing is an accurate statement of facts.**

**Signature:**  **Print Name: Avinash Mehta,**

**Title: Principal-In-Charge PE Date: 06/21/2024**

## Section Two

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### TEC Form for BFM Corporation

## TEC Professional Services Questionnaire

**A. Project Name and Advertisement Resolution Number:**

Provision of Routine Engineering Services for

### Drainage Projects in Jefferson Parish

SOQ **24-015** | Resolution No. **144202**

**B. Firm Name & Address:**



### BFM Corporation, LLC

15 Veterans Memorial Boulevard | Kenner LA 70062

**C. Name, title, and contact information of Principal, as defined in Section 2-926 of the Jefferson Parish Code of Ordinances, who is a registered, licensed architect, professional engineer, or surveyor in the State of Louisiana:**

**Ralph P. Fontcuberta, Jr., PLS, Executive Vice President**

504-468-8800 | 504-468-8800 cell | ralph@bfmcorporation.com

Registered Professional Land Surveyor (**Louisiana No. 4329; since 1974**)

**D. Name and contact information of employee who is a registered and licensed architect, professional engineer, or surveyor in the State of Louisiana in the applicable discipline. A subcontractor may be substituted here only if the advertised Project requires more than one discipline:**

**Ralph P. Fontcuberta, Jr., PLS, Executive Vice President**

504-468-8800 | 504-468-8800 cell | ralph@bfmcorporation.com

Registered Professional Land Surveyor (**Louisiana No. 4329; since 1974**)

**E. Please provide the number of employees whose primary function corresponds with each category:**

<u>4</u> Administrative	<u>        </u> Estimators	<u>        </u> Specification Writers
<u>        </u> Architects (Licensed)	<u>        </u> Geologists	<u>        </u> Structural Engineers
<u>        </u> Chemical Engineers	<u>1</u> Geotechnical Engineers	<u>        </u> Graduate Engineers
<u>        </u> Civil Engineers	<u>        </u> Interior Designers	<u>2</u> Project Managers
<u>        </u> Construction Inspectors	<u>        </u> Landscape Architects	<u>        </u> Clerical ( <i>see Administrative</i> )
<u>        </u> Ecologists	<u>1</u> Land Surveyor ( <i>Apprentice</i> )	<u>        </u> Grant/Funding Specialist
<u>        </u> Electrical Engineers	<u>        </u> Mechanical Engineers	<u>        </u> Sanitary Engineers
<u>        </u> Engineer Intern	<u>        </u> Environmental Engineers	<u>1</u> <i>Researcher/Archivist</i>
<u>2</u> Professional Land Surveyors		<u>3</u> <i>CADD Technicians</i>
		<u>6</u> <i>Survey Crew Chief</i>
		<u>6</u> <i>Survey Crew Instrumentman</i>
		<u>26</u> <b>TOTAL</b>

**F. Is this submittal by a JOINT-VENTURE? Please check: YES          NO X**

**If marked "no", skip to Section I. If marked "yes", complete Sections G-H.**

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<p><b>G. If submittal is by JOINT-VENTURE, list the firms participating and outline specific areas of responsibility (including administrative, technical, and financial) for each firm. Please attach additional pages if necessary.</b></p>		
<p>1. N/A</p>		
<p>2.</p>		
<p><b>H. Has this JOINT-VENTURE previously worked together? Please check:</b>                  YES _____ NO _____ N/A</p>		
<p><b>I. List all subcontractors anticipated for this Project. Please note that all subcontractors must submit a fully completed copy of this questionnaire, applicable licenses, and any other information required by the advertisement. See Jefferson Parish Code of Ordinances, Sec. 2-928(a)(3). Please attach additional pages if necessary.</b></p>		
<p><b>Name &amp; Address:</b></p>	<p><b>Specialty:</b></p>	<p><b>Worked with Firm Before (Yes or No):</b></p>
<p>1. N/A</p>		
<p>2.</p>		
<p>3.</p>		
<p><b>J. Please specify the total number of support personnel that may assist in the completion of the Project:</b>                  _____ <b>26</b> _____ (all personnel will be available for assignment to the project)</p>		



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Other experience and qualifications: **Ralph P. Fontcuberta, Jr., PLS (continued)**

Dept. of Transportation & Development (LADOTD), MS Dept. of Transportation (MDOT), and others), Federal agencies (U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE), Dept. of the Navy, etc.), private/public companies (Entergy, BellSouth, Cox Cable, etc.), and numerous other public/private entities.

**Mr. Fontcuberta's surveying experience with Jefferson Parish can be traced back to BFM's inception in 1982, and to 1967 then while working as a surveyor with another firm.** He has over half a century of experience with surveying throughout the region and specifically with Jefferson Parish. He has served as the PLS for projects throughout every corner of Jefferson Parish. Relevant project history includes, but is certainly not limited to, the following:

- Lafitte Drainage Project, Town of Jean Lafitte, Jefferson Parish, LA
- Central Avenue Roadway Drainage & Water Main Improvements, Jefferson Parish, LA
- Orange Lane Drainage Pump Station Project (Drainage Mapping), Grand Isle, Jefferson Parish, LA
- Mounes Street Subsurface Drainage (Phase IV, Dickory Avenue to Elmwood Park Boulevard), Jefferson Parish, LA
- Coventry Drainage Pump Stations, River Ridge, Jefferson Parish, LA
- Metairie Road Drainage Evaluation, Metairie, Jefferson Parish, LA
- Bissonet Plaza Drainage Improvements (Phase 1, Elmwood Parkway and Craig Avenue), Metairie, Jefferson Parish, LA
- North Arnoult Drainage Pump Station Improvements, Jefferson Parish, LA
- Avenue D Drainage Improvements (Phase VIII: Allo Street), Metairie, Jefferson Parish, LA
- Westwego Drainage Pump Station No. 1, Jefferson Parish, LA
- Bayou Segnette Drainage Pump Station No. 1 Survey Verification, Jefferson Parish, LA
- West Bank Expressway, Phase I Drainage Map, from Peters Road to Manhattan Boulevard, Jefferson Parish, LA
- Paillet - Maplewood Drainage Improvements, Jefferson Parish, LA
- Jack & Bores Survey (Drainage Project), Waggaman, Jefferson Parish, LA
- Taft Park Pump Station and Drain Line Path, Jefferson Parish, LA
- Mazoue Ditch Improvements, Phase I, Jefferson Parish, LA
- Emergency Generators at 13 Pump Station Sites, Jefferson Parish, LA
- Oakwood/Terrytown Drainage Improvements, Jefferson Parish, LA
- Massachusetts Avenue Drainage Improvements, Jefferson Parish, LA
- Orleans Village Subdivision Drainage Improvements, Jefferson Parish, LA
- Morton & Ingrid Pump Station, Jefferson Parish, LA
- Hoey's Canal Drainage Improvements (Deckbar Ave to Labarre Rd), Jefferson Parish, LA
- Drainage Pump Station, Veterans North & South, Right-of-Way, 17th Street Canal, Jefferson Parish, LA
- Mounes Subsurface Drainage - Phase I, Jefferson Parish, LA
- Marlin Court Drainage Project, Jefferson Parish, LA

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Other experience and qualifications: **Ralph P. Fontcuberta, Jr., PLS (continued)**

- Woodland West Drainage Improvements - Phase 2A, Vulcan Dr & Telestar St, Jefferson Parish, LA
- Sub-Basin 3 Proposed Improvements (Meadow St & Myrtle St), Bunche Village, Jefferson Parish, LA
- Avenue D Drainage Improvements, Jefferson Parish, LA
- Oakwood Terrytown Drainage Improvements (HMGP) (Carol Sue Drainage Improvements), Jefferson Parish, LA
- Taft Park Pump Station and Drain Line Path, Jefferson Parish, LA
- Maplewood & Paillet HMGP Project, West Bank Subsurface Drainage Improvement Program Phase II, Jefferson Parish, LA
- Hillings Ditch/Drolla/Suave Road Drainage Improvements, Jefferson Parish, LA
- Route Topographic (including Lift Station/Force Main) Surveying Services, Jefferson Parish, LA
- Paillet Pump Station Access Road and Drainage Improvements, Jefferson Parish, LA
- Westgate Subdivision Subsurface Drainage Improvements, Jefferson Parish, LA
- Canal No. 17 Bank Stabilization Phase II, Jefferson Parish, LA
- Clearview Drainage Pump Station and St. Peter's Ditch, Jefferson Parish, LA
- Johnson Street Drainage Improvements (Phases I & II), Jefferson Parish, LA
- Hero Pump Station, Harvey, Jefferson Parish, LA
- West Bank Subsurface Drainage Improvement Project, Phase II, Bellemeade Boulevard to the Violet Canal Discharge, Jefferson Parish, LA
- Hilling Ditch Drainage Improvements, Jefferson Parish, LA
- Upper Kraak Pump Station, Jefferson Parish, LA
- Mason Ditch Drainage Improvements, Jefferson Parish, LA
- Hurricane Gustav Drainage Canal Repairs, East Bank, Jefferson Parish, LA
- Bannerwood Drainage Improvements, Jefferson Parish, LA
- Improvements to Bayou Segnette Drainage Pump Station No. 1, Jefferson Parish, LA
- Sena Drive Subsurface Drainage Improvements, Jefferson Parish, LA
- Drainage Improvements to the Canal No. 2 Culvert Crossing at California Avenue, Jefferson Parish, LA
- Kawanee Drive Drainage Improvements, Jefferson Parish, LA
- Mazoue Ditch Drainage Improvements Phase IV, Jefferson Parish, LA
- Goose Bayou Drainage Pump Station, Lafitte, Jefferson Parish, LA
- Fulton Street Pump Station, Jefferson Parish, LA
- Parish Line Pump Station (Pump Station No. 5), Jefferson Parish, LA
- Mazoue Ditch Drainage Improvements (Rose Crest Lane to Darby Lane), Jefferson Parish, LA
- Breaux Ditch Improvements, East Ames Boulevard - Leo Kenner Parkway, Jefferson Parish, LA
- Manson Ditch (ICRR Ditch) Survey, Jefferson Parish, LA

## TEC Professional Services Questionnaire

<b>KEY PERSON, SPECIALIST, OR INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANT:</b>
<b>Name &amp; Title:</b>
<b>Chad M. Poché, P.E.</b> Executive Vice President / Registered Professional Geotechnical Engineer
<b>Project Assignment:</b>
Engineering Liaison
<b>Name of Firm with which associated:</b>
 <b>BFM CORPORATION, LLC</b> Professional Land & Hydrographic Surveying
<b>Years' experience with this Firm:</b>
7 years (became partial owner of BFM in 2017); <span style="float: right;"><i>BFM Corporation, LLC   2017 to present</i></span> 31 years total (1993) <span style="float: right;"><i>Gulf South Engineering and Testing, Inc.   2011 to present</i></span> <span style="float: right;"><i>Ardaman and Associates, Inc.   2007 to 2011</i></span> <span style="float: right;"><i>Eustis Engineering   1996 to 2001</i></span> <span style="float: right;"><i>Soil Testing Engineers, Inc.   1993 to 1996</i></span>
<b>Education: Degree(s)/Year/Specialization:</b>
M.S., 1998, Civil Engineering, University of New Orleans B.S., 1993, Civil Engineering, Louisiana State University
<b>Active Registration: Year first registered/discipline:</b>
1998, Civil Engineer (Louisiana No. 27667) 2002, Civil Engineer (Mississippi No. 15405)
<b>Other experience and qualifications relevant to the proposed Project:</b>
<p>Chad M. Poché, P.E. is an Executive Vice President with (and partial owner of) BFM Corporation, LLC, and a co-founder of BFM's sister company, Gulf South Engineering and Testing, Inc. He has been a consulting geotechnical engineer for nearly 30 years in South Louisiana, working on traditional and unique geotechnical engineering projects (shallow and deep foundation design, slope stability, pavement design, etc.). Mr. Poché has also provided construction oversight for waste facilities and virtually every type of earthwork related project. He has been the geotechnical engineer of record for thousands of projects throughout his career.</p> <p>Mr. Poché's experience includes the development of appropriate scopes of work and proposals for a broad range of projects; planning and coordinating analyses; preparing technical reports; foundation and geotechnical engineering design; construction recommendations; Miss. River facility permitting; managing personnel and office operations, and; serving as an Expert Witness. Mr. Poché has logged soil borings; overseen the installation of ground water monitoring wells, piezometers, and inclinometers; overseen and evaluated pile load tests; overseen, performed, and evaluated dynamic pile testing (PDA and PIT); performed CMT field testing and inspection; and performed laboratory testing.</p>

## TEC Professional Services Questionnaire

Other experience and qualifications: **Chad M. Poché, P.E. (continued)**

**Coventry Drainage Pump Stations, River Ridge, Jefferson Parish, LA.** BFM Corporation provided a Route Topographic Survey with Hydrographic Survey for the project, located in River Ridge, Louisiana. The levee and hydrographic survey area was noted as 400 feet wide (200 ft. in either direction of the extended centerline of Colonial Heights Road). The hydrographic survey extended 500 feet into the river from the water's edge. The full scope of the project also included research of public land records; location of property corners; establishing a baseline along the rear property line and; establishing Temporary Benchmarks. Existing improvements were located, as well as visible above ground utilities and those underground utilities with visible surface evidence. The survey further determined the depth, size, and type of pipes within surface observable drainage, sewerage, and water structures as established above. Trees were also located. Spot elevations were taken at 50-foot intervals within the Limits of Survey. (\$89,780 (fee); 2020)

**Orange Lane Pump Station Project, Grand Isle, Jefferson Parish, LA.** The project consists of a new storm water pumping station on the intersection of Orange Lane at Orleans Avenue in Grand Isle, Louisiana. The scope of services includes obtaining topographical survey information and the preparation of a drainage map for the project. Phase 1 of the project involved the topographic and right of way surveying services; BFM conducted a site topographic survey at the proposed lift station site and provided boundary surveying to determine rights of way. Phase 2 of the project established the Drainage Map. BFM located all drainage structures within the Limits of Survey; this included ditches, culverts, drain inlets, and catch basins. A drone survey was executed to gather a 25 ft elevation grid throughout the project area. (\$32,280 (fee); 2020)

**Mounes Street Subsurface Drainage (Phase IV, Dickory Avenue to Elmwood Park Boulevard), Jefferson Parish, LA.** BFM provided topographic surveying services for Phase IV of the project, part of a multiphase program to improve drainage issues on Mounes Street. Phase IV of the project involved a topographic survey of the project, extending from Dickory Avenue to Elmwood Park Boulevard. Services provided by BFM included establishment of a baseline, setting temporary benchmarks (TBMs), elevation surveys, locating improvements and utilities as well as natural elements, and right-of-way surveying. (\$23,540 (fee); 2017)

**Metairie Road Drainage Evaluation, Metairie, Jefferson Parish, LA.** BFM Corporation provided Route Topographic Surveying for this Drainage Evaluation Project (PW 2018-024-DR) in Jefferson Parish. The scope of services included a full Route Topographic Survey (includes all services, utilities, properties, elevations and items necessary to perform any and all engineering and construction work) from gutter line to gutter line along Metairie Road from the westerly apparent right-of-way (ROW) of Causeway Boulevard to easterly apparent R/W of Focis Street. The project encompassed approximately 10,400 linear feet, with cross-sections and elevations surveyed included as part of the scope. (\$18,350 (fee); 2020)

**Avenue D Drainage Improvements (Phase VIII: Allo Street), Metairie, Jefferson Parish, LA.** BFM Corporation executed a Route Topographic Survey for the Allo Street project area, which extended from 4th Street to 6th Street. A baseline was established along the centerline of Allo Street, with Temporary Benchmarks at each intersection along the route. Cross sections taken on a 25 ft. grid. Existing improvements were located within the designated Limits of Survey, as were visible above-ground and underground utilities, piping, and natural features including trees and shrubbery. (\$12,855 (fee); 2019)

## TEC Professional Services Questionnaire

### KEY PERSON, SPECIALIST, OR INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANT:

**Name & Title:**

**Gary J. Lambert, Jr., PLS**  
Vice President / Registered Professional Land Surveyor

**Project Assignment:**

Project Manager/Drafting Supervisor

**Name of Firm with which associated:**

**BFM CORPORATION, LLC**  
Professional Land & Hydrographic Surveying

**Years' experience with this Firm:**

6 years (joined BFM in 2018);  
13 years total (2011)

*BFM Corporation, LLC | 2018 to present*  
*Riverlands Surveying | 2016 to 2018*  
*Bertucci Contracting | 2011 to 2016*

**Education: Degree(s)/Year/Specialization:**

B.S., 2018, Geomatics, Nicholls State University  
B.S., 2014, Construction Management, Louisiana State University

**Active Registration: Year first registered/discipline:**

2021, Professional Land Surveyor (Louisiana No. 5929)

**Other experience and qualifications relevant to the proposed Project:**

Gary J. Lambert, Jr., is a registered Professional Land Surveyor in Louisiana and provides Project Management and Drafting Oversight for BFM Corporation. He is the first point of contact for clients on technical matters, scheduling, and deliverables for project work, and conducts meetings with engineering, architectural, and government officials to discuss various project needs. His project work has encompassed all manner of surveying services, from basic home lots to 100+ acre tract boundary surveys.

In the field, Mr. Lambert has provided services as a Survey Crew Chief, using both traditional and robotic surveying methods, since the start of his professional career, and has experience with Leica, Hypack, AutoCAD, AutoCAD 3D, Trimble, and RTK surveying technologies. He further trains employees in the use of an aerial drone, laser scanner, and remote-controlled hydrographic survey boat. This survey experience includes topographic, boundary, ALTA/NSPS, FEMA, and various construction surveying. Mr. Lambert has also conducted hydrographic surveys in the Mississippi River and various other bodies of water throughout the Gulf Coast area.

Mr. Lambert has completed Basic OSHA Training and holds license with the Gulf Coast Safety Council (08SSV, ID429523).

