



April 28, 2022

Jeff McCoy President Helm Group 2279 Yellow Creek Road Freeport, IL 61032

RE: Notice of Award Contract, #COG-21311, to Helm Group in response to COG-2131 for Job Order Contracting Services in the State of Illinois

Dear Jeff:

On behalf of Equalis Group and The Cooperative Council of Governments, thank you for your interest and participation in this Invitation for Bid ("**IFB**") process to develop Equalis Group's Job Order Contracting Services in the State of Illinois program. After careful review and scoring of the proposals submitted, it is the decision of the Proposal Review Team that your organization's proposal are the lowest responsive and responsible proposals for the following contract opportunities.

JOC Contracts	Products & Services	Region
COG-2131-MC1-A	Mechanical/HVAC Contracting	1
COG-2131-MC2-A	Mechanical/HVAC Contracting	2
COG-2131-MC3-A	Mechanical/HVAC Contracting	3

Accompanying this Award Letter is the fully executed contract documents. The Master Agreement contract award and final agreement will be presented to the CCOG Board of Directors for ratification on behalf of Equalis Group. With the completion of Master Agreement and Administration Agreement, Equalis Group and Helm Group will be authorized to proceed under the terms of that contract and provide the goods and/or services contracted to current and future Equalis Group members in accordance with the terms, conditions, and pricing as set forth and negotiated pursuant to the RFP.¹

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me immediately.

Sincerely,

David Robbins

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¹ ANY PARTY SEEKING TO PROTEST THIS NOTICE OF INTENT TO AWARD MUST SUBMIT A WRITTEN PROTEST IN ACCORDANCE WITH RFP #COG-2131.