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If you would like to review the bid in its entirety, please contact the buyer. Thank you.



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Abandoned Mine Lands and Reclamation
c/o State of West Virginia Department of Administration
Purchasing Division
2019 Washington Street, East
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Attn: Chuck Bowman, Buyer

**Expression of Interest – Engineering Services for Maben Prep Plant & Refuse Pile
Requisition # DEP14237**

Dear Mr. Bowman:

Buchart Horn Inc. (BH) is pleased to present our Expression of Interest for engineering and construction phase services related to the Maben Prep Plant and Refuse Pile in Wyoming County. We have reviewed your project announcement, visited the project site, and reviewed the project requirements. Based on our understanding of this information and on our preliminary assessment of the potential project solutions, we are very confident in our team's ability to provide you quality, cost efficient service for this assignment.

BH is a full-service engineering and architectural firm with offices in Charleston, Morgantown and 20 other locations in the eastern United States and Germany. We have strong experience in site stabilization and remediation design. Our local staff includes registered Professional Engineers and individuals with experience in the AML program, specifically with site reclamation and mine portal excavation and closure. Our team also includes Novel GeoEnvironmental Services, a subconsultant firm that specializes in soils engineering and site characterization. G. Joseph Crittenden will serve as our Project Manager. Mr. Crittenden brings over 25 years of site design experience, including portal closure and remediation projects. At Mr. Crittenden's disposal are over 350 professionals including specialists in site and civil engineering, structural, geological, and hydrological engineering, planning, mapping, and site surveying.

In accordance with the instructions outlined in your Request for Expressions of Interest, this package contains a completed copy of the DEP AML Consultant Confidential Qualification Questionnaire. We have also provided additional details on our firm, recent relevant projects, and our proposed project team.

Should you have any questions concerning the information presented herein, please do not hesitate to contact me. We look forward to your favorable review of our Expression of Interest and the opportunity to serve the West Virginia Department of Environmental Protection.

Very truly yours,
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