## TEC Professional Services Questionnaire

Other experience and qualifications: **Gary J. Lambert, Jr., PLS (continued)**

**Westwego Drainage Pump Station No. 1, Jefferson Parish, LA.** BFM Corporation provided services for a Limited Topographic Survey at the project site, Westwego Drainage Pump No. 1. The scope of services first re-established Site Horizontal and Vertical control, as these were established as part of a previous BFM project (BFM No. 9730). Services next included locating existing improvements within the designated Limits of Survey, taking elevations and cross sections, and verification of piping and utilities. (\$4,725 (fee); 2018)

**Lafitte Drainage Project, Town of Jean Lafitte, Jefferson Parish, LA.** BFM Corporation provided Route Topographic Surveying services for a proposed drainage servitude project in the Town of Jean Lafitte in Jefferson Parish, LA. The project built on a previous BFM project (No. 10309). The project also included provision of boundary surveying in order to provide a servitude plat with legal description. The topographic survey element included establishing a baseline along the route, location of existing improvements, location of drainage, sewerage, and water structures, locating trees and drip lines, and taking spot elevations. For the Servitude Survey, BFM located property corners on the affected properties, and adjacent lots, to verify the boundary. Deliverables included a detailed indelible prints and high-resolution PDFs, cross sections & Three-Point TIE worksheet, a metes-and-bounds legal description of the servitude, and AutoCAD drawing files in DWG format. (\$11,875 (fee); 2022)

**Central Avenue Roadway Drainage & Water Main Improvements, Jefferson Parish, LA.** BFM Corporation provided surveying services for the project; the scope of which consisted of verifying pipe sizes and inverts for drainage structures along the west side (only) of Central Avenue, which was located during a previous BFM project. BFM located any new drainage structures within the previous survey limits and determined the depth, size, and type of pipes within each drainage structure which were shown on the previous survey. This included catch basins, drop inlets, and ditch culvert pipes. Alterations/updates were noted on an updated version of the previous survey. (\$2,850 (fee); 2022)

**Orange Lane Pump Station Project, Grand Isle, Jefferson Parish, LA.** The project consists of a new storm water pumping station on the intersection of Orange Lane at Orleans Avenue in Grand Isle, Louisiana. The scope of services includes obtaining topographical survey information and the preparation of a drainage map for the project. Phase 1 of the project involved the topographic and right of way surveying services; BFM conducted a site topographic survey at the proposed lift station site and provided boundary surveying to determine rights of way. Phase 2 of the project established the Drainage Map. BFM located all drainage structures within the Limits of Survey; this included ditches, culverts, drain inlets, and catch basins. A drone survey was executed to gather a 25 ft elevation grid throughout the project area. (\$32,280 (fee); 2020)

**Metairie Road Drainage Evaluation, Metairie, Jefferson Parish, LA.** BFM Corporation provided Route Topographic Surveying for this Drainage Evaluation Project (PW 2018-024-DR) in Jefferson Parish. The scope of services included a full Route Topographic Survey (includes all services, utilities, properties, elevations and items necessary to perform any and all engineering and construction work) from gutter line to gutter line along Metairie Road from the westerly apparent right-of-way (ROW) of Causeway Boulevard to easterly apparent R/W of Focis Street. The project encompassed approximately 10,400 linear feet, with cross-sections and elevations surveyed included as part of the scope. (\$18,350 (fee); 2020)

## TEC Professional Services Questionnaire

### KEY PERSON, SPECIALIST, OR INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANT:

**Name & Title:**

**Christopher Lemley**  
Field Operations Manager/Survey Crew Chief

**Project Assignment:**

Field Operations Manager/Survey Crew Chief

**Name of Firm with which associated:**

**BFM CORPORATION, LLC**  
Professional Land & Hydrographic Surveying

**Years' experience with this Firm:**

10 years (joined BFM in 2014); *BFM Corporation, LLC | 2014 to present*  
18 years total (2006) *G.E.C., Inc. | 2010 to 2014*  
*Krebs, LaSalle, LeMieux Consultants, Inc. | 2006 to 2010*

**Education: Degree(s)/Year/Specialization:**

*High School Diploma*

**Active Registration: Year first registered/discipline:**

*American Traffic Safety Service Assn. – Traffic Flagger*  
*Louisiana Boater Education - Boating Safety Certificate*  
*Norfolk Southern Roadway Worker Protection Contractor Safety Certificate*

**Other experience and qualifications relevant to the proposed Project:**

Chris Lemley's services as BFM's Field Operations Manager includes overseeing all field work and activity by company personnel. His surveying experience includes over 8 years as a Survey Crew Chief. His survey software experience includes projects involving Trimble, Topcon, Leica, and Hypack, and has maintained and operated GPS, Auto-Level, and Total Station. Notable past project work has included the New Orleans Museum of Art, Jackson Barracks Restoration, US Highway 11, NASA Michoud Cells 3 & 4, the St. Bernard Lot Next Door Program, and multiple Orleans Parish School Recovery projects (including L.B. Landry, George Washington Carver, and Alice M. Harte schools).

**Metairie Road Drainage Evaluation, Metairie, Jefferson Parish, LA.** BFM Corporation provided Route Topographic Surveying for this Drainage Evaluation Project (PW 2018-024-DR) in Jefferson Parish. The scope of services included a full Route Topographic Survey (includes all services, utilities, properties, elevations and items necessary to perform any and all engineering and construction work) from gutter line to gutter line along Metairie Road from the westerly apparent right-of-way (ROW) of Causeway Boulevard to easterly apparent R/W of Focis Street. The project encompassed approximately 10,400 linear feet, with cross-sections and elevations surveyed included as part of the scope. (\$18,350 (fee); 2020)

## TEC Professional Services Questionnaire

Other experience and qualifications: **Christopher Lemley (continued)**

**Mounes Street Subsurface Drainage (Phase IV, Dickory Avenue to Elmwood Park Boulevard), Jefferson Parish, LA.** BFM provided topographic surveying services for Phase IV of the project, part of a multiphase program to improve drainage issues on Mounes Street. Phase IV of the project involved a topographic survey of the project, extending from Dickory Avenue to Elmwood Park Boulevard. Services provided by BFM included establishment of a baseline, setting temporary benchmarks (TBMs), elevation surveys, locating improvements and utilities as well as natural elements, and right-of-way surveying. (\$23,540 (fee); 2017)

**Westwego Drainage Pump Station No. 1, Jefferson Parish, LA.** BFM Corporation provided services for a Limited Topographic Survey at the project site, Westwego Drainage Pump No. 1. The scope of services first re-established Site Horizontal and Vertical control, as these were established as part of a previous BFM project (BFM No. 9730). Services next included locating existing improvements within the designated Limits of Survey, taking elevations and cross sections, and verification of piping and utilities. (\$4,725 (fee); 2018)

**Fulton Street Pump Station, Jefferson Parish, LA.** BFM Corporation provided boundary with topographic survey for the Fulton Street Pump Station project. The scope of services included establishing horizontal control, setting Temporary Benchmarks, and plotting the location of improvements & topographic elements (man-made and natural). BFM also determined the depth, size, and type of pipes within surface observable drainage, sewerage, and water structures as established. For the topographic survey, spot elevations did not exceed a 25-foot grid within the Limits of Survey and included bottom of canal elevations along adjacent wall. (\$11,890 (fee); 2017)

**Bayou Segnette Drainage Pump Station No. 1 Survey Verification, Jefferson Parish, LA.** BFM Corporation provided surveying services to verify horizontal and vertical control for the project site; an extension of a previous BFM project (#9303) where the firm provided topographic surveying services. Full documentation for the horizontal and vertical values of the control points established was provided. (\$550 (fee); 2020)

**Central Avenue Roadway Drainage & Water Main Improvements, Jefferson Parish, LA.** BFM Corporation provided surveying services for the project; the scope of which consisted of verifying pipe sizes and inverts for drainage structures along the west side (only) of Central Avenue, which was located during a previous BFM project. BFM located any new drainage structures within the previous survey limits and determined the depth, size, and type of pipes within each drainage structure which were shown on the previous survey. This included catch basins, drop inlets, and ditch culvert pipes. Alterations/updates were noted on an updated version of the previous survey. (\$2,850 (fee); 2022)

**Goose Bayou Drainage Pump Station, Lafitte, Jefferson Parish, LA.** BFM Corporation provided boundary and topographic surveying services for the project. The scope of services included obtaining available title data, supplemented with courthouse research. BFM located property corners to establish rights-of-way, setting a closed traverse around the site, establishing Temporary Benchmarks (TBM), taking elevations, and plotting the location of improvements and topographic features, both natural and man-made. The scope of services included producing cross sections and plotting spot elevations on paving or other hard surfaces. (\$11,905 (fee); 2016)

## TEC Professional Services Questionnaire

### KEY PERSON, SPECIALIST, OR INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANT:

Name & Title:

**John Philip Thayer**  
Procurement Director (Proposals & Project Management Support)

Project Assignment:

Project Management Support

Name of Firm with which associated:

**BFM CORPORATION, LLC**  
Professional Land & Hydrographic Surveying

Years' experience with this Firm:

16 years (joined BFM in 2008); *BFM Corporation, LLC | 2008 to present*  
17 years total (2007) *Delle Land Surveying | 2007 to 2008*

Education: Degree(s)/Year/Specialization:

Certificate, 2015, Land Surveying Services  
B.S., 2007, Physical Education, Trevecca Nazarene University

Active Registration: Year first registered/discipline:

N/A

Other experience and qualifications relevant to the proposed Project:

Phil Thayer serves as BFM's Procurement Director, providing proposal preparation and Project Management Support, having considerable experience in field surveying services, including ALTA/as-built surveying, construction layout, boundary, topographic, cross-sections, GPS use, and numerous other surveying types.

**Mounes Subsurface Drainage – Phase I, Jefferson Parish, LA.** BFM provided all requested topographic surveying services for Phase I of the Mounes Subsurface Drainage project, which extended from Dickory to Elmwood Park Boulevard). (\$26,240 (fee); 2017)

**Drainage Pump Station, Veterans North & South, Right-of-Way, 17th Street Canal, Jefferson Parish, LA.** BFM prepared a topographic survey (with right of way & underground utilities locations) for this proposed pump station project. (\$26,540 (fee); 2014)

**Goose Bayou Drainage Pump Station, Lafitte, Jefferson Parish, LA.** BFM Corporation provided boundary and topographic surveying services for the project. The scope of services included obtaining available title data, supplemented with courthouse research. BFM located property corners to establish rights-of-way, setting a closed traverse around the site, establishing Temporary Benchmarks (TBM), taking elevations, and plotting the location of improvements and topographic features, both natural and man-made. The scope of services included producing cross sections and plotting spot elevations on paving or other hard surfaces. (\$11,905 (fee); 2016)

## TEC Professional Services Questionnaire

Other experience and qualifications: **John Philip Thayer (continued)**

**Fulton Street Pump Station, Jefferson Parish, LA.** BFM Corporation provided boundary with topographic survey for the Fulton Street Pump Station project. The scope of services included establishing horizontal control, setting Temporary Benchmarks, and plotting the location of improvements & topographic elements (man-made and natural). BFM also determined the depth, size, and type of pipes within surface observable drainage, sewerage, and water structures as established. For the topographic survey, spot elevations did not exceed a 25-foot grid within the Limits of Survey and included bottom of canal elevations along adjacent wall. (\$11,890 (fee); 2017)

**Avenue D Drainage Improvements (Phase VIII: Allo Street), Metairie, Jefferson Parish, LA.** BFM Corporation executed a Route Topographic Survey for the Allo Street project area, which extended from 4th Street to 6th Street. A baseline was established along the centerline of Allo Street, with Temporary Benchmarks at each intersection along the route. Cross sections taken on a 25 ft. grid. Existing improvements were located within the designated Limits of Survey, as were visible above-ground and underground utilities, piping, and natural features including trees and shrubbery. (\$12,855 (fee); 2019)

**Westwego Drainage Pump Station No. 1, Jefferson Parish, LA.** BFM Corporation provided services for a Limited Topographic Survey at the project site, Westwego Drainage Pump No. 1. The scope of services first re-established Site Horizontal and Vertical control, as these were established as part of a previous BFM project (BFM No. 9730). Services next included locating existing improvements within the designated Limits of Survey, taking elevations and cross sections, and verification of piping and utilities. (\$4,725 (fee); 2018)

**Morton & Ingrid Pump Station, Jefferson Parish, LA.** BFM executed a topographic survey, beginning at the Morton & Ingrid Pump Station, with said survey running along Morton Street to Elizabeth Street then continuing along Elizabeth Street towards West Napoleon Avenue and ending at the Elizabeth Street Pump Station. (\$27,500 (fee); 2012)

**Oakwood Terrytown Drainage Improvements (HMGP) (Carol Sue Drainage Improvements), Jefferson Parish, LA.** BFM provided topographic surveying services for the project. (JP PW 200-062-DR) (\$23,581 (fee); 2011)

**West Bank Subsurface Drainage Improvement Project, Phase II, Bellemeade Boulevard to the Violet Canal Discharge, Jefferson Parish, LA.** BFM provided topographic surveying for the project, which encompassed Bellemeade Boulevard from Briargrove to Brookmeade and Brookmeade from Bellemeade to the Violet Canal Discharge. (\$16,108 (fee); 2010)

**Sena Drive Subsurface Drainage Improvements, Jefferson Parish, LA.** BFM provided topographic surveying services for the Sena Drive Subsurface Drainage Improvements project, which extended along Sena Drive from West Esplanade Avenue (Canal No. 2) to Nero Street. (\$13,364 (fee); 2010)

**Massachusetts Avenue Drainage Improvements, Jefferson Parish, LA.** BFM provided topographic surveying services for the project, which extended from W Napoleon Avenue to Veterans Memorial Boulevard. (\$28,515 (fee); 2009)

## TEC Professional Services Questionnaire

KEY PERSON, SPECIALIST, OR INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANT:	
<b>Name &amp; Title:</b>	
<b>Dawn Hoffman</b> Researcher/Archivist	
<b>Project Assignment:</b>	
Researcher/Archivist	
<b>Name of Firm with which associated:</b>	
 Professional Land & Hydrographic Surveying	
<b>Years' experience with this Firm:</b>	
15 years (joined BFM in 2009); 27 years total (1997)	<i>BFM Corporation, LLC   2009 to present</i> <i>Fluor Corporation   2007 to 2009</i> <i>Geographic Computer Technologies, LLC   2000 to 2007</i>
<b>Education: Degree(s)/Year/Specialization:</b>	
A.D., 1999, Computer-Aided Drafting, Southeast College of Technology Certificate, 2003, Introduction to ArcGIS, Louisiana State University	
<b>Active Registration: Year first registered/discipline:</b>	
N/A	
<b>Other experience and qualifications relevant to the proposed Project:</b>	
<p>Dawn Hoffman serves as BFM's primary researcher and has more than 25 years of experience in this field. She is extremely knowledgeable with researching in various parishes and cities.</p> <p><b>Fulton Street Pump Station, Jefferson Parish, LA.</b> BFM Corporation provided boundary with topographic survey for the Fulton Street Pump Station project. The scope of services included establishing horizontal control, setting Temporary Benchmarks, and plotting the location of improvements &amp; topographic elements (man-made and natural). BFM also determined the depth, size, and type of pipes within surface observable drainage, sewerage, and water structures as established. For the topographic survey, spot elevations did not exceed a 25-foot grid within the Limits of Survey and included bottom of canal elevations along adjacent wall. (\$11,890 (fee); 2017)</p> <p><b>Central Avenue Roadway Drainage &amp; Water Main Improvements, Jefferson Parish, LA.</b> BFM Corporation provided surveying services for the project; the scope of which consisted of verifying pipe sizes and inverts for drainage structures along the west side (only) of Central Avenue, which was located during a previous BFM project. BFM located any new drainage structures within the previous survey limits and determined the depth, size, and type of pipes within each drainage structure which were shown on the previous survey. This included catch basins, drop inlets, and ditch culvert pipes. Alterations/updates were noted on an updated version of the previous survey. (\$2,850 (fee); 2022)</p>	

## TEC Professional Services Questionnaire

Other experience and qualifications: **Dawn Hoffman (continued)**

**Goose Bayou Drainage Pump Station, Lafitte, Jefferson Parish, LA.** BFM Corporation provided boundary and topographic surveying services for the project. The scope of services included obtaining available title data, supplemented with courthouse research. BFM located property corners to establish rights-of-way, setting a closed traverse around the site, establishing Temporary Benchmarks (TBM), taking elevations, and plotting the location of improvements and topographic features, both natural and man-made. The scope of services included producing cross sections and plotting spot elevations on paving or other hard surfaces. (\$11,905 (fee); 2016)

**Mounes Street Subsurface Drainage (Phase IV, Dickory Avenue to Elmwood Park Boulevard), Jefferson Parish, LA.** BFM provided topographic surveying services for Phase IV of the project, part of a multiphase program to improve drainage issues on Mounes Street. Phase IV of the project involved a topographic survey of the project, extending from Dickory Avenue to Elmwood Park Boulevard. Services provided by BFM included establishment of a baseline, setting temporary benchmarks (TBMs), elevation surveys, locating improvements and utilities as well as natural elements, and right-of-way surveying. (\$23,540 (fee); 2017)

**Lafitte Drainage Project, Town of Jean Lafitte, Jefferson Parish, LA.** BFM Corporation provided Route Topographic Surveying services for a proposed drainage servitude project in the Town of Jean Lafitte in Jefferson Parish, LA. The project built on a previous BFM project (No. 10309). The project also included provision of boundary surveying in order to provide a servitude plat with legal description. The topographic survey element included establishing a baseline along the route, location of existing improvements, location of drainage, sewerage, and water structures, locating trees and drip lines, and taking spot elevations. For the Servitude Survey, BFM located property corners on the affected properties, and adjacent lots, to verify the boundary. Deliverables included a detailed indelible prints and high-resolution PDFs, cross sections & Three-Point TIE worksheet, a metes-and-bounds legal description of the servitude, and AutoCAD drawing files in DWG format. (\$11,875 (fee); 2022)

**Orange Lane Pump Station Project, Grand Isle, Jefferson Parish, LA.** The project consists of a new storm water pumping station on the intersection of Orange Lane at Orleans Avenue in Grand Isle, Louisiana. The scope of services includes obtaining topographical survey information and the preparation of a drainage map for the project. Phase 1 of the project involved the topographic and right of way surveying services; BFM conducted a site topographic survey at the proposed lift station site and provided boundary surveying to determine rights of way. Phase 2 of the project established the Drainage Map. BFM located all drainage structures within the Limits of Survey; this included ditches, culverts, drain inlets, and catch basins. A drone survey was executed to gather a 25 ft elevation grid throughout the project area. (\$32,280 (fee); 2020)

**Bayou Segnette Drainage Pump Station No. 1 Survey Verification, Jefferson Parish, LA.** BFM Corporation provided surveying services to verify horizontal and vertical control for the project site; an extension of a previous BFM project (#9303) where the firm provided topographic surveying services. Full documentation for the horizontal and vertical values of the control points established was provided. (\$550 (fee); 2020)

## TEC Professional Services Questionnaire

<b>KEY PERSON, SPECIALIST, OR INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANT:</b>	
<b>Name &amp; Title:</b>	
<p><b>Anthony Watson</b> CADD Technician (AutoCADD Drafting Services)</p>	
<b>Project Assignment:</b>	
CADD Technician (AutoCADD Drafting Services)	
<b>Name of Firm with which associated:</b>	
	
<b>Years' experience with this Firm:</b>	
<p>13 years (joined BFM in 2011); 33 years total (1991)</p>	<p><i>BFM Corporation, LLC   2011 to present</i> <i>Krebs LaSalle Lemieux / GEC   2008 to 2011</i> <i>Doug Connally and Associates Land Surveying (Dallas, TX)   1995-2008</i> <i>Electrician   1991 to 1995</i> <i>City of Plano TX (Part-Time Drafting Services)   1991</i></p>
<b>Education: Degree(s)/Year/Specialization:</b>	
Coursework - CAD, Avatech Solutions, Los Colinas, TX	
<b>Active Registration: Year first registered/discipline:</b>	
N/A	
<b>Other experience and qualifications relevant to the proposed Project:</b>	
<p>Anthony Watson has experience as a draftsman/survey technician, having started his career as an intern with the Surveying Department of the City of Plano, Texas. His experience through the years includes manual and computer-aided drafting for a wide range of projects, ranging from small lot surveys to subdivisions to municipal treatment and private industrial plants. He has experience in all facets of surveying (boundary, topographic, ALTA/ACSM, plan &amp; profile, etc.) in both drafting and field environments.</p> <p><b>Avenue D Drainage Improvements (Phase VIII: Allo Street), Metairie, Jefferson Parish, LA.</b> BFM Corporation executed a Route Topographic Survey for the Allo Street project area, which extended from 4th Street to 6th Street. A baseline was established along the centerline of Allo Street, with Temporary Benchmarks at each intersection along the route. Cross sections taken on a 25 ft. grid. Existing improvements were located within the designated Limits of Survey, as were visible above-ground and underground utilities, piping, and natural features including trees and shrubbery. (\$12,855 (fee); 2019)</p> <p><b>Orange Lane Pump Station Project, Grand Isle, Jefferson Parish, LA.</b> The project consists of a new storm water pumping station on the intersection of Orange Lane at Orleans Avenue in Grand Isle, Louisiana. The scope of services includes obtaining topographical survey information and the preparation of a drainage map for the project. Phase 1 of the project involved the topographic</p>	

## TEC Professional Services Questionnaire

Other experience and qualifications: **Anthony Watson (continued)**

and right of way surveying services; BFM conducted a site topographic survey at the proposed lift station site and provided boundary surveying to determine rights of way. Phase 2 of the project established the Drainage Map. BFM located all drainage structures within the Limits of Survey; this included ditches, culverts, drain inlets, and catch basins. A drone survey was executed to gather a 25 ft elevation grid throughout the project area. (\$32,280 (fee); 2020)

**Bissonet Plaza Drainage Improvements (Phase 1), Metairie, Jefferson Parish, LA.** BFM prepared a Route Topographic Survey for Phase 1 of the project, located at Elmwood Parkway and Craig Avenue. This project built upon work executed by the firm for a previous extensive surveying project involving Bissonet Plaza subdivision; this allowed for BFM to build upon established surveys to save time and expenses. Surveying for each element of the project included services included confirming all controls and benchmarks, topographic features, location of improvements and utilities, location of natural elements as applicable, and notation of right-of-way points. (\$7,980 (fee); 2020)

**Goose Bayou Drainage Pump Station, Lafitte, Jefferson Parish, LA.** BFM Corporation provided boundary and topographic surveying services for the project. The scope of services included obtaining available title data, supplemented with courthouse research. BFM located property corners to establish rights-of-way, setting a closed traverse around the site, establishing Temporary Benchmarks (TBM), taking elevations, and plotting the location of improvements and topographic features, both natural and man-made. The scope of services included producing cross sections and plotting spot elevations on paving or other hard surfaces. (\$11,905 (fee); 2016)

**Mounes Street Subsurface Drainage (Phase IV, Dickory Avenue to Elmwood Park Boulevard), Jefferson Parish, LA.** BFM provided topographic surveying services for Phase IV of the project, part of a multiphase program to improve drainage issues on Mounes Street. Phase IV of the project involved a topographic survey of the project, extending from Dickory Avenue to Elmwood Park Boulevard. Services provided by BFM included establishment of a baseline, setting temporary benchmarks (TBMs), elevation surveys, locating improvements and utilities as well as natural elements, and right-of-way surveying. (\$23,540 (fee); 2017)

**North Arnoult Drainage Pump Station Improvements, Jefferson Parish, LA.** Project involved a boundary with topographic survey, establishing a baseline parallel to the right-of-way. Points of intersection set were referenced by 3-point ties to topographic features in the area. Two temporary benchmarks were established. Existing improvements were located, including utilities, piping, and natural elements. Building corners within the limits of survey were also located, as were property corners in order to determine the rights-of-way and property boundary limits. (\$6,870 (fee); 2019)

**Fulton Street Pump Station, Jefferson Parish, LA.** BFM Corporation provided boundary with topographic survey for the Fulton Street Pump Station project. The scope of services included establishing horizontal control, setting Temporary Benchmarks, and plotting the location of improvements & topographic elements (man-made and natural). BFM also determined the depth, size, and type of pipes within surface observable drainage, sewerage, and water structures as established. For the topographic survey, spot elevations did not exceed a 25-foot grid within the Limits of Survey and included bottom of canal elevations along adjacent wall. (\$11,890 (fee); 2017)

## TEC Professional Services Questionnaire

KEY PERSON, SPECIALIST, OR INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANT:	
<b>Name &amp; Title:</b>	
<b>Curtis "Jay" Barrios</b> Survey Crew Chief	
<b>Project Assignment:</b>	
Survey Crew Chief	
<b>Name of Firm with which associated:</b>	
 Professional Land & Hydrographic Surveying	
<b>Years' experience with this Firm:</b>	
34 years (joined BFM in 1990); 39 years total (1985)	<i>BFM Corporation, LLC   1990 to present</i> <i>Benson Mercedes Benz   1989 to 1990</i> <i>SECO Electric   1987</i> <i>Frishhertz Electric   1986 to 1987</i> <i>Plain Construction   1985 to 1986</i>
<b>Education: Degree(s)/Year/Specialization:</b>	
<i>High School Diploma</i>	
<b>Active Registration: Year first registered/discipline:</b>	
<i>American Traffic Safety Service Assn. – Traffic Flagger</i> <i>Basic OSHA Training Class Completion</i> <i>Transportation Work Identification Card (TWIC)</i>	
<b>Other experience and qualifications relevant to the proposed Project:</b>	
<p>Jay Barrios' surveying experience includes boundary, hydrographic, and topographic. He has been the Survey Crew Chief for thousands of projects and is one of the more experienced surveyors in the area. Further, Mr. Barrios has been involved on major transmission projects for Entergy and South Central Bell (AT&amp;T).</p> <p><b>Coventry Drainage Pump Stations, River Ridge, Jefferson Parish, LA.</b> BFM Corporation provided a Route Topographic Survey with Hydrographic Survey for the project, located in River Ridge, Louisiana. The levee and hydrographic survey area was noted as 400 feet wide (200 ft. in either direction of the extended centerline of Colonial Heights Road). The hydrographic survey extended 500 feet into the river from the water's edge. The full scope of the project also included research of public land records; location of property corners; establishing a baseline along the rear property line and; establishing Temporary Benchmarks. Existing improvements were located, as well as visible above ground utilities and those underground utilities with visible surface evidence. The survey further determined the depth, size, and type of pipes within surface observable drainage, sewerage, and water structures as established above. Trees were also located. Spot elevations were taken at 50-foot intervals within the Limits of Survey. (\$89,780 (fee); 2020)</p>	

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Other experience and qualifications: **Curtis "Jay" Barrios (continued)**

**Central Avenue Roadway Drainage & Water Main Improvements, Jefferson Parish, LA.** BFM Corporation provided surveying services for the project; the scope of which consisted of verifying pipe sizes and inverts for drainage structures along the west side (only) of Central Avenue, which was located during a previous BFM project. BFM located any new drainage structures within the previous survey limits and determined the depth, size, and type of pipes within each drainage structure which were shown on the previous survey. This included catch basins, drop inlets, and ditch culvert pipes. Alterations/updates were noted on an updated version of the previous survey. (\$2,850 (fee); 2022)

**Fulton Street Pump Station, Jefferson Parish, LA.** BFM Corporation provided boundary with topographic survey for the Fulton Street Pump Station project. The scope of services included establishing horizontal control, setting Temporary Benchmarks, and plotting the location of improvements & topographic elements (man-made and natural). BFM also determined the depth, size, and type of pipes within surface observable drainage, sewerage, and water structures as established. For the topographic survey, spot elevations did not exceed a 25-foot grid within the Limits of Survey and included bottom of canal elevations along adjacent wall. (\$11,890 (fee); 2017)

**Goose Bayou Drainage Pump Station, Lafitte, Jefferson Parish, LA.** BFM Corporation provided boundary and topographic surveying services for the project. The scope of services included obtaining available title data, supplemented with courthouse research. BFM located property corners to establish rights-of-way, setting a closed traverse around the site, establishing Temporary Benchmarks (TBM), taking elevations, and plotting the location of improvements and topographic features, both natural and man-made. The scope of services included producing cross sections and plotting spot elevations on paving or other hard surfaces. (\$11,905 (fee); 2016)

**Orange Lane Pump Station Project, Grand Isle, Jefferson Parish, LA.** The project consists of a new storm water pumping station on the intersection of Orange Lane at Orleans Avenue in Grand Isle, Louisiana. The scope of services includes obtaining topographical survey information and the preparation of a drainage map for the project. Phase 1 of the project involved the topographic and right of way surveying services; BFM conducted a site topographic survey at the proposed lift station site and provided boundary surveying to determine rights of way. Phase 2 of the project established the Drainage Map. BFM located all drainage structures within the Limits of Survey; this included ditches, culverts, drain inlets, and catch basins. A drone survey was executed to gather a 25 ft elevation grid throughout the project area. (\$32,280 (fee); 2020)

**Lafitte Drainage Project, Town of Jean Lafitte, Jefferson Parish, LA.** BFM Corporation provided Route Topographic Surveying services for a proposed drainage servitude project in the Town of Jean Lafitte in Jefferson Parish, LA. The project built on a previous BFM project (No. 10309). The project also included provision of boundary surveying in order to provide a servitude plat with legal description. The topographic survey element included establishing a baseline along the route, location of existing improvements, location of drainage, sewerage, and water structures, locating trees and drip lines, and taking spot elevations. For the Servitude Survey, BFM located property corners on the affected properties, and adjacent lots, to verify the boundary. Deliverables included a detailed indelible prints and high-resolution PDFs, cross sections & Three-Point TIE worksheet, a metes-and-bounds legal description of the servitude, and AutoCAD drawing files in DWG format. (\$11,875 (fee); 2022)

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**L. Work by Firm or Joint-Venture members which best illustrates current qualifications relevant to this project. Please include and and all work performed for Jefferson Parish. Please attach additional pages if necessary.**

### PROJECT NO. 1

Project Name, Location, and Owner's contact information:	Nature of Firm's Responsibility:	
<p><b>Lafitte Drainage Project</b>, Town of Jean Lafitte, Jefferson Parish, Louisiana</p> <p><b>Professional Engineering &amp; Environmental Consultants, Inc.</b> 1065 Muller Pkwy Ste B Westwego LA 70094</p> <p><b>Jeffrey P. Meyers, P.E.</b>, 225-268-6925 jeff@peecinc.com</p>	<p>BFM provided Route Topographic Surveying services for a proposed drainage servitude project which built on a previous BFM project (No. 10309). The project also included provision of boundary surveying in order to provide a servitude plat with legal description. The topographic survey element included establishing a baseline along the route, location of existing improvements, location of drainage, sewerage, and water structures, locating trees and drip lines, and taking spot elevations. For the Servitude Survey, BFM located property corners on the affected properties, and adjacent lots, to verify the boundary. Deliverables included a detailed indelible prints and high-resolution PDFs, cross sections &amp; Three-Point TIE worksheet, a metes-and-bounds legal description of the servitude, and AutoCAD drawing files in DWG format.</p>	
Completion Date (Actual or estimated:)	Estimated Cost:	
	Entire Project:	Work for which Firm was Responsible:
July 2022	N/A	\$11,875 (fee)

### PROJECT NO. 2

Project Name, Location, and Owner's contact information:	Nature of Firm's Responsibility:	
<p><b>Central Avenue Roadway Drainage &amp; Water Main Improvements</b>, Jefferson Parish, Louisiana</p> <p><b>Jefferson Parish Department of Capital Projects</b> 1221 Elmwood Park Blvd Ste 906 Jefferson LA 70123</p> <p><b>Neil Schneider</b>, 504-736-6833 nschneider@jeffparish.net</p>	<p>BFM's scope of services consisted of verifying pipe sizes and inverts for drainage structures along the west side (only) of Central Avenue, which was located during a previous BFM project. BFM located any new drainage structures within the previous survey limits and determined the depth, size, and type of pipes within each drainage structure which were shown on the previous survey. This included catch basins, drop inlets, and ditch culvert pipes. Alterations/updates were noted on an updated version of the previous survey.</p>	
Completion Date (Actual or estimated:)	Estimated Cost:	
	Entire Project:	Work for which Firm was Responsible:
April 2023	N/A	\$2,850 (fee)

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<b>PROJECT NO. 3</b>		
<b>Project Name, Location, and Owner's contact information:</b>	<b>Nature of Firm's Responsibility:</b>	
<p><b>Orange Lane Drainage Pump Station Project (Drainage Mapping),</b> Grand Isle, Jefferson Parish, Louisiana</p> <p><b>AIMS Group, Inc.</b> 4421 Zenith Street Metairie LA 70001</p> <p><b>Lowell Pitré, P.E.,</b> 504-887-7045 ljp@aimsgroupinc.com</p>	<p>The project consists of a new storm water pumping station on the intersection of Orange Lane at Orleans Avenue in Grand Isle, Louisiana. The scope of services includes obtaining topographical survey information and the preparation of a drainage map for the project. Phase 1 of the project involved the topographic and right of way surveying services; BFM conducted a site topographic survey at the proposed lift station site and provided boundary surveying to determine rights of way. Phase 2 of the project established the Drainage Map. BFM located all drainage structures within the Limits of Survey; this included ditches, culverts, drain inlets, and catch basins. A drone survey was executed to gather a 25 ft elevation grid throughout the project area.</p>	
<b>Completion Date (Actual or estimated:)</b>	<b>Estimated Cost:</b>	
	<b>Entire Project:</b>	<b>Work for which Firm was Responsible:</b>
August 2020	N/A	\$32,280 (fee)

<b>PROJECT NO. 4</b>		
<b>Project Name, Location, and Owner's contact information:</b>	<b>Nature of Firm's Responsibility:</b>	
<p><b>Mounes Street Subsurface Drainage (Phase IV, Dickory Avenue to Elmwood Park Boulevard),</b> Jefferson Parish, Louisiana</p> <p><b>APTIM</b> 2424 Edenborn Avenue Suite 450 Metairie LA 70001</p> <p><b>Gene S. Gillen, P.E.,</b> 504-832-4881 info@aptim.com</p>	<p>BFM provided topographic surveying services for Phase IV of the project, part of a multiphase program to improve drainage issues on Mounes Street. Phase IV of the project involved a topographic survey of the project, extending from Dickory Avenue to Elmwood Park Boulevard. Services provided by BFM included establishment of a baseline, setting temporary benchmarks (TBMs), elevation surveys, locating improvements and utilities as well as natural elements, and right-of-way surveying.</p>	
<b>Completion Date (Actual or estimated:)</b>	<b>Estimated Cost:</b>	
	<b>Entire Project:</b>	<b>Work for which Firm was Responsible:</b>
December 2017	N/A	\$23,540 (fee)

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<b>PROJECT NO. 5</b>		
<b>Project Name, Location, and Owner's contact information:</b>	<b>Nature of Firm's Responsibility:</b>	
<p><b>Coventry Drainage Pump Stations,</b> River Ridge, Jefferson Parish, Louisiana</p> <p><b>ECM Consultants, Inc.</b> 4409 Utica Street Suite 200 Metairie LA 70006</p> <p><b>Sunina Shrestha, P.E.,</b> 504-885-4080 sshrestha@ecmconsultants.com</p>	<p>BFM provided a Route Topographic Survey with Hydrographic Survey. The levee and hydrographic survey area was noted as 400 feet wide (200 ft. in either direction of the extended centerline of Colonial Heights Rd.). The hydrographic survey extended 500 ft. into the river from the water's edge. The full scope of the project also included research of public land records; location of property corners; establishing a baseline along the rear property line and; establishing Temporary Benchmarks. Existing improvements were located, as well as visible above ground utilities and those underground utilities with visible surface evidence. The survey further determined the depth, size, and type of pipes within surface observable drainage, sewerage, and water structures as established above. Trees were also located. Spot elevations were taken at 50-ft. intervals within the Limits of Survey.</p>	
<b>Completion Date (Actual or estimated:)</b>	<b>Estimated Cost:</b>	
	<b>Entire Project:</b>	<b>Work for which Firm was Responsible:</b>
June 2020	N/A	\$89,780 (fee)

<b>PROJECT NO. 6</b>		
<b>Project Name, Location, and Owner's contact information:</b>	<b>Nature of Firm's Responsibility:</b>	
<p><b>Metairie Road Drainage Evaluation,</b> Metairie, Jefferson Parish, Louisiana</p> <p><b>GEC, Inc.</b> 3445 N Causeway Blvd Ste 401 Metairie LA 70002-3779</p> <p><b>Jerome Lohmann,</b> 504-207-6926 jlohmann@gecinc.com</p>	<p>BFM provided Route Topographic Surveying for this Drainage Evaluation Project (PW 2018-024-DR) in Jefferson Parish. The scope of services included a full Route Topographic Survey (includes all services, utilities, properties, elevations and items necessary to perform any and all engineering and construction work) from gutter line to gutter line along Metairie Road from the westerly apparent right-of-way (ROW) of Causeway Boulevard to easterly apparent R/W of Focis Street. The project encompassed approximately 10,400 linear feet, with cross-sections and elevations surveyed included as part of the scope.</p>	
<b>Completion Date (Actual or estimated:)</b>	<b>Estimated Cost:</b>	
	<b>Entire Project:</b>	<b>Work for which Firm was Responsible:</b>
May 2020	N/A	\$18,350 (fee)

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<b>PROJECT NO. 7</b>		
<b>Project Name, Location, and Owner's contact information:</b>	<b>Nature of Firm's Responsibility:</b>	
<p><b>Bissonet Plaza Drainage Improvements (Phase 1, Elmwood Parkway and Craig Avenue),</b> Metairie, Jefferson Parish, Louisiana</p> <p><b>Meyer Engineers Ltd.</b> 4937 Hearst St. Ste. B Metairie LA 70001</p> <p><b>Ana Theriot, P.E., 504-885-9892</b></p>	<p>BFM prepared a Route Topographic Survey for Phase 1 of the project, located at Elmwood Parkway and Craig Avenue. This project built upon work executed by the firm for a previous extensive surveying project involving Bissonet Plaza subdivision; this allowed for BFM to build upon established surveys to save time and expenses. Surveying for each element of the project included services included confirming all controls and benchmarks, topographic features, location of improvements and utilities, location of natural elements as applicable, and notation of right-of-way points.</p>	
<b>Completion Date (Actual or estimated:)</b>	<b>Estimated Cost:</b>	
	<b>Entire Project:</b>	<b>Work for which Firm was Responsible:</b>
March 2020	N/A	\$7,980 (fee)

<b>PROJECT NO. 8</b>		
<b>Project Name, Location, and Owner's contact information:</b>	<b>Nature of Firm's Responsibility:</b>	
<p><b>North Arnoult Drainage Pump Station Improvements,</b> Jefferson Parish, Louisiana</p> <p><b>Hartman Engineering, Inc.</b> 527 W. Esplanade Ave Suite 300 Kenner LA 70065</p> <p><b>Rolland A. Mura, 504-466-5667</b> rmura@harteng.com</p>	<p>Project involved a boundary with topographic survey, establishing a baseline parallel to the right-of-way. Points of intersection set were referenced by 3-point ties to topographic features in the area. Two temporary benchmarks were established. Existing improvements were located, including utilities, piping, and natural elements. Building corners within the limits of survey were also located, as were property corners in order to determine the rights-of-way and property boundary limits.</p>	
<b>Completion Date (Actual or estimated:)</b>	<b>Estimated Cost:</b>	
	<b>Entire Project:</b>	<b>Work for which Firm was Responsible:</b>
May 2019	N/A	\$6,870 (fee)

## TEC Professional Services Questionnaire

<b>PROJECT NO. 9</b>		
<b>Project Name, Location, and Owner's contact information:</b>	<b>Nature of Firm's Responsibility:</b>	
<p><b>Avenue D Drainage Improvements (Phase VIII: Allo Street)</b>, Metairie, Jefferson Parish, Louisiana</p> <p><b>Hartman Engineering, Inc.</b> 16563 Airline Hwy Ste A&amp;B Prairieville LA 70769</p> <p><b>Jared Monceaux, P.E.</b>, 225-313-4617 jmonceaux@harteng.com</p>	<p>BFM Corporation executed a Route Topographic Survey for the Allo Street project area, which extended from 4th Street to 6th Street. A baseline was established along the centerline of Allo Street, with Temporary Benchmarks at each intersection along the route. Cross sections taken on a 25 ft. grid. Existing improvements were located within the designated Limits of Survey, as were visible above-ground and underground utilities, piping, and natural features including trees and shrubbery.</p>	
<b>Completion Date (Actual or estimated:)</b>	<b>Estimated Cost:</b>	
	<b>Entire Project:</b>	<b>Work for which Firm was Responsible:</b>
April 2019	N/A	\$12,855 (fee)

<b>PROJECT NO. 10</b>		
<b>Project Name, Location, and Owner's contact information:</b>	<b>Nature of Firm's Responsibility:</b>	
<p><b>Westwego Drainage Pump Station No. 1</b>, Jefferson Parish, Louisiana</p> <p><b>Jefferson Parish Department of Drainage</b> 1221 Elmwood Park Blvd Ste 907 Harahan LA 70123</p> <p><b>Ben Lepine</b>, 504-736-6759 blepine@jeffparish.net</p>	<p>BFM Corporation provided services for a Limited Topographic Survey at the project site, Westwego Drainage Pump No. 1. The scope of services first re-established Site Horizontal and Vertical control, as these were established as part of a previous BFM project (BFM No. 9730). Services next included locating existing improvements within the designated Limits of Survey, taking elevations and cross sections, and verification of piping and utilities.</p>	
<b>Completion Date (Actual or estimated:)</b>	<b>Estimated Cost:</b>	
	<b>Entire Project:</b>	<b>Work for which Firm was Responsible:</b>
May 2018	N/A	\$4,725 (fee)

## TEC Professional Services Questionnaire

<b>M. List all prior and/or on-going litigation between Firm and Jefferson Parish. Please attach additional pages if necessary.</b>		
<b>Parties:</b>		<b>Status/Result of Case:</b>
<b>Plaintiff:</b>	<b>Defendant:</b>	
1.	<p><i>BFM Corporation is not currently, nor has it previously been involved, in litigation with Jefferson Parish.</i></p>	
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**N. Use this space to provide any additional information or description of resources supporting Firm’s qualifications for the proposed project.**



**CRITERIA 1 | PROFESSIONAL TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE**

Established in 1982, **BFM Corporation, LLC, Professional Land & Hydrographic Surveying**, provides services to public & private concerns throughout Louisiana and the Gulf South. For over 40 years, BFM has provided surveying services covering all facets of engineering, construction, and forensics; topographic, and hydrographic, as well as drone-based surveying and high-definition laser scanning.

**BFM Corporation is a majority Woman-Owned Business Enterprise (WBE) as well as a Hudson Initiative certified Small & Emerging Business and Small Entrepreneurship in Louisiana.**

Our capabilities include the following and more:

- Topographic Surveying
- Drone Surveying
- Photogrammic & LiDAR and 3D Laser Scanning
- Bathymetric / Hydrographic Surveys
- Property, Boundary, and Right-of-Way Surveys
- Maps, Cross-Sections, & Data Sets; Benchmarks

## TEC Professional Services Questionnaire

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- Construction-Related Surveying and Builder's Package Surveys
- American Land Title Association (ALTA) Surveys

BFM's project work routinely involves **extensive records and related research** as an element of successful completion, as well as coordination with the client, agency or department. BFM has the personnel to make sure this is done correctly and expeditiously.

Our **Survey Field Crews** are equipped with Leica Viva and Leica Captivate Data Collectors, as well as Leica GPS Smart Antennas. Each GPS unit is linked to the Leica SmartNet Network, giving each crew the ability for Real Time Kinematic Positioning (RTK), derived from the Global Navigation Satellite System (GNSS). Furthermore, each crew is outfitted with Leica TS series robotic total stations, simplifying and expediting projects. BFM can also use in-house drones and 3D scanners to further analyze sites and projects. BFM's crews are trained to use this equipment to its full potential to maximize accuracy and efficiency in the field.

BFM offers **Drone Surveying Services**, featuring a DJI Matrice 600 Pro drone outfitted with a Sony A7R3 42-megapixel camera, Pixhawk Triggering System, VMAP PPK system, and an A3 Pro Flight Controller. It can capture 50 acres of land allowing BFM to quickly & accurately capture data and facilitates quicker field work to produce highly accurate and precise surveying information. Deliverables feature Clean Point Cloud, 3D Mesh, Orthomosaic, and AutoCAD DWG Topographic.

BFM's **3D modeling capabilities** allow us to process & model for any design purpose. High-definition scanner data is processed using software from Leica and Autodesk. BFM is working on non-traditional survey deliverables, including virtual tours, live walkthroughs, detailed pipe rack modeling, and modeling for use with Autodesk Revit Architecture.

When needed, BFM provides **bathymetric surveying** to handle **any hydrographic surveying tasks**. For large rivers and bodies of water, we are equipped with Teledyne Odom Hydro Solutions' Hydro Trac Single Beam Echo Sounder. For smaller bodies of water, BFM uses an SL20 Remote Controlled Boat equipped with CEE Scope Dual Channel Echo Sounder. We use Hypack Software to process collected data. Further, BFM can execute multi-beam scans, side scans and magnetometer surveys upon request.

### CRITERIA 2 | SIZE OF FIRM

As noted, BFM has the manpower and equipment to execute any surveying task within the reasonable time set forth by the contract or project engineer. BFM has no issue with meeting the project deadlines set forth by our clients, both municipal and private. It is our continual goal to keep this reputation solid. Further, we establish base costs and fees for our services, and work with our clients to meet all project budgets.

As noted in **item E** of this form, BFM currently has a **full-time staff of two dozen people**, including **two Registered Professional Land Surveyors, Survey Field Crew Personnel, and AutoCAD drafting personnel**, as well as **complete administrative and support staff**.

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### CRITERIA 3 | CAPACITY FOR TIMELY COMPLETION

BFM has the manpower and equipment to execute any surveying task within the reasonable time set forth by a contract or project engineer. It is our goal to keep this reputation solid. We establish base costs and fees for our services, and work with our clients to meet all project budgets. Our workload and scheduling, and proximity to the project site, will allow for quick assignment of personnel to any directed project.

BFM Corporation's **Ralph P. Fontcuberta, Jr., PLS**, Executive Vice President, is a **Louisiana-Registered Professional Land Surveyor (since 1974)** and meets or exceeds any minimum requirements for any surveying project. He has been **providing surveying services in Louisiana for over 50 years** and brings an almost incalculable wealth of experience in the region to any project, especially in Southeast Louisiana.

**Chad M. Poché, P.E.**, Executive Vice President, brings **more than 25 years of experience** to assist in completing projects on time and within budget. He has been a consulting geotechnical engineer for more than 20 years in South Louisiana and has been the geotechnical engineer of record for thousands of projects.

**Gary J. Lambert, Jr., PLS**, Vice President is a **registered Professional Land Surveyor** and provides Project Management & Drafting Oversight and is the first point of contact for clients on technical matters. He meets with engineering, architectural, and government officials to discuss various project needs.

Our personnel included **multiple survey crews** and a **fully-staffed drafting department** to handle any project needs; they are thoroughly trained and extensively familiar with the region and needs of various types of surveying projects.

### CRITERIA 4 | PAST PERFORMANCE ON PARISH CONTRACTS

BFM Corporation has provided **surveying services in Jefferson Parish since 1982**, both **directly to Parish agencies and as a consultant to firms serving the Parish**. The firm has executed many hundreds of projects in the Parish, including both direct Parish projects and State agency projects (CPRA, Louisiana DOTD, etc.), not to mention the scores of surveying projects for private individuals and industry.

As noted, Mr. Fontcuberta has **over half a century of professional land surveying experience**, including over 40 years with BFM. **He has provided professional surveying services for thousands of projects for and throughout Jefferson Parish.**

### CRITERIA 5 | LOCATION OF THE PRINCIPAL OFFICE

**BFM has called Jefferson Parish home office location since the firm's inception in 1982**; our principal office is located in Jefferson Parish at 15 Veterans Memorial Boulevard in Kenner.

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### CRITERIA 6 | LEGAL STATEMENT

BFM Corporation is **not involved in litigation with Jefferson Parish** nor with any of our clients, as is noted in Item M of this form.

### CRITERIA 7 | PRIOR SUCCESSFUL COMPLETION OF PROJECTS

For over 40 years, BFM Corporation has completed thousands of projects throughout Jefferson Parish and Southeast Louisiana, both to municipal and various private clients, similar to the project at hand, not to mention other drainage projects in a wide range of sizes, from small lot to Parish-wide endeavors. **Multiple examples of this work are included throughout this form in both the Personnel Résumés section (Item K) and Representative Project Work (Item L).** Further, BFM has worked with virtually every municipality in the region. We enjoy a high repeat-business rate with all our clients. We offer the following specific references for contact:

**Mark R. Drewes, P.E., Director, Jefferson Parish Public Works Department**  
(504-736-6783 | JPPW@jeffparish.net)

**Neil Schneider, CCM, P.E., Director, Capital Projects, Jefferson Parish Public Works Dept.**  
(504-736-6783 | JPPW@jeffparish.net)

**José A. Gonzales, CAO, City of Kenner**  
(504-468-4090 | jgonzalez@kenner.la.us)

**Angela DeSoto, P.E., Director of Engineering, Jefferson Parish**  
(504-736-6511 | ADeSoto@jeffparish.net)

**Sid Trouard, P.E., Program Manager, Jefferson Parish Sewerage Capital Improvement Program**  
(504-736-6386 | STrouard@jeffparish.net)

**Khalid L. Saleh, PhD, Capital Program Administrator, New Orleans Dept. of Public Works**  
(504-658-8000 | khsaleh@nola.gov)

**Ben Lapine, Acting Director, Department of Drainage, Jefferson Parish**  
(504-736-6661 | JPSewerage@jeffparish.net)

**Greg Cromer, Mayor, City of Slidell**  
(985-646-4333 | gcromer@cityofslidell.org)

Our professional work history is exemplary. We strive to provide on-time and technically thorough project deliverables at the budget set by our clients.

O. To the best of my knowledge, the foregoing is an accurate statement of facts.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name: Chad M. Poché, P.E.

Title: Executive Vice President

Date: June 6, 2024

**Section Three**

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**TEC Form for Gulf South Engineering & Testing Inc.**

## TEC Professional Services Questionnaire

**A. Project Name and Advertisement Resolution Number:**

Provision of Routine Engineering Services for

### **Drainage Projects in Jefferson Parish**

**SOQ 24-015 | Resolution No. 144202**

**B. Firm Name & Address:**



**Gulf South Engineering and Testing, Inc.**

15 Veterans Memorial Boulevard | Kenner LA 70062

**C. Name, title, and contact information of Principal, as defined in Section 2-926 of the Jefferson Parish Code of Ordinances, who is a registered, licensed architect, professional engineer, or surveyor in the State of Louisiana:**

**Chad M. Poché, P.E., Executive Vice President**

504-305-4401 | 504-460-5239 cell | cpoche@gulfsoutheng.com

Registered Professional Civil Engineer (Louisiana No. 27667; since 1998)

**D. Name and contact information of employee who is a registered and licensed architect, professional engineer, or surveyor in the State of Louisiana in the applicable discipline. A subcontractor may be substituted here only if the advertised Project requires more than one discipline:**

**Chad M. Poché, P.E., Executive Vice President**

504-305-4401 | 504-460-5239 cell | cpoche@gulfsoutheng.com

Registered Professional Civil Engineer (Louisiana No. 27667; since 1998)

**E. Please provide the number of employees whose primary function corresponds with each category:**

<u>7</u> Administrative	<u>      </u> Estimators	<u>      </u> Specification Writers
<u>      </u> Architects (Licensed)	<u>      </u> Geologists	<u>      </u> Structural Engineers
<u>      </u> Chemical Engineers	<u>2</u> Geotechnical Engineers	<u>      </u> Graduate Engineers
<u>      </u> Civil Engineers	<u>      </u> Interior Designers	<u>1</u> Project Managers
<u>10</u> Construction Inspectors	<u>      </u> Landscape Architects	<u>      </u> Clerical ( <i>see Administrative</i> )
<u>      </u> Ecologists	<u>      </u> Land Surveyor ( <i>Apprentice</i> )	<u>      </u> Grant/Funding Specialist
<u>      </u> Electrical Engineers	<u>      </u> Mechanical Engineers	<u>      </u> Sanitary Engineers
<u>      </u> Engineer Intern	<u>      </u> Environmental Engineers	<u>1</u> CMT Supervisor
<u>1</u> Professional Land Surveyors		<u>1</u> Construction Svcs Manager
		<u>4</u> Laboratory Personnel
		<u>3</u> Soil Boring Personnel
		<u>30</u> TOTAL

**F. Is this submittal by a JOINT-VENTURE? Please check: YES        NO X**

**If marked “no”, skip to Section I. If marked “yes”, complete Sections G-H.**

## TEC Professional Services Questionnaire

<b>G. If submittal is by JOINT-VENTURE, list the firms participating and outline specific areas of responsibility (including administrative, technical, and financial) for each firm. Please attach additional pages if necessary.</b>		
1. <span style="margin-left: 40px;">N/A</span>		
2.		
<b>H. Has this JOINT-VENTURE previously worked together? Please check:</b> YES _____ NO _____ N/A		
<b>I. List all subcontractors anticipated for this Project. Please note that all subcontractors must submit a fully completed copy of this questionnaire, applicable licenses, and any other information required by the advertisement. See Jefferson Parish Code of Ordinances, Sec. 2-928(a)(3). Please attach additional pages if necessary.</b>		
Name & Address:	Specialty:	Worked with Firm Before (Yes or No):
1. <span style="margin-left: 40px;">N/A</span>		
2.		
3.		
<b>J. Please specify the total number of support personnel that may assist in the completion of the Project:</b> <span style="margin-left: 40px;">30</span> (all personnel will be available for assignment to the project)		

## TEC Professional Services Questionnaire

**K. List the professional in charge, key persons, specialists, and individual consultants anticipated for this Project and provide their relevant information below. If necessary, please attach additional documentation (i.e., résumé) that demonstrates the employment history and experience of the Firm's key persons that may assist in the completion of this Project. Please attach additional pages if necessary.**

### PROFESSIONAL IN CHARGE OF PROJECT:

**Name & Title:**

**Chad M. Poché, P.E.**

Executive Vice President / Registered Professional Geotechnical Engineer

**Project Assignment:**

Geotechnical Engineer / Principal In Charge

**Name of Firm with which associated:**



**Years' experience with this Firm:**

13 years (founded Gulf South in 2011);  
31 years total (1993)

*BFM Corporation, LLC | 2017 to present*  
*Gulf South Engineering and Testing, Inc. | 2011 to present*  
*Ardaman and Associates, Inc. | 2007 to 2011*  
*Eustis Engineering | 1996 to 2001*  
*Soil Testing Engineers, Inc. | 1993 to 1996*

**Education: Degree(s)/Year/Specialization:**

M.S., 1998, Civil Engineering, University of New Orleans  
B.S., 1993, Civil Engineering, Louisiana State University

**Active Registration: Year first registered/discipline:**

1998, Civil Engineer (Louisiana No. 27667)  
2002, Civil Engineer (Mississippi No. 15405)

**Other experience and qualifications relevant to the proposed Project:**

Chad M. Poché, P.E., is Executive Vice President, co-founder, and a Principal in Gulf South. He has been a consulting geotechnical engineer for nearly 30 years in South Louisiana, working on traditional and unique geotechnical engineering projects (shallow and deep foundation design, slope stability, pavement design, etc.). Mr. Poché has also provided construction oversight for virtually every type of earthwork related project. He has been the geotechnical engineer of record for thousands of projects throughout his career.

Mr. Poché's experience includes the development of appropriate scopes of work and proposals for a broad range of projects; planning and coordinating analyses; preparing technical reports; foundation and geotechnical engineering design; construction recommendations; Miss. River facility permitting; managing personnel and office operations and serving as an Expert Witness.

## TEC Professional Services Questionnaire

Other experience and qualifications: **Chad M. Poché, P.E. (continued)**

Mr. Poché has logged soil borings; overseen the installation of ground water monitoring wells, piezometers, and inclinometers; overseen and evaluated pile load tests; overseen, performed, and evaluated dynamic pile testing (PDA and PIT); performed CMT field testing and inspection; and performed laboratory testing.

**N. Sibley Pump Station Improvements, Metairie, Jefferson Parish, LA.** Gulf South provided construction materials testing for the project, located at the corner of N. Sibley Street and West Napoleon Avenue. Gulf South's scope of work includes soil density tests, concrete inspection and testing, pile driving, pile load tests monitoring, vibration monitoring, and earthwork testing. (\$20,000 (fee); 2021)

**Lake Cataouatche Drainage Pump Station Replacement (Chighizola Lane), Grand Isle, Jefferson Parish, LA.** Geotechnical engineering services for the construction of a replacement Lake Cataouatche drainage pump station at the end of Chighizola Lane in Grand Isle. Gulf South's scope includes drilling one undisturbed soil borings to a depth of 80 feet below the ground surface, laboratory testing, engineering analyses and general construction procedures and recommendations. Pump station is close to a USACE floodwall so coordination and geotechnical engineering analyses were required to show the new pump station would not adversely affect the integrity of the floodwall. (\$7,500 (fee); 2020)

**Metairie Lawn and Ridgelake Drive Roadway & Utility Project, Metairie, Jefferson Parish, LA.** Geotechnical engineering services for construction of a new roadway paving and below grade drainage pipeline in Metairie, LA. Gulf South's scope includes drilling five (5) auger borings to a depth of 20 feet below the ground surface, laboratory testing, engineering analyses and general construction procedures and recommendations. (\$8,500 (fee); 2021)

**Drainage Improvements, Citrus Road & Greg Court, Metairie, Jefferson Parish, LA.** Geotechnical investigation for drainage improvements (2000 lf) along Citrus Road & Greg Court (to Jefferson Highway) in Metairie, LA. Gulf South's scope includes pavement coring and drilling five undisturbed soil borings each to 20 feet below ground surface, lab testing, and engineering analyses (including allowable soil bearing values, bedding and backfill recommendations), estimates of settlement, pavement design recommendations, and general construction recommendations. (\$8,500 (fee); 2017)

**Drainage Infrastructure Improvements, South Avondale Subdivision, Avondale, Jefferson Parish, LA.** Geotechnical investigation for drainage improvements on S. Jamie Boulevard in Avondale, LA. Gulf South's scope includes drilling five undisturbed soil borings to depths of 20 feet, lab testing, and engineering analyses including allowable soil bearing values, bedding and backfill recommendations, estimates of settlement, and general construction procedures and recommendations. (\$7,000 (fee); 2018)

**Midway at Soniat Canal Pump Station Elevator Generator Platform (Silver Oak Lane), Harahan, Jefferson Parish, LA.** Geotechnical engineering services for the construction of a new elevated generator platform at the Midway Soniat Canal pump station off Silver Oak Lane in Harahan, LA. Gulf South's scope of services includes drilling a single undisturbed soil boring to a depth of 100 feet below the ground surface, laboratory testing, engineering analyses and general construction procedures and recommendations. (\$7,500 (fee); 2022)

## TEC Professional Services Questionnaire

### KEY PERSON, SPECIALIST, OR INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANT:

**Name & Title:**

**Bryson S. Beard, P.E., ACI**  
Associate Geotechnical Engineer/Field Engineer

**Project Assignment:**

Associate Geotechnical Engineer/Field Engineer

**Name of Firm with which associated:**

**Years' experience with this Firm:**

2 years (joined Gulf South in 2022); *Gulf South Engineering and Testing, Inc. | 2022 to present*  
3 years total (2021) *TetraTech, Inc. | 2021 to 2022*

**Education: Degree(s)/Year/Specialization:**

B.S., Geological Engineering (2021; University of Mississippi)

**Active Registration: Year first registered/discipline:**

Louisiana P.E. License Passed October 2023  
Georgia, Engineering Intern (No. EIT029180, 2022)

**Other experience and qualifications relevant to the proposed Project:**

Bryson S. Beard, P.E., is an Associate Geotechnical Engineer/Field Engineer who serves as a Project Manager. He has performed geotechnical engineering analyses consisting of shallow and deep foundations, slope stability, TRS and sheetpile wall design, settlement, pavement design, etc., and has prepared engineering reports. Mr. Beard's experience in the field includes surface and subsurface soil sampling, water sampling, and soil classification. His work experience further includes core logging and oversight of groundwater monitoring well installations, piezometers, and inclinometers. He has been responsible for the preparation of reports and Facility Response Plans. He is experienced with laboratory sample preparation and testing as well as air sampling and soil gas sampling.

**Mr. Bryson recently passed his Louisiana Professional Engineering test and will be a noted P.E. for the State of Louisiana once he fulfills the apprenticeship requirements set forth by LAPELS.**

**Woodlake Drainage Pump Station - Geotechnical Exploration Report, Kenner, Jefferson Parish, LA.** Prepared a Geotechnical Exploration Report for the project which consisted of a new drainage pump station located in Kenner, LA. Access to the canal was via Lake Pontchartrain. During the Field investigation, Gulf South drilled multiple undisturbed soil borings with one performed in the canal and the remaining on land. Geotechnical laboratory testing (ASTM standards) was performed. Following the collection of the field and laboratory data, evaluations necessary to characterize the subsoil conditions of the site were performed; findings, conclusions, and recommendations were presented in the final report. (\$48,000 (fee); 2024)

## TEC Professional Services Questionnaire

Other experience and qualifications: **Bryson S. Beard, P.E., ACI (continued)**

**Midway at Soniat Canal Pump Station Elevator Generator Platform (Silver Oak Lane), Harahan, Jefferson Parish, LA.** Geotechnical engineering services for the construction of a new elevated generator platform at the Midway Soniat Canal pump station off Silver Oak Lane in Harahan, LA. Gulf South's scope of services includes drilling a single undisturbed soil boring to a depth of 100 feet below the ground surface, laboratory testing, engineering analyses and general construction procedures and recommendations. (\$7,500 (fee); 2022)

**Lee Street Drainage Pump Station Improvements, City of Slidell, LA.** Prepared a Geotechnical Exploration Report for the project site located at the junction of Lee Street and Front Street in Slidell, LA. Gulf South's scope includes drilling soil borings to 50 ft. in depth, laboratory testing, engineering analyses (soil bearing values, bedding & backfill, pile capacities, and estimates of settlement) and general construction procedures and recommendations. (\$4,000 (fee); 2022)

**Pump Station 45 Upgrades (Clark Street), East Baton Rouge Parish, LA.** Geotechnical investigation regarding the construction of a new pump station and a new 5 MG tank (with the option to build a second tank) at the existing PS 45 site along Clark Street in Baton Rouge, LA. Scope of services included drilling 11 undisturbed soil borings to depths of 80 to 120 ft. below the ground surface. Geotechnical laboratory testing were performed to ASTM standards and include strength test (unconfined and/or triaxial), classification tests (Atterberg Limits and/or particle size), consolidation tests, and others as appropriate. Geotechnical engineering analyses included allowable soil bearing values, shaft/pile load capacities, estimates of settlements, sludge loading analyses, and general construction procedures and recommendations. (\$68,000 (fee); 2023)

**Brewster Road/LA 1077 Drainage Improvements, Madisonville, St. Tammany Parish, LA.** Geotechnical engineering services for drainage improvements at the existing parish canal off LA-1077 and Galatas Road in Madisonville, St. Tammany Parish, LA. Gulf South's scope includes drilling five undisturbed soil borings to depths of 20 feet (2 locations) and 30 feet (3 locations) below the ground surface, laboratory testing, engineering analyses and general construction procedures and recommendations. (\$20,000 (fee); 2022)

**Kinler & Paul Fredrick Street Drainage Improvements, Luling, St. Charles Parish, LA.** Geotechnical investigation for paved and/or reconstruction of Kinler and Paul Frederick Streets in Luling. Scope included drilling a total of 10 undisturbed soil borings for the project (five borings within each roadway to a depth of 10 feet below the pavement surface). Geotechnical laboratory testing was performed on selected samples collected during the exploration in accordance with appropriate ASTM standards; this included strength tests (unconfined and/or triaxial) and classification tests (Atterberg Limits and/or particle size). Following the collection of the field and laboratory data, a geotechnical engineer performed the evaluations necessary to characterize the subsoil conditions of the site and develop the engineering recommendations and analyses. This included current pavement materials and thicknesses, flexible pavement design recommendations, and general construction procedures and recommendations. (\$7,500 (fee); 2022)

**Chateau Transfer Station Upgrade, City of Kenner, LA.** Geotechnical engineering services for the upgrades of an existing below grade sewer lift station (Chateau Transfer Station) in Kenner, LA. Gulf South's scope of services includes drilling two undisturbed soil borings to depths of 70 and 30 feet below the ground surface, laboratory testing, engineering analyses and general construction procedures and recommendations. (\$7,500 (fee); 2022)

## TEC Professional Services Questionnaire

### KEY PERSON, SPECIALIST, OR INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANT:

**Name & Title:**

**Joseph H. "Trey" Binder, III, ACI**  
Laboratory Manager

**Project Assignment:**

Laboratory Manager; Laboratory Technician

**Name of Firm with which associated:**

**Years' experience with this Firm:**

13 years (joined Gulf South in 2011);  
13 years total (2011)

*Gulf South Engineering and Testing, Inc. | 2011 to present*  
*Ardaman and Associates, Inc. | 2007 to 2011*  
*Soil Testing Engineers, Inc. | 2006 to 2007*

**Education: Degree(s)/Year/Specialization:**

A.D., General Studies (2006; Nunez Community College)

**Active Registration: Year first registered/discipline:**

HAZMAT Awareness  
HAZMAT Operations Training  
ACI Aggregate Base Testing Technician  
ACI Concrete Strength Testing Technician

**Other experience and qualifications relevant to the proposed Project:**

Trey Binder has direct experience with field and laboratory testing services. Mr. Binder's field work includes soil inspection and testing consisting of nuclear density testing and soil boring logging, vibration monitoring, pile inspection, concrete testing and inspection, asphalt testing and inspection, and pavement coring. In the laboratory, Mr. Binder has performed soil laboratory testing consisting of unconfined compression strength tests, triaxial strength tests, Atterberg limits, organic content tests, moisture and density tests, Proctor compaction tests, sieve analyses, and sample extrusion.

**Mississippi River Discharge Pump Station, River Ridge, Jefferson Parish, LA.** Gulf South provided geotechnical engineering services for the construction of a new pump station and force main discharge pipeline between Coventry Court and Lee Court. Scope includes drilling four undisturbed soil borings (one at 100 ft., one at 80 ft., and two at 30 ft.; all below ground surface), laboratory testing, engineering analyses (soil bearing values, pile load capacities, settlement estimates, retaining structure recommendations, slope stability analyses) and general construction procedures and recommendations. Pump station was located on flood side of the Mississippi River levee with discharge pipes crossing the levee to the protected side. (\$35,000 (fee); 2022)

## TEC Professional Services Questionnaire

Other experience and qualifications: **Joseph H. "Trey" Binder, III, ACI (continued)**

**Woodlake Drainage Pump Station - Geotechnical Exploration Report, Kenner, Jefferson Parish, LA.** Prepared a Geotechnical Exploration Report for the project which consisted of a new drainage pump station located in Kenner, LA. Access to the canal was via Lake Pontchartrain. During the Field investigation, Gulf South drilled multiple undisturbed soil borings with one performed in the canal and the remaining on land. Geotechnical laboratory testing (ASTM standards) was performed. Following the collection of the field and laboratory data, evaluations necessary to characterize the subsoil conditions of the site were performed; findings, conclusions, and recommendations were presented in the final report. (\$48,000 (fee); 2024)

**Taft Park Drainage Improvements, Jefferson Parish, LA.** Perform inspection and testing during construction of various drainage improvements at Taft Park. Scope of services provided by Gulf South included asphalt and/or concrete testing and inspection, field density tests, on-site inspection and documentation, and laboratory testing. (\$25,000 (fee); 2015)

**N. Sibley Pump Station Improvements, Metairie, Jefferson Parish, LA.** Provided construction materials testing for the project, located at the corner of N. Sibley Street and West Napoleon Avenue. Scope of work includes soil density tests, concrete inspection and testing, pile driving, pile load tests monitoring, vibration monitoring, and earthwork testing. (\$20,000 (fee); 2021)

**Citrus Road and Greg Court Subsurface Drainage Improvements, Jefferson Parish, LA.** Gulf South provided the materials testing and inspection during construction. Gulf South's scope of services included vibration monitoring, bedding and backfill testing, compaction/density tests, and concrete testing and inspection. (\$20,000 (fee); 2019)

**Lake Cataouatche Pump Station, Avondale, Jefferson Parish, LA.** Geotechnical engineering services for the construction of a replacement Lake Cataouatche drainage pump station in Avondale, LA. Gulf South's scope includes drilling a single undisturbed soil boring (depth of 100 ft bgs), laboratory testing, engineering analyses and general construction procedures and recommendations. (\$12,500 (fee); 2019)

**Trudeau Drive at Canal No. 5 Drainage Improvements, Metairie, Jefferson Parish, LA.** Gulf South provided the materials testing and inspection during construction. Gulf South's scope of services included vibration monitoring, bedding and backfill testing, compaction/density tests, and concrete testing and inspection. (\$10,000 (fee); 2019)

**Parish Line Drainage Pump Station Improvements – Phase I, City of Kenner, Jefferson Parish, LA.** Gulf South performed field and laboratory testing during construction of a new pump station in Jefferson Parish, Louisiana. Scope of services consisted of vibration monitoring, timber pile inspection at the site and during installation, performance of a pile load test, earthwork, and concrete testing & inspection. (\$10,000 (fee); 2018)

**Drainage Improvements, Citrus Road & Greg Court, Metairie, Jefferson Parish, LA.** Geotechnical investigation for drainage improvements (2000 lf) along Citrus Road & Greg Court (to Jefferson Highway) in Metairie, LA. Gulf South's scope includes pavement coring and drilling five undisturbed soil borings each to 20 feet below ground surface, lab testing, and engineering analyses (including allowable soil bearing values, bedding and backfill recommendations), estimates of settlement, pavement design recommendations, and general construction recommendations. (\$8,500 (fee); 2017)

## TEC Professional Services Questionnaire

### KEY PERSON, SPECIALIST, OR INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANT:

**Name & Title:**

**Eric A. Paille, C.E.T., ACI**  
Construction Services Manager

**Project Assignment:**

Construction Services Manager

**Name of Firm with which associated:**

**Years' experience with this Firm:**

13 years (joined Gulf South in 2011);  
35 years total (1989)

*Gulf South Engineering and Testing, Inc. | 2011 to present*  
*Ardaman and Associates, Inc. | 2007 to 2011*  
*Soil Testing Engineers, Inc. | 1988 to 2007*

**Education: Degree(s)/Year/Specialization:**

*High School Diploma*

**Active Registration: Year first registered/discipline:**

*ACI-I Field Technician (since 1991; No. 929012)*  
*Certified Engineering Technician (since 1992)*  
*Nuclear Gauge Safety Training (since 1994; No. 061321)*  
*Pile Driving Analyzer/CAPWAP, OSHA 40 HAZWOPER*

**Other experience and qualifications relevant to the proposed Project:**

Eric A. Paille, C.E.T., ACI, serves as Gulf South's Construction Services Manager as well as the manager of our Gonzales office. He has experience as a technician, inspector, and testing manager, and is knowledgeable in all aspects of construction materials testing and construction inspection. Mr. Paille has performed all applicable field and soil tests over the past 30+ years. In addition, he is certified in the safe use and handling of the nuclear density gauge. He received PDA training in 2003 and has knowledge of PDA testing along with significant experience with pile driving analyzers. Mr. Paille is one of the most knowledgeable people in our industry.

**St. Peter's Ditch – Phase IV (Pump Station at Clearview), Metairie, Jefferson Parish, LA.** Project consisted of the construction of a new pump station and below grade culverts and piping for the Jefferson Parish Department of Public Works. Gulf South provided materials testing and inspection during construction (CMT). Scope included performing pile plant inspection, pile monitoring during installation, vibration monitoring, concrete testing and inspection, earthwork testing and inspection including soil sampling and field density tests, and steel inspection. (\$110,000 (fee); 2016)

**N. Sibley Pump Station Improvements, Metairie, Jefferson Parish, LA.** Gulf South provided construction materials testing for the project, located at the corner of N. Sibley Street and West

## TEC Professional Services Questionnaire

Other experience and qualifications: **Eric A. Paille, C.E.T., ACI (continued)**

Napoleon Avenue. Gulf South's scope of work includes soil density tests, concrete inspection and testing, pile driving, pile load tests monitoring, vibration monitoring, and earthwork testing. (\$20,000 (fee); 2021)

**Clearview Parkway Drainage Project, Metairie, Jefferson Parish, LA.** Project consisted of the construction of new drainage features for the Jefferson Parish Department of Public Works. Gulf South provided materials testing and inspection during construction (CMT). Gulf South's scope of services included performing pile plant inspection, pile monitoring during installation, vibration monitoring, concrete testing and inspection, earthwork testing and inspection including soil sampling and field density tests, and steel inspection. (\$30,000 (fee); 2016)

**FEMA Submerged Roads Program (CMT): Phase 3, Metairie, Jefferson Parish, LA.** Perform asphalt and roadway testing and inspection as requested. Scope of services provided by Gulf South included asphalt and/or concrete testing and inspection, field density tests, on-site inspection and documentation, and laboratory testing. Gulf South also provided asphalt batch plant inspection. (\$10,000 (fee); 2016)

**Westwego Pump Station #1, Jefferson Parish, LA.** Gulf South performed field and laboratory testing during pump station #1 installation. Scope of services included field density tests, concrete testing and inspection, laboratory testing, and vibration monitoring. (\$10,000 (fee); 2016)

**Waggaman Subsurface Drainage Improvements, Waggaman, Jefferson Parish, LA.** Project consisted of the construction of new below grade drainage features and piping for the Jefferson Parish Department of Public Works. Gulf South provided materials testing and inspection during construction (CMT). Our scope of services included performing pile plant inspection, pile monitoring during installation, vibration monitoring, concrete testing and inspection, earthwork testing and inspection including soil sampling and field density tests, and steel inspection. (\$7,000 (fee); 2016)

**Airline Park Blvd. Rehabilitation and Drainage Upgrade (W. Napoleon to Camphor), Jefferson Parish, LA.** Geotechnical investigation for pavement rehabilitation, new drain lines, and a new pump station from W. Napoleon to Camphor. Scope of work included drilling four soil borings (depths of 15 & 50 ft), laboratory testing (strength and classification), and geotechnical engineering analysis consisting of allowable soil bearing values, allowable pile load capacities, estimates of settlement, pavement recommendations, bedding and backfill recommendations, and general construction recommendations. (\$8,500 (fee); 2015)

**New Pump/Lift Station, Airline Park Boulevard at West Metairie Avenue, Jefferson Parish, LA.** Geotechnical investigation for a new pump/lift station for Jefferson Parish near the intersection of Airline Park Blvd. and W. Metairie Avenue. Scope of work consisted of performing one soil boring to 50 feet, laboratory testing, and geotechnical engineering analyses consisting of allowable soil bearing values, bedding and backfill recommendations, estimates of settlement, and general construction recommendations. (\$5,000 (fee); 2013)

**Drainage Improvement to North Sibley Drive at West Napoleon Avenue, Metairie, Jefferson Parish, LA.** Gulf South executed a geotechnical investigation for new below grade wet well, approx. 15 - 20 feet deep. Drilled one boring to 80 feet at site and provide laboratory testing and geotechnical engineering analyses (soil bearing values, bedding, and backfill, pile capacities, settlement, construction recommendations, etc.). (\$4,500 (fee); 2012)

## TEC Professional Services Questionnaire

### KEY PERSON, SPECIALIST, OR INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANT:

**Name & Title:**

**Ian Kerner Poché, ACI**  
Assistant Laboratory Supervisor

**Project Assignment:**

Assistant Laboratory Supervisor

**Name of Firm with which associated:**

**Years' experience with this Firm:**

7 years (joined Gulf South in 2017); Gulf South Engineering and Testing, Inc. | 2017 to present  
7 years total (2017)

**Education: Degree(s)/Year/Specialization:**

High School Diploma

**Active Registration: Year first registered/discipline:**

ACI Concrete Field Testing Technician - Grade 1 (exp 2028 03)  
ACI Aggregate Testing Technician - Level 1 (exp 2029 02 27)

**Other experience and qualifications relevant to the proposed Project:**

Ian Poché has worked in Gulf South's laboratory for several years and has experience with virtually every type of soil test. He has also helped when needed in the CMT department and has concrete testing experience, and is an ACI-certified Concrete Field Testing Technician.

**Lake Cataouatche Drainage Pump Station Replacement (Chighizola Lane), Grand Isle, Jefferson Parish, LA.** Geotechnical engineering services for the construction of a replacement Lake Cataouatche drainage pump station at the end of Chighizola Lane in Grand Isle. Gulf South's scope includes drilling one undisturbed soil borings to a depth of 80 feet below the ground surface, laboratory testing, engineering analyses and general construction procedures and recommendations. Pump station is close to a USACE floodwall so coordination and geotechnical engineering analyses were required to show the new pump station would not adversely affect the integrity of the floodwall. (\$7,500 (fee); 2020)

**Woodlake Drainage Pump Station - Geotechnical Exploration Report, Kenner, Jefferson Parish, LA.** Prepared a Geotechnical Exploration Report for the project which consisted of a new drainage pump station located in Kenner, LA. Access to the canal was via Lake Pontchartrain. During the Field investigation, Gulf South drilled multiple undisturbed soil borings with one performed in the canal and the remaining on land. Geotechnical laboratory testing (ASTM standards) was performed. Following the collection of the field and laboratory data, evaluations necessary to characterize the subsoil conditions of the site were performed; findings, conclusions, and recommendations were presented in the final report. (\$48,000 (fee); 2024)

## TEC Professional Services Questionnaire

Other experience and qualifications: **Ian Kerner Poché, ACI (continued)**

**Pump Station 45 Upgrades (Clark Street), East Baton Rouge Parish, LA.** Geotechnical investigation regarding the construction of a new pump station and a new 5 MG tank (with the option to build a second tank) at the existing PS 45 site along Clark Street in Baton Rouge, LA. Scope of services included drilling 11 undisturbed soil borings to depths of 80 to 120 ft. below the ground surface. Geotechnical laboratory testing were performed to ASTM standards and include strength test (unconfined and/or triaxial), classification tests (Atterberg Limits and/or particle size), consolidation tests, and others as appropriate. Geotechnical engineering analyses included allowable soil bearing values, shaft/pile load capacities, estimates of settlements, sludge loading analyses, and general construction procedures and recommendations. (\$68,000 (fee); 2023)

**Dellwood Drainage Pump Station Improvement (Sun Valley Drive & Front Street), City of Slidell, LA.** Geotechnical engineering services for construction improvements to the existing drainage pump station at the end of Sun Valley Drive and Front Street in Slidell, LA. Gulf South's scope of services includes drilling a single boring to a depth of 50 feet below the ground surface, laboratory testing, engineering analyses (bearing values, settlement, pile and shaft capacities) and general construction procedures and recommendations. (\$4,000 (fee); 2022)

**Bayou Des Allemands Gate, Upper Barataria Risk Reduction Program Segment 3, St. Charles Parish, LA.** Geotechnical investigation for construction of a new swinging barge gate structure within the UBRR flood protection/risk reduction system in St. Charles Parish, LA. Gulf South's scope includes drilling undisturbed soil borings (1 at 200 ft., 2 at 120 ft., 1 at 100 ft.), lab testing (including consolidation tests), and engineering analyses including site/soil characterization, global/local SSA for floodwalls, levee tie-ins, and floodgates, seepage analyses for sheetpile walls, settlement/downdrag analyses, unbalanced forces for structures, pile load capacities, pile foundation load-deflection relationship, estimates of settlement, ground improvement recommendations, and general construction procedures and recommendations. One boring was performed over water; the remaining borings were performed over land. (\$145,885 (fee); 2021)

**Wastewater Treatment Plant Improvements, Eden Isle Subdivision, Slidell, St. Tammany Parish, LA.** Geotechnical engineering services for the construction of a new elevated storage building housing six blower units and slab-on-grade supported water storage, concrete tank within the wastewater treatment plant off Lakeview Drive in Slidell, LA. Gulf South's scope includes drilling two undisturbed soil borings to depths of 40 feet below the ground surface, laboratory testing, engineering analyses and general construction procedures and recommendations. (\$7,500 (fee); 2022)

**Kinler & Paul Fredrick Street Drainage Improvements, Luling, St. Charles Parish, LA.** Geotechnical investigation for paved and/or reconstruction of Kinler and Paul Frederick Streets in Luling in St. Charles Parish, LA. Scope included drilling a total of 10 undisturbed soil borings for the project (five borings within each roadway to a depth of 10 feet below the pavement surface). Geotechnical laboratory testing was performed on selected samples collected during the exploration in accordance with appropriate ASTM standards; this included strength tests (unconfined and/or triaxial) and classification tests (Atterberg Limits and/ or particle size). Following the collection of the field and laboratory data, a geotechnical engineer performed the evaluations necessary to characterize the subsoil conditions of the site and develop the engineering recommendations and analyses. This included current pavement materials and thicknesses, flexible pavement design recommendations, and general construction procedures and recommendations. (\$7,500 (fee); 2022)

## TEC Professional Services Questionnaire

### KEY PERSON, SPECIALIST, OR INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANT:

**Name & Title:**

**Brandon A. Paille, ACI**

Construction Materials Testing (CMT) Supervisor/Project Manager

**Project Assignment:**

Construction Materials Testing (CMT) Supervisor/Project Manager

**Name of Firm with which associated:**

**Years' experience with this Firm:**

5 years (2012-2016; 2023 to present);  
14 years total (2010)

*Gulf South Engineering and Testing, Inc. | 2023 to present*  
*Ascension Parish Sheriff's Office | 2016 to 2023*  
*Gulf South Engineering and Testing, Inc. | 2012 to 2016*  
*Ardaman and Associates, Inc. | 2010 to 2012*

**Education: Degree(s)/Year/Specialization:**

*High School Diploma*

**Active Registration: Year first registered/discipline:**

APNGA Nuclear Gauge Safety  
ACI Field Technician Level 1  
OSHA Safety Training – 8 hr.

**Other experience and qualifications relevant to the proposed Project:**

Brandon A. Paille, ACI has performed soil laboratory testing consisting of unconfined compression strength tests, triaxial strength tests, hydrometers, Atterberg limits, organic contents, moisture contents, proctor compaction tests, sieve analyses, as well as extrusion of samples. Mr. Paille's field experience includes soil inspection and testing consisting of nuclear density testing, soil boring logging, concrete testing and inspections, timber and precast pile logging and vibration monitoring. In Mr. Paille's years in the construction materials testing industry, he has obtained a vast amount of knowledge and experience which makes him an integral part of our Gulf South Team.

**Taft Park Drainage Improvements, Jefferson Parish, LA.** Perform inspection and testing during construction of various drainage improvements at Taft Park. Scope of services provided by Gulf South included asphalt and/or concrete testing and inspection, field density tests, on-site inspection and documentation, and laboratory testing. (\$25,000 (fee); 2015)

**New Pump/Lift Station, Airline Park Boulevard at West Metairie Avenue, Jefferson Parish, LA.** Geotechnical investigation for a new pump/lift station for Jefferson Parish near the intersection of Airline Park Blvd. and W. Metairie Avenue. Scope of work consisted of performing one soil boring to 50 feet, laboratory testing, and geotechnical engineering analyses consisting of allowable soil bearing values, bedding and backfill recommendations, estimates of settlement, and general construction recommendations. (\$5,000 (fee); 2013)

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Other experience and qualifications: **Brandon A. Paille, ACI (continued)**

**Submerged Roads Program: District 5, Project 1, Jefferson Parish, LA.** Gulf South performed asphalt testing and inspection as instructed by the client. (\$12,000 (fee); 2013)

**Bonanza Pump Station Flood Protection, Houma, Terrebonne Parish, LA.** Geotechnical investigation for replacement of an existing bulkhead at Terrebonne Parish's Bonanza Pump Station in Houma, LA. Gulf South's scope of work included performing a soil boring to a depth of 80 feet, laboratory testing, and geotechnical engineering analyses consisting of bulkhead design parameters (tip depth, bending moment, anchor force, etc.), and general construction recommendations. (\$4,500 (fee); 2013)

**New North Terminal – New Pump Station, Louis Armstrong New Orleans International Airport, LA.** Gulf South performed field and laboratory testing during construction of a new Pump Station at the New North Terminal at the Louis Armstrong New Orleans International Airport in Kenner, Louisiana. Gulf South provided QA oversight of the contractor for the owner for this \$1.2 billion project which consists of the construction of a new terminal facility including a new 800,000 sf building, vehicle ramps, parking, etc. QA inspection consists of pile monitoring, concrete inspection and testing, earthwork testing and inspection, and steel inspection. (\$100,000 (fee); 2019)

**Drainage System Engineering Analysis – CCTV Drain Line Inspections, City of New Orleans, LA.** Project management and oversight of cleaning/flushing and inspection of sewer drainage pipelines in New Orleans, LA. Gulf South oversaw field operations and coordinated project phases with subcontractors. Subcontractor's inspection methods will utilize CCTV camera equipment to record drain line data. During post processing phase, all data was compiled and consolidated to create a digital database of the drain line information. (\$20,000 (fee); 2014)

**Bucktown Paddlers Launch, Metairie, Jefferson Parish, LA.** Gulf South provided construction materials testing and inspection during construction of the project. Gulf South's scope of work includes building earthwork, paving & concrete, concrete testing, soil density tests, pile inspection and modeling, and vibration monitoring. (\$15,000; 2023)

**St. James Road Program 2023 (Nicole Street), Paulina, St. James Parish, LA.** Gulf South provided construction materials testing and inspection during construction of the project. Gulf South's scope of work includes soil density tests and asphalt inspection. (\$7,220 (fee); 2023)

**Kenner Discovery School, Kenner, LA.** Gulf South provided construction materials testing and inspection during construction of the project located at 201 Vintage Drive in Kenner. Gulf South's scope of work includes concrete testing and steel inspection. (\$1,028 (fee); 2022)

**New North Terminal – Roads, Louis Armstrong New Orleans International Airport, LA.** Gulf South performed field and laboratory testing during construction of various roads at the New North Terminal at the Louis Armstrong New Orleans International Airport in Kenner, Louisiana. Gulf South provided QA oversight of the contractor for the owner for this \$1.2 billion project which consists of the construction of a new terminal facility including a new 800,000 sf building, vehicle ramps, parking, etc. QA inspection consists of pile monitoring, concrete inspection and testing, earthwork testing and inspection, and steel inspection. (\$250,000 (fee); 2019)

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**L. Work by Firm or Joint-Venture members which best illustrates current qualifications relevant to this project. Please include and all work performed for Jefferson Parish. Please attach additional pages if necessary.**

### PROJECT NO. 1

Project Name, Location, and Owner's contact information:	Nature of Firm's Responsibility:	
<p><b>Woodlake Drainage Pump Station - Geotechnical Exploration Report,</b> Kenner, Jefferson Parish, Louisiana</p> <p><b>MSMM Engineering, LLC</b> 7640 S. Carrollton Ave Ste 220 New Orleans LA 70119</p> <p><b>Scott G. Chehardy, P.E.,</b> 985-233-9763 schehardy@msmmeng.com</p>	<p>Prepared a Geotechnical Exploration Report for the project which consisted of a new drainage pump station located in Kenner, LA. Access to the canal was via Lake Pontchartrain. During the Field investigation, Gulf South drilled multiple undisturbed soil borings with one performed in the canal and the remaining on land. Geotechnical laboratory testing (ASTM standards) was performed. Following the collection of the field and laboratory data, evaluations necessary to characterize the subsoil conditions of the site were performed; findings, conclusions, and recommendations were presented in the final report.</p>	
<b>Completion Date (Actual or estimated):</b>	<b>Estimated Cost:</b>	
	<b>Entire Project:</b>	<b>Work for which Firm was Responsible:</b>
March 2024	N/A	\$48,000 (fee)

### PROJECT NO. 2

Project Name, Location, and Owner's contact information:	Nature of Firm's Responsibility:	
<p><b>Midway at Soniat Canal Pump Station Elevator Generator Platform (Silver Oak Lane),</b> Harahan, Jefferson Parish, Louisiana</p> <p><b>Burk-Kleinpeter, Inc.</b> 4176 Canal Street New Orleans LA 70119</p> <p><b>Henry M. Picard, III, P.E.,</b> 504-486-5901 hpicard@bkusa.com</p>	<p>Geotechnical engineering services for the construction of a new elevated generator platform at the Midway Soniat Canal pump station off Silver Oak Lane in Harahan, LA. Gulf South's scope of services includes drilling a single undisturbed soil boring to a depth of 100 feet below the ground surface, laboratory testing, engineering analyses (pile capacities &amp; settlement) and general construction procedures and recommendations.</p>	
<b>Completion Date (Actual or estimated):</b>	<b>Estimated Cost:</b>	
	<b>Entire Project:</b>	<b>Work for which Firm was Responsible:</b>
December 2022	N/A	\$7,500 (fee)

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<b>PROJECT NO. 3</b>		
<b>Project Name, Location, and Owner's contact information:</b>	<b>Nature of Firm's Responsibility:</b>	
<p><b>Mississippi River Discharge Pump Station</b>, River Ridge, Jefferson Parish, Louisiana</p> <p><b>ECM Consultants, Inc.</b> 1301 Clearview Parkway Suite 200 Metairie LA 70001</p> <p><b>Susina Shrestha, P.E.</b>, 504-885-4080 sshrestha@ecmconsultants.com</p>	<p>Gulf South provided geotechnical engineering services for the construction of a new pump station and force main discharge pipeline between Coventry Court and Lee Court in River Ridge. Scope includes drilling four undisturbed soil borings (one at 100 ft., one at 80 ft., and two at 30 ft.; all below ground surface), laboratory testing, engineering analyses (soil bearing values, pile load capacities, settlement estimates, retaining structure recommendations, slope stability analyses) and general construction procedures and recommendations. Pump station was located on flood side of the Mississippi River levee with discharge pipes crossing the levee to the protected side.</p>	
<b>Completion Date (Actual or estimated:)</b>	<b>Estimated Cost:</b>	
	<b>Entire Project:</b>	<b>Work for which Firm was Responsible:</b>
December 2022	N/A	\$35,000 (fee)

<b>PROJECT NO. 4</b>		
<b>Project Name, Location, and Owner's contact information:</b>	<b>Nature of Firm's Responsibility:</b>	
<p><b>N. Sibley Pump Station Improvements</b>, Metairie, Jefferson Parish, Louisiana</p> <p><b>Digital Engineering</b> 527 W Esplanade Ave Ste 200 Kenner LA 70065</p> <p><b>Frank T. Liang, P.E.</b>, 504-468-6129 fliang@deii.net</p>	<p>Gulf South provided construction materials testing for the project, located at the corner of N. Sibley Street and West Napoleon Avenue. Gulf South's scope of work includes soil density tests, concrete inspection and testing, pile driving, pile load tests monitoring, vibration monitoring, and earthwork testing.</p>	
<b>Completion Date (Actual or estimated:)</b>	<b>Estimated Cost:</b>	
	<b>Entire Project:</b>	<b>Work for which Firm was Responsible:</b>
March 2021	N/A	\$20,000 (fee)

## TEC Professional Services Questionnaire

<b>PROJECT NO. 5</b>		
<b>Project Name, Location, and Owner's contact information:</b>	<b>Nature of Firm's Responsibility:</b>	
<p><b>Metairie Lawn and Ridgelake Drive Roadway &amp; Utility Project</b>, Metairie, Jefferson Parish, Louisiana</p> <p><b>Ardurra Group, Inc.</b> 3012 26th Street Metairie LA 70002</p> <p><b>Joe Becker, P.E.</b>, 504-454-3866 jbecker@ardurra.com</p>	<p>Geotechnical engineering services for construction of a new roadway paving and below grade drainage pipeline in Metairie, LA. Gulf South's scope includes drilling five (5) auger borings to a depth of 20 feet below the ground surface, laboratory testing, engineering analyses and general construction procedures and recommendations.</p>	
<b>Completion Date (Actual or estimated:)</b>	<b>Estimated Cost:</b>	
	<b>Entire Project:</b>	<b>Work for which Firm was Responsible:</b>
January 2021	N/A	\$8,500 (fee)

<b>PROJECT NO. 6</b>		
<b>Project Name, Location, and Owner's contact information:</b>	<b>Nature of Firm's Responsibility:</b>	
<p><b>Lake Cataouatche Drainage Pump Station</b>, Avondale, Jefferson Parish, Louisiana</p> <p><b>Jefferson Parish</b> 1221 Elmwood Park Blvd Ste 907 Jefferson LA 70123</p> <p><b>Mitch Theriot, P.E.</b>, 504-736-6742 mtheriot@jeffparish.net</p>	<p>Geotechnical engineering services for the construction of a replacement for the Lake Cataouatche drainage pump station in Avondale, LA. Gulf South's scope includes drilling a single undisturbed soil boring (depth of 100 ft bgs), laboratory testing, engineering analyses and general construction procedures and recommendations. Pump station is close to a USACE floodwall so coordination and geotechnical engineering analyses were required to show the new pump station would not adversely affect the integrity of the floodwall.</p>	
<b>Completion Date (Actual or estimated:)</b>	<b>Estimated Cost:</b>	
	<b>Entire Project:</b>	<b>Work for which Firm was Responsible:</b>
October 2019	N/A	\$12,500 (fee)

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<b>PROJECT NO. 7</b>		
<b>Project Name, Location, and Owner's contact information:</b>	<b>Nature of Firm's Responsibility:</b>	
<p><b>Lake Cataouatche Drainage Pump Station Replacement (Chighizola Lane), Grand Isle, Jefferson Parish, Louisiana</b></p> <p><b>Principal Engineering, Inc.</b> 1011 N Causeway Blvd Ste 19 Mandeville LA 70471</p> <p><b>André C. Monnot, P.E.,</b> 985-624-5001 andre@pi.aec.com</p>	<p>Geotechnical engineering services for the construction of a replacement Lake Cataouatche drainage pump station at the end of Chighizola Lane in Grand Isle. Gulf South's scope includes drilling one undisturbed soil borings to a depth of 80 feet below the ground surface, laboratory testing, engineering analyses and general construction procedures and recommendations. Pump station is close to a USACE floodwall so coordination and geotechnical engineering analyses were required to show the new pump station would not adversely affect the integrity of the floodwall.</p>	
<b>Completion Date (Actual or estimated:)</b>	<b>Estimated Cost:</b>	
	<b>Entire Project:</b>	<b>Work for which Firm was Responsible:</b>
May 2020	N/A	\$7,500 (fee)

<b>PROJECT NO. 8</b>		
<b>Project Name, Location, and Owner's contact information:</b>	<b>Nature of Firm's Responsibility:</b>	
<p><b>Verrett Canal Slope Instability Project, West Bank Drainage Department, Harvey, Jefferson Parish, Louisiana</b></p> <p><b>Jefferson Parish Engineering Department</b> 1221 Elmwood Park Blvd Ste 802 Jefferson LA 70123</p> <p><b>Clinton Hotard, 504-736-6500</b> chotard@jeffparish.net</p>	<p>Geotechnical engineering services for the potential solution (i.e. retaining wall, etc.) for the surface movement at the top slope of Verrett Canal located at 89 Natchez Trace in Harvey, LA. Gulf South's scope includes drilling a single undisturbed soil boring (depth of 60 ft. bgs), laboratory testing, engineering analyses and general construction procedures and recommendations.</p>	
<b>Completion Date (Actual or estimated:)</b>	<b>Estimated Cost:</b>	
	<b>Entire Project:</b>	<b>Work for which Firm was Responsible:</b>
July 2020	N/A	\$5,000 (fee)

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<b>PROJECT NO. 9</b>		
<b>Project Name, Location, and Owner's contact information:</b>	<b>Nature of Firm's Responsibility:</b>	
<p><b>Drainage Infrastructure Improvements, South Avondale Subdivision</b>, Avondale, Jefferson Parish, Louisiana</p> <p><b>Phoenix Global Construction</b> 2901 Independence St Ste 103 Metairie LA 70006</p> <p><b>Jack Lo</b>, 504-883-9021 phoenixglobal@bellsouth.net</p>	<p>Geotechnical investigation for drainage improvements on S. Jamie Boulevard in Avondale, LA. Gulf South's scope includes drilling five undisturbed soil borings to depths of 20 feet, lab testing, and engineering analyses including allowable soil bearing values, bedding and backfill recommendations, estimates of settlement, and general construction procedures and recommendations.</p>	
<b>Completion Date (Actual or estimated:)</b>	<b>Estimated Cost:</b>	
	<b>Entire Project:</b>	<b>Work for which Firm was Responsible:</b>
January 2018	N/A	\$7,000 (fee)

<b>PROJECT NO. 10</b>		
<b>Project Name, Location, and Owner's contact information:</b>	<b>Nature of Firm's Responsibility:</b>	
<p><b>Drainage Improvements, Citrus Road &amp; Greg Court</b>, Metairie, Jefferson Parish, Louisiana</p> <p><b>Buchart Horn</b> 18163 E Petroleum Drive, Suite A Baton Rouge LA 70809</p> <p><b>Alan Krouse, P.E.</b>, 225-308-2009 akrouse@bucharthorn.com</p>	<p>Geotechnical investigation for drainage improvements (2000 lf) along Citrus Road &amp; Greg Court (to Jefferson Highway) in Metairie, LA. Gulf South's scope includes pavement coring and drilling five undisturbed soil borings each to 20 feet below ground surface, lab testing, and engineering analyses (including allowable soil bearing values, bedding and backfill recommendations), estimates of settlement, pavement design recommendations, and general construction recommendations.</p>	
<b>Completion Date (Actual or estimated:)</b>	<b>Estimated Cost:</b>	
	<b>Entire Project:</b>	<b>Work for which Firm was Responsible:</b>
May 2017	N/A	\$8,500 (fee)

## TEC Professional Services Questionnaire

<b>M. List all prior and/or on-going litigation between Firm and Jefferson Parish. Please attach additional pages if necessary.</b>		
<b>Parties:</b>		<b>Status/Result of Case:</b>
<b>Plaintiff:</b>	<b>Defendant:</b>	
1.	<i>Gulf South Engineering and Testing, Inc. is not currently, nor has it previously been involved, in litigation with Jefferson Parish.</i>	
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**N. Use this space to provide any additional information or description of resources supporting Firm’s qualifications for the proposed project.**



### CRITERIA 1 | PROFESSIONAL TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE

**Gulf South Engineering and Testing, Inc.** (Gulf South) is a geotechnical engineering and construction materials testing and inspection company which began operations in 2011. Since that time, we have grown to two offices and nearly three dozen employees.

**Gulf South provides a broad range of geotechnical related services, completing more than 100 geotechnical engineering projects and 300 construction materials testing and inspection projects each year.** These projects typically include soil borings (shallow and deep borings), laboratory testing (AASHTO, ASTM methods, etc.), soil classification (USCS), geotechnical engineering, and construction material testing and field inspection.

**Gulf South is a woman-owned, Hudson Initiative-certified small entrepreneurship in Louisiana. Our laboratory is AASHTO and CCRL certified and USACE validated.**

**Geotechnical Engineering Services**  
 Gulf South’s ownership and senior management have decades of combined experience in the profession and have completed thousands of projects. One of Gulf South’s Principals, Chad M. Poché, P.E., a founding principal and Professional Engineer registered in Civil Engineering in Louisiana and Mississippi, has specific and extensive training & experience in geotechnical engineering. He has three decades of experience in planning, administering, and conducting geotechnical investigations.

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The firm has specific engineering experience and training in **Geotechnical Engineering, Foundation Design, and Geology & Geohydrology**; our staff has extensive experience in all aspects of soil mechanics and geotechnical engineering with specific knowledge in the following areas:

- Shallow and deep foundations (piles, shafts, augercast, screw/anchor piles)
- Deep excavations, cofferdams, retaining walls
- Levees and soft ground construction; slope stability & seepage
- Earthwork; settlement analyses
- Shoreline protection
- Scour analyses
- LRFD Design
- Mechanically Stabilized Earth (MSE) Walls
- Development of load test programs
- Geotechnical instrumentation and construction monitoring
- Canals and pump station foundations
- Pipe bedding and backfill
- Roadways, bridges, pavements

### **Field Investigation Services**

Gulf South owns truck mounted (ARDCO C-1000) and track mounted (ARDCO SD 350) drilling rigs with associated and appurtenant support equipment (water trucks and buggy). Our equipment and crews are capable of drilling soil borings to depths of up to 300 feet and installing monitor wells, piezometers, and inclinometers. We can also perform CPT soundings, geoprobe borings, and field testing at any site. Our staff has extensive experience in planning, oversight, and direction of field investigations.

### **Laboratory Testing Services**

Gulf South's laboratory is equipped to serve the specific needs of our clients and managed by trained and experienced personnel. All testing is performed in accordance with ASTM, AASHTO, and/or other approved procedures. Gulf South routinely performs soil and concrete strength testing (unconfined and triaxial), soil classification tests (Atterberg limits, moisture content, density, particle size), soil and aggregate sieves, organic content, pH, soil resistivity, and moisture/density relationships (Proctor tests). Gulf South's laboratories are managed by full time, experienced, managers and staff. Further, Gulf South's Kenner laboratory is AASHTO and CCRL certified and USACE validated.

### **Construction Materials Testing & Inspection**

Gulf South provides a full range of construction materials testing & inspection services for structures, earthwork, foundations, pipelines, and pavements. The range of services provided includes:

- Fill and base compaction and density testing
- Vibration monitoring

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- Pre- and post-construction inspection
- Concrete testing and inspection
- Soil testing (field and laboratory)
- Asphalt testing
- Pile (driven & augercast) and shaft installation monitoring
- Load tests
- Earthwork/proof roll inspection
- Welding inspection
- Steel inspection
- Noise monitoring
- Prepare daily field reports and/or field books
- Maintain records per the client's directive

We have provided construction testing and oversight for projects as small as fill for a house pad to as large as the **\$1.2 billion Louis Armstrong New Orleans International Airport North Terminal** project.

### CRITERIA 2 | SIZE OF FIRM

At over 30 employees, Gulf South has the appropriate number of employees and personnel for this project. We will complete our scope of services on time and within budget. Further said, Gulf South can readily meet the time and budget constraints for projects assigned to this contract. Our current workload is such that we can expeditiously complete projects for this contract.

### CRITERIA 3 | CAPACITY FOR TIMELY COMPLETION

Activity is dependent on the scope of work as well as site access and conditions, however; typically soil borings can be started within one week of receiving notice to proceed with a final product delivered within 3 to 4 weeks of completing the borings. Gulf South's workload & scheduling, coupled with our headquarters being nearby, will allow for assignment of key personnel shortly after any project is assigned.

### CRITERIA 4 | PAST PERFORMANCE ON PARISH CONTRACTS

Gulf South has worked both directly and indirectly for various Jefferson Parish Departments (Public Works, Engineering Department, Drainage Department, Jefferson Parish School Board, etc.) throughout our history. Beyond the projects included within this form, additional project information (including listings, background, & client contacts) are available upon request. We have also completed similar services for Public and Private concerns throughout the region.

### CRITERIA 5 | LOCATION OF THE PRINCIPAL OFFICE

**Gulf South Engineering and Testing has been headquartered in Jefferson Parish since beginning operations in 2011;** our principal office is located in Jefferson Parish at 15 Veterans Memorial Boulevard in Kenner. We also maintain an office in Gonzales, LA.

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### CRITERIA 6 | LEGAL STATEMENT

As stated in Item M, Gulf South has had no litigation, past or present, with Jefferson Parish, nor any of our clients.

### CRITERIA 7 | PRIOR SUCCESSFUL COMPLETION OF PROJECTS

The Principals and key employees of Gulf South have many years of applicable experience in working for and with Government Agencies and private industry. Founding principal and Executive Vice President of Gulf South, Chad M. Poché, P.E., has been a practicing registered geotechnical engineer in South Louisiana since 1998. He has specialized training and experience in geotechnical engineering throughout Louisiana.

As evidenced in the provided projects and personnel résumés, key personnel experience includes the completion of thousands of projects in the region throughout their careers for a broad range of clients, including both the government and private sectors. We can submit data in formats acceptable and customized to our clients' needs.

Gulf South invites you to contact any of our clients for a candid discussion of our service and professionalism, and offer these direct references:

**Neil Schneider, CCM, P.E., Director, Capital Projects, Jefferson Parish**  
(504-736-6783 | JPPW@jeffparish.net)

**Ben Lepine, Acting Director, Drainage Department, Jefferson Parish**  
(504-736-6751 | JPDrainage@jeffparish.net)

**Angela DeSoto, P.E., Director, Engineering Department, Jefferson Parish**  
(504-736-6511 | ADeSoto@jeffparish.net)

**Mark R. Drewes, P.E., Director, Public Works Department, Jefferson Parish**  
(504-736-6783 | JPPW@jeffparish.net)

**Michael B. Cooper, Parish President, St. Tammany Parish**  
(985-898-2362 | president@stpgov.org)

**Joey Tureau, Director of Transportation, Ascension Parish**  
(225-450-1013 | jtureau@apgov.us)

**José A. Gonzales, CAO, City of Kenner**  
(504-468-4090 | jgonzalez@kenner.la.us)

O. To the best of my knowledge, the foregoing is an accurate statement of facts.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name: Chad M. Poché, P.E.

Title: Executive Vice President

Date: June 6, 2024

## Section Four

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### Pivotal Engineering – SOQ Packet

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## Section 1 - Introduction

Completing engineering projects in the Greater New Orleans area requires a unique blend of technical experience, well-developed understanding of local environmental conditions and sensitivity to community stakeholders. The **Pivotal Engineering, LLC. – BFM – Gulf South** team (herein referred to as “team” or “the team”) is an assembly of firms with a proven track record in delivering quality professional engineering and emergency assessments. The reputation of each firm stands alone as a leader in their respective disciplines. For this project, maximum attention will be given to the technical, social, environmental, and innovative aspects of assessments, design, and maintenance.

The foundation of this team is comprised of both their well-established working relationship and the comprehensive skill set they have collectively. Each firm brings a strong background in one or more of the following disciplines:

- Civil Engineering
- Environmental Engineering
- Coastal Restoration
- Transportation Engineering
- Structural Engineering
- Mechanical Engineering
- Electrical Engineering
- Facility Assessments
- Geotechnical Engineering & Testing
- Data Collection
- Data Management
- Data Analytics & Visualization
- Construction Management
- Construction Inspection
- Disaster Response
- Disaster Recovery
- Grant Management

Under these disciplines, each firm brings strong technical skills not only in the fundamental of engineering design, but in the latest trends, approaches and software needed for modern solutions. The team is well established in database management, geographic information systems (GIS), hydrologic/hydraulic modeling, computer-aided design and real-time monitoring equipment. Our team’s capabilities will provide Jefferson Parish with the most effective and efficient approach for providing high quality services.

As guiding values, the team strives for open communication and continual improvement. With each project, internal processes and methodologies are revised to ensure that planning, design and decision-making conversations are facilitated with efficiency and effectiveness. Each concept is vetted with considerations for innovation, resiliency, added value and technical feasibility. Engineering design must encompass classical theory, industry standards, modern technology and a touch of revolution.

Our integrated team will provide an optimized concurrent engineering environment that provides an opportunity to substantially reduce the design time and total cost of a project. Our integrated team includes skilled members from the various disciplines, which enables a simultaneous contribution to an early project definition and increased likelihood of reduced lifecycle cost. Our team is well positioned to avoid costly alterations later in the design process.

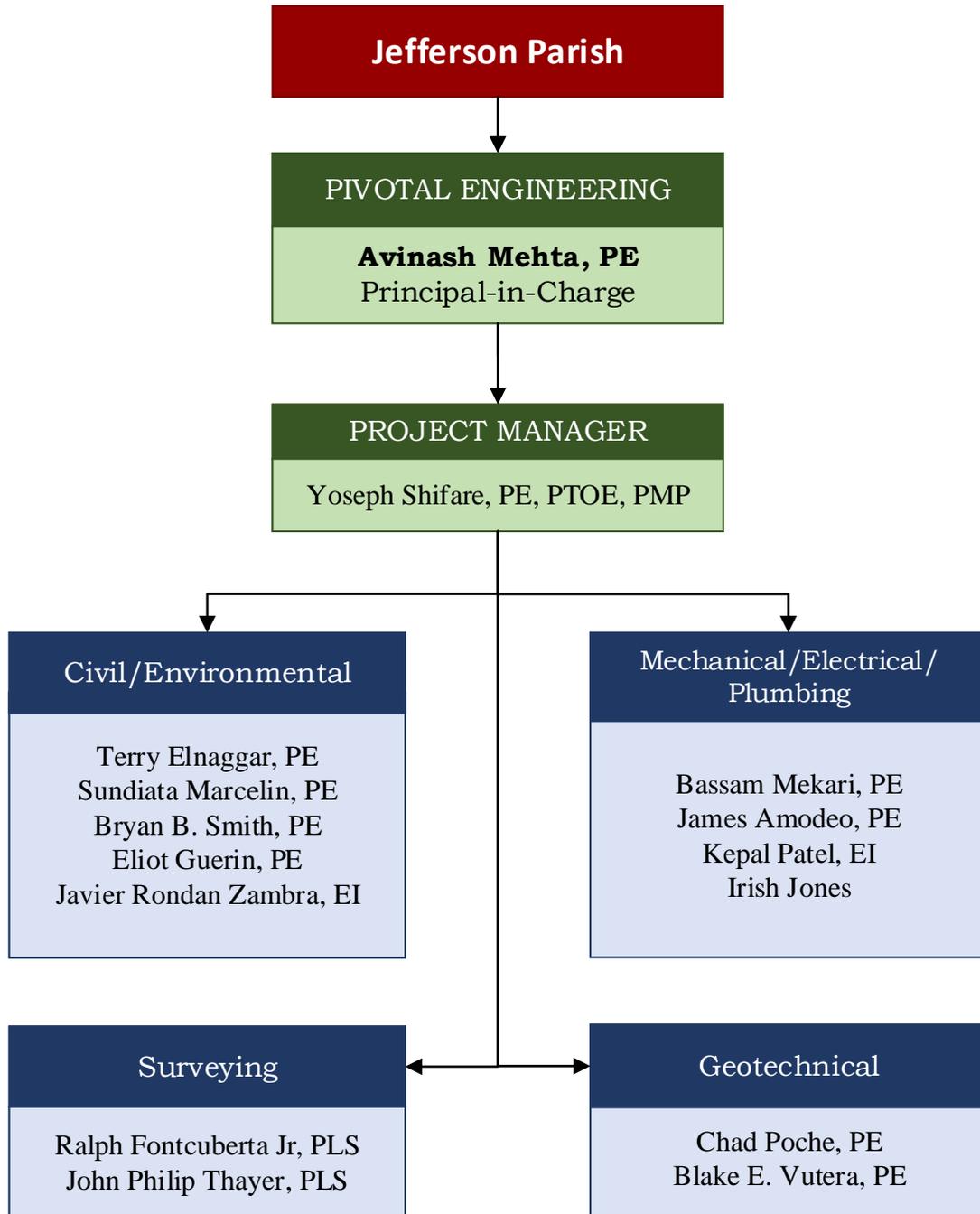
Our **management** team is comprised of experienced managers and task leaders with proven leadership, thoughtfully bringing together capable team members with exceptional technical skills and supporting them with good QA/QC processes. Open lines of communication and weekly internal conference calls will ensure that each project is managed successfully, on time, and within budget and schedule.

Our team is committed to defining the project and setting expectations as our first step toward making that project a success. We, as a team, will apply various techniques for project estimation and cost control including:

- Setting Expectations Early, Review Often
- Planning the Project Budget
- Keeping Track of Costs
- Establishing a Communication Plan
- Maintaining Effective Time Management
- Implement Project Change Control
- Use of Earned Value to Monitor Both Cost and Schedule

Our aim is to provide local talent combined with industry subject matter experts who can guide Jefferson Parish to the optimal solution and manage the implementation to a successful outcome.

# Organizational Chart



## Personnel Qualifications

Pivotal's Key Personnel have proven excellence in managing projects from cradle to grave while providing value engineering, which saved our clients hundreds of thousands of dollars. Our staff was essential in helping metropolitan New Orleans in expediting its post Katrina recovery by handling and completing over 50 critical City, Parish and/or FEMA funded projects. The current staff of Pivotal has extensive experience managing a variety of complex projects from conception to construction.

The majority of the teams's staff has extensive design as well as construction experience. This advantage minimizes contractor change orders, expedites project schedules and improves project details. Our Engineers have great track records with helping our clients meet compressed deadlines while eliminating unnecessary expenses yet delivering better than the intended product. We have also proven to our clients our added "Value Engineering" on several projects, which resulted in direct savings of hundreds of thousands' dollars.

### Principal

**Avinash Mehta, PE**  
**Principal – Client Relations**

#### **Education**

M.S. Civil Engineering, University of Central Florida, 2003

B.S. Civil Engineering, NMU – India, 2000

#### **Professional Associations**

LA PE # 35100

#### **Experience**

Mr. Mehta serves as a Principal of Pivotal Engineering. Mr. Mehta has over 18 years of experience managing civil and

environmental engineering projects including project budget, schedule and scope, coordination of resources, business development and client liaison activities. His experience includes the project management for A&E projects, process and design, civil engineering, water and wastewater engineering, drainage design and permitting, wastewater system design, potable water system design, conceptual planning, and design for coastal restoration projects.

### Project Manager

**Yoseph Shifare, PE, PTOE**  
**Project Manager/Sr. Civil Engineer**

#### **Education**

M.S. Civil Engineering, University of Louisville, Kentucky, 2014

B.S. Civil Engineering, University of Asmara, Eritrea, 2001

#### **Professional Associations**

LA PE # 42747 LA PTOE

#### **Experience**

Mr. Shifare serves as a Project Director of Pivotal Engineering in charge of Civil/Transportation engineering projects. He has over 19 years engineering, project and construction management experience for public infrastructures, industrial, commercial and private facilities. As a project director he designs, lead and manage the day-to-day efforts of engineers on projects that include roadway, traffic, drainage/storm water management, water and wastewater, and landfills. He is responsible to client liaison, manage the strategic aspects of project engagement, review high-level project deliverables, provides leadership, project

accounting and ensures the engineering practice meets or exceeds industry standard.

## **Civil/Environmental Engineering**

**Tarek Elnaggar, PE**  
**Senior Environmental Engineer**

### **Education**

M.S. Civil Engineering, University of California, Berkley, 1988

B.S. Civil Engineering, Louisiana State University, 1985

### **Professional Associations**

Louisiana/Civil/Environmental Engineering/23832

Texas/Civil/Environmental Engineering/85089

Mississippi/Civil/Environmental Engineering/14839

### **Experience**

Mr. Elnaggar serves as a Principal of Pivotal Engineering LLC. He is the lead civil and environmental engineer for the company. His 30 years of experience includes project management and design work in roadways, drainage, sewer, earthen levees, floodwalls, floodgates, and pump stations. He has performed multiple engineering projects for public and private clients on the local, state, and federal level. He has also served on the construction program management side with both municipal, and industrial clients, providing oversight of projects designed by other consultants, providing design reviews and coordination between the consultant and the multiple other agencies involved. His experience includes design and construction management for civil and environmental projects including municipal and industrial solid waste permitting, risk assessments,

water permitting and compliance, air permitting and compliance, emission inventories and reporting, groundwater investigations, regulatory compliance, environmental process design, and permitting.

**Sundiata Marcelin, PE**  
**Civil Engineer**

### **Education**

BS. Civil Engineering

### **Professional Associations**

LA PE # 38589

### **Experience**

Mr. Marcelin has over 10 years of experience in both Civil and Structural Engineering as well as over 15 years of experience in Construction Management. This Civil Engineering experience includes complete urban roadway restoration design with new sewage, water, drainage, and full Right-Of-Way layout in Jefferson, St Bernard, and Orleans Parish. Mr. Marcelin's extensive knowledge of the civil infrastructure and design standards of Orleans Parish makes him a suitable candidate as an experienced design reviewer for both above ground and sub-surface infrastructure. His project experience include roadway, traffic analyses, pavement structural design, use of geosynthetics, geometric design, line and grade analyses, pavement marking, intersection improvements, pedestrian and bicycle lanes or paths, excavation and embankment, traffic, drainage/storm water management, water and wastewater systems.

**Bryan B. Smith, PE**  
**Environmental Engineer**

**Education**

MS / 2014 / Civil and Environmental Engineering

BS / 2011 / Environmental Engineering

**Professional Associations**

LA PE # 0043843/ 2019

**Experience**

Mr. Smith serves as a project engineer at Pivotal Engineering, LLC in support of civil and environmental engineering projects. His projects range from public to private sector and require effort in both the field and the office. He has experience in infrastructure design, project management, permitting, field sampling, flow rate testing and laboratory analysis.

**Eliot Guerin, PE**  
**Civil Engineer**

**Education**

B.S. / 2018 / Civil Engineering

**Professional Associations**

LA PE #0047729 / 2023 / Civil Engineering

**Experience**

Mr. Guerin is a Civil Engineer with 3 years of experience at Pivotal Engineering, focusing on roadway, sanitary sewer, and storm drainage design. His project experience include roadway, traffic analyses, pavement structural design, use of geosynthetics, geometric design, line and grade analyses, pavement marking, intersection improvements, pedestrian and bicycle lanes or paths, excavation and embankment, traffic, drainage/storm water management, water and wastewater, and landfills. He is a very competent design

engineer, and hydraulic & water quality modeler, and has excellent CIVIL 3D skills.

**Javier Rondan Zambra, EI**  
**Civil Designer**

**Education**

M.S. Civil Engineering - 2021

B.S. Civil Engineering – 2018

**Professional Associations**

LA EI #035205 / 2022 / Civil Engineering

**Experience**

Mr. Rondan serves as a civil project engineer with over two (2) years of experience in the transportation sector with a special focus on highway design, construction, and maintenance. He is knowledgeable in traffic engineering design and operation. He is well versed in construction scheduling, means & methods for utility installations and green infrastructure integration.

**Mechanical/Electrical/  
Plumbing Engineering**

**Bassam Rossi Mekari, PE**  
**Principal In Charge/ Senior Electrical Engineer**

**Education**

BS, Electrical Engineering, Louisiana State University 1987

MS in Electrical Engineering - 3 hours remaining

**Professional Associations**

LA PE # 31801, NFPA Member, ASHRAE Member, American Military Engineers

**Experience**

Mr. Mekari serves as a Principal of Pivotal Engineering and the Engineering Manager in charge of all of the electrical engineering

projects. He has over 28 years of experience in designing and installing electrical distribution systems for public, commercial, and industrial facilities such as schools, fire stations, justice centers, police stations, street lights, lift stations, PLC automations and thermal reactors. He also designed/built electrical installations throughout the US and worldwide. Mr. Mekari has designed over 100 electrical systems and will be instrumental in the overall electrical design and project management.

**James Amodeo, PE**  
**Senior Mechanical Engineer**

**Education**

B.S. Mechanical Engineering, S.U.N.Y at Stony Brook, Stony Brook, New York

**Professional Associations**

Louisiana / Mechanical / 36489

Colorado / Mechanical / 36652

**Experience**

Mr. Amodeo serves as the Senior Mechanical Engineer for Pivotal Engineering. He has over 18 years of experience in designing and specifying mechanical and plumbing systems for municipal, industrial, commercial, process and manufacturing applications of all magnitudes. Mr. Amide is an ASHRAE Member, NSPE Member, and ASME Member.

**Kepal Patel, EI**  
**Electrical Engineer Intern**

**Education**

B.S. Electrical Engineering/University of New Orleans

**Professional Associations**

LA EI # 34453 / Electrical Engineering

**Experience**

Mr. Patel serves as an Electrical Designer for Pivotal Engineering. Mr. Patel designing experience includes CADD work, generally to show the pole location, laying out circuit design from the power source to individual poles, type of foundation used, type of fixture used and include its specifications. Currently, he is working on several JP streetlight projects and his role requires Voltage Drop Calculations, Conduit sizes, Wire sizes, grounding and bonding etc. and thus determine what kind of electrical components would be required for the installations.

**Irish Jones**  
**Electrical Designer**

**Education**

5 years of college in Electrical Engineering – University of Texas at Arlington

**Experience**

Mr. Jones serves as the senior electrical designer of Pivotal Engineering. He has over 40 years of experience in designing electrical installations (power distributions) for industrial and commercial applications of all magnitudes. He obtained his first-Class A electrical license in 1967 in Georgia. Being an electrical contractor for over 40 years, Mr. Jones has developed an extensive experience in not only designing and laying out electrical designs, but also in supervising the installations in the construction phase. His expertise allows the team to provide the

BEST and MOST ECONOMICAL Electrical Design for any facility. Due to his experience as an electrician and a contractor, Pivotal will not need to depend on the In-plant electrician while conducting the electrical components field investigations.

## **Geotechnical Engineering**

### **Chad M. Poché, P.E. (Gulf South)** **Geotechnical Engineer**

#### **Education**

M.S., 1998, Civil Engineering, University of New Orleans

B.S., 1993, Civil Engineering, Louisiana State University

#### **Professional Associations**

1998, Civil Engineer, Louisiana No. 27667

2002, Civil Engineer, Mississippi No. 15405

#### **Experience**

Mr. Poché is the Vice President, co-founder, and partner in Gulf South. He has been a consulting geotechnical engineer for nearly 30 years in South Louisiana, working on traditional and unique geotechnical engineering projects (shallow and deep foundation design, slope stability, pavement design, etc.). Mr. Poché has also provided construction oversight for virtually every type of earthwork related project. He has been the geotechnical engineer of record for thousands of projects throughout his career. Further, Mr. Poché is a Member-at-Large of the American Council of Engineering Companies of Louisiana. Mr. Poché's experience includes the development of appropriate scopes of work and proposals for a broad range of projects; planning and coordinating analyses; preparing technical reports; foundation and geotechnical engineering design; construction

recommendations; Miss. River facility permitting; managing personnel and office operations, and; serving as an Expert Witness. Mr. Poché has logged soil borings; overseen the installation of ground water monitoring wells, piezometers, and inclinometers; overseen and evaluated pile load tests; overseen, performed, and evaluated dynamic pile testing (PDA and PIT); performed CMT field testing and inspection; and performed laboratory testing.

### **Blake E. Vutera, PE (Gulf South)** **Geotechnical Engineer**

#### **Education**

M.S., 2018, Civil Engineering, University of New Orleans

Certification - Coastal Engineering, 2018, University of New Orleans

B.S., 2008, Civil Engineering, Louisiana State University

#### **Professional Associations**

2013, Civil Engineer, Louisiana, No. 38607

2018, Professional Engineer, Texas No. 129410

#### **Experience**

Mr. Vutera serves as Gulf South's Engineering Manager and is based in Gulf South's Kenner, LA office. His experience with the firm includes daily work on geotechnical engineering projects as well as managing all geotechnical investigations and providing assistance with laboratory testing and construction materials testing and inspection. Engineering analyses that Mr. Vutera routinely performs include: shallow and deep foundations, slope stability analyses, settlement estimates, and pavement design. He is responsible for engineering design, report preparation, proposal preparation, personnel management, project management, and client interaction. Mr.

Vutera's field work consists of borehole logging; installation of ground water monitoring wells, piezometers, and inclinometers; overseen and evaluated pile load tests; overseen, performed, and evaluated dynamic pile testing (PDA and PIT); pavement coring; nuclear field density tests; and hand augers. Mr. Vutera has been the geotechnical engineer of record for hundreds of projects throughout his career.

## **Land Surveying**

### **Ralph Fontcuberta Jr, PLS (BFM)** **Professional Land Surveyor**

#### **Education**

Coursework, Building, Delgado College, New Orleans

Coursework, Math, University of New Orleans

#### **Professional Associations**

1974, Professional Land Surveyor (Louisiana Lic. No. 4329)

1974, Professional Land Surveyor (Mississippi Lic. No. 1633)

#### **Experience**

Ralph P. Fontcuberta, Jr., PLS has provided services on an almost incalculable number of surveying projects throughout southeastern Louisiana in the past half century and has been a registered Professional Land Surveyor (PLS) since 1974. He is thoroughly knowledgeable in all aspects of surveying: topographic, hydrographic, boundary, right-of-way surveying, and all facets thereof. He has provided surveying services for residential, plant, and industrial layout projects, ranging from small private lots & buildings to multi-million-dollar programs, including the New Orleans FEMA Streets/Recovery Roads Program. Since the beginning of his career, his work has entailed

computations, drafting, and field work for various industrial, commercial, municipal, and private clients. Projects have included topographic surveying needed for a wide variety of engineering, architectural, construction, and other related endeavors. This work has included projects for numerous branches of virtually every regional city/parish/town government, multiple State agencies, Federal agencies, private/public companies, and numerous other public/private entities.

### **John Philip Thayer (BFM)** **Field Operations Supervisor**

#### **Education**

B.S., 2007, Physical Education, Trevecca Nazarene University

#### **Professional Associations**

Professional Land Surveyor Registration in process, State of Louisiana

#### **Experience**

Mr. Thayer is a Field Operations Supervisor with considerable experience in field surveying services, including ALTA/as-built surveying, construction layout, boundary, topographic, cross-sections, GPS use, and numerous other surveying types.

## **Section 4 - Team Profile & Experience**

### **4.1 Team Profile**

#### **Pivotal Engineering**

Pivotal is a full-service engineering design firm based in New Orleans, Louisiana. Pivotal has established a reputation for providing superior service to its clients and delivering quality work on time and within budget. Pivotal's principals and staff have in excess of 200 years of combined experience in architectural, civil, mechanical, electrical, structural and environmental engineering as well as construction management, construction inspection and program / project management for both public and private entities across the Gulf South Region.

Pivotal Engineering is currently providing engineering and management services to many municipalities and state agencies in the region including; the City of New Orleans, Jefferson Parish, the City of Shreveport, St. Charles Parish, and St. John the Baptist Parish. These services have also been provided to private clients such as Entergy, Waste Management, and private developers. Pivotal Engineering has in depth understanding of procedures and regulations for local, state, and federal governmental agencies.

Pivotal has worked with private developers and government agencies to help deal with the challenges of economic revitalization, landfill development and brownfield reclamation in order to accommodate the growing infrastructure needs of urban cities. Our primary focus begins with assisting public sector agencies and private development companies to effectively plan and accommodate growth, in an environmentally sustainable manner. We have assisted urban renewal projects throughout all stages of project development including: analyzing zoning issues, planning commission interaction, conducting

public hearings, and fostering community visioning and support.

Pivotal is a certified Small Business Enterprise with both the Small Business Administration and the New Orleans Regional Transit Authority. Furthermore, Pivotal is a Disadvantaged Business Enterprise with City of New Orleans, Sewerage & Water Board of New Orleans, Louis Armstrong New Orleans International Airport, Harrah's New Orleans Casino & Hotel, and the Housing Authority of New Orleans (HANO). Pivotal Engineering is also certified by the Louisiana Department of Economic Development as a Small Entrepreneurship SE (Hudson Initiative) firm.

Pivotal Engineering, LLC is conveniently located in the center of New Orleans. Since its inception, Pivotal's main office of operations has been at 1515 Poydras St. Suite 1875, New Orleans, LA. Work assigned to Pivotal will be performed from the main office.

### **4.2 Experience with similar projects:**

Pivotal Engineering's team includes senior civil and environmental engineers and technicians with extensive experience and excellence in managing projects from cradle to grave while providing value engineering, which saved our clients hundreds of thousands of dollars. Our staff was essential in helping metropolitan New Orleans in expediting its post Katrina recovery by handling and completing over 50 critical City, Parish and/or FEMA funded projects. The current staff of Pivotal has extensive experience managing a variety of complex projects from conception to construction.

## Clearview & Airline Intersection Improvements; Jefferson Parish, LA

- Roadway Paving and Curb Design
- Subsurface Drainage
- Construction Management

Pivotal was retained to assist in the Clearview-Airline Intersection Improvements project. The scope of the project includes the following: widening of the median along Airline Drive to provide for triple left turn lanes, modifying the intersection of Airline Drive and Central Avenue, relocating and replacing the 20' transit water line, modifying the existing traffic signal system along Airline Drive at the intersection of Clearview Parkway and Central Avenue, and extending Rosedale to tie into Airline Drive.



## Pritchard Rd. Extension; Jefferson Parish, LA

Pivotal Engineering is retained by Jefferson Parish to design roadway reconstruction and extension of Pritchard Road. The project scope includes the following:

1. Remove and replace existing 20 ft wide concrete roadway and replace with 26ft wide roadway and extend 130 ft to connect Pritchard Road to Sprig Street.
2. Remove and replace existing drainage piping. The design of drainage pipe networks is completed for a 10 years storm period using LADOTD drainage software.

3. Relocated existing street side ditch with a new ditch and box culvert. Drainage ditch, box culvert and junction box is designed for 10 years storm period.
4. Existing 10" and 18" SFM were required to be vertical and horizontal offset.



## Bonnabel Bike Path – Metairie Rd. to Levee; Jefferson Parish, LA

Pivotal Engineering was retained by Jefferson Parish to provide a drainage analysis and A/E design services for the Bonnabel Bike Path (From Metairie Rd to Levee line at Lake Pontchartrain). Pivotal Engineering staff performed a drainage analysis to calculate 10-year discharge from the contributing areas. Pivotal staff incorporated the approved scope of work into the project which included components such as Architectural, Civil and Electrical Design as well as the drainage analysis. In addition, Pivotal personnel was responsible for reviewing the topographic survey and develop final design and layout plans, grading plans, lighting plans, signage plans and specifications, as required by local, state, and/or federal agencies. The project is valued at 3 million in construction.



## **Labarre Rd Railroad Crossing Drainage Improvements; Jefferson Parish, LA**

### *Design & Construction Administration*

Pivotal was retained by Jefferson Parish to provide preliminary and final design phase services for design and construction plan preparation of the Labarre Rd. Railroad Crossing Drainage Improvement. The major scope of the improvement includes:

1. The construction of a box at the south west corner of Labarre and the Norfolk railroad; construction of a box at the south east corner of Labarre and the Norfolk railroad; replacement of sidewalk access across the ditch adjacent to the tracks; and provide handicap ramps across the street from the crossing, due to the tight right of way at the corner. The designer makes sure that the handicap ramp is being built within Parish right of way.
2. The boxes are designed to accommodate all of the existing drain lines in the area in order to preserve current drainage patterns at the crossing.
3. Construction of the box on the east required removal and replacement of ½ of

Labarre Road and of the rail road crossing arm.

4. Construction requires deep sheeting, due to proximity of tracks, possibly a coffer dam.
5. Full width of Labarre will be milled and overlaid.

## **Wright Road Improvements; New Orleans, LA**

Pivotal personnel are retained by the City of New Orleans for the design of Wright Road located in New Orleans East. The project entails the design of a new roadway section, subsurface sewer, water and drainage facilities, the relocation of conflicting utilities, as well as the development of specifications and construction oversight. Pivotal engineering staff have also been required to provide public coordination, agency approvals, oversee contractor compliance, and represent the Owner at various public meetings.

1. Review the required topographical survey of existing site conditions prior to start of design phase.
2. Design new drainage network for 10 years return period.
3. Design new gravity sewer collection system to replace existing system that had been in service for more than 40 years.
4. Design new water main and located it on the median.
5. Design new street for tie-in to side streets.
6. Coordinate all efforts with various private & public utility companies, state & local agencies, as well as civic & community organizations.



### **RR016 BW Cooper, Gert Town Dixon Group C; New Orleans, LA**

Pivotal is retained by City of New Orleans to provide roadway full reconstruction including subsurface improvements (drainage, sewer and water line improvement). The project entails roadway rehabs 9 blocks (3245 ft) in the neighborhood of B.W. Cooper, Gert Town and Dixon. This design of multiple streets are required to meet rehabilitation goals set by FEMA and CNO and water line replacement program set by S&WB. The project also included identifying and designing the geometrics of the streets, preparation of capital cost estimates and construction documents for the project.

Pivotal is also responsible for administering the required topographical survey of existing site conditions prior to start of design phase.

Pivotal is also responsible for coordinating all efforts with various private & public utility companies, state & local agencies, as well as civic & community organizations.

This project was federally funded.



### **RR017 BW Cooper, Gert Town Dixon Group D; New Orleans, LA**

#### *Drainage, Sewer, & Waterline Improvements*

Pivotal is retained by City of New Orleans to provide roadway full reconstruction including subsurface improvements (drainage, sewer and water line improvement). The project entails roadway rehabs to 12 blocks (4,015 ft) in the neighborhood of B.W. Cooper, Gert Town and Dixon. This design of multiple streets are required to meet rehabilitation goals set by FEMA and CNO and water line replacement program set by S&WB. The project also included identifying and designing the geometrics of the streets, preparation of capital cost estimates and construction documents for the project.

Pivotal is also responsible for administering the required topographical survey of existing site conditions prior to start of design phase.

Pivotal is also responsible for coordinating all efforts with various private & public utility companies, state & local agencies, as well as civic & community organizations.

This project was federally funded.



### **RR018 BW Cooper, Gert Town Dixon Group E; New Orleans, LA**

Pivotal is retained by City of New Orleans to provide roadway full reconstruction including subsurface improvements (drainage, sewer and water line improvement). The project entails roadway rehabs to 15 blocks (6,075 ft) in the neighborhood of B.W. Cooper, Gert Town and Dixon. This design of multiple streets are required to meet rehabilitation goals set by FEMA and CNO and water line replacement program set by S&WB. The project also included identifying and designing the geometrics of the streets, preparation of capital cost estimates and construction documents for the project.

Pivotal is also responsible for administering the required topographical survey of existing site conditions prior to start of design phase.

Pivotal is also responsible for coordinating all efforts with various private & public utility companies, state & local agencies, as well as civic & community organizations.



### **RR019 BW Cooper, Gert Town Dixon Group F; New Orleans, LA**

#### *Street Improvements, Drainage, & Water Improvements*

Pivotal is retained by City of New Orleans to provide roadway full reconstruction including subsurface improvements (drainage, sewer and water line improvement). The project entails roadway rehabs to 6 blocks (2,100 ft) in the neighborhood of B.W. Cooper, Gert Town and Dixon. This design of multiple streets are required to meet rehabilitation goals set by FEMA and CNO and water line replacement program set by S&WB. The project also included identifying and designing the geometrics of the streets, preparation of capital cost estimates and construction documents for the project.

Pivotal is also responsible for administering the required topographical survey of existing site conditions prior to start of design phase.

Pivotal is also responsible for coordinating all efforts with various private & public utility companies, state & local agencies, as well as civic & community organizations.

## **Attachment A**

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### **Licenses**

Louisiana Professional Engineering  
and  
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*Hereby Certifies that*

Pivotal Engineering LLC

*has complied with the regulation of this Board and is authorized  
to provide or to offer to provide engineering services in the State of  
Louisiana contingent upon payment of the annual renewal fee.*

*Baton Rouge, Louisiana · 12/20/2012*



*License Number 5213*

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*Chairman*  
*Jane E. Bawie Jr.*  
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*Secretary*

## **Attachment B**

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### **Key Staff Licenses**



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