



**GULF CONSORTIUM
NOTICE OF INTENDED DECISION OF AWARD**

Solicitation Title: Request for Proposals for Independent Audit Services for FY Ending September 30, 2017

Advertised on the Gulf Consortium's website and DemandStar
Number of proposals received: 5

The following vendors responded with proposals:
Warren Averet CPAs & Advisors
Withum Smith + Brown, PC
Clifton, Larson, & Allen LLP
Carr Riggs & Ingram LLC
Moore, Stephens, Lovelace P.A.

RANKING

1st Moore, Stephens, Lovelace P.A.
2nd Clifton, Larson, & Allen LLP
3rd Warren Averet CPAs & Advisors

BID PROTEST:

Any bid award recommendation may be protested on the grounds of irregularities in the specifications, bid procedure, or the evaluation of the bid. Such notice of intent of bid protest shall be made in writing to the Manager within 72 consecutive hours after posting of this Notice of Intended Decision of Award (excluding Saturdays and Sundays). Protestor shall file a formal written bid challenge within 10 days after the date in which the notice of intent of bid protest has been submitted. Failure to file a notice of intent of bid protest or failure to file a formal written bid protest with the proper bond will constitute a waiver of all rights granted.

**POSTING IS VALID FOR 72 CONSECUTIVE HOURS FROM THE DATE AND TIME
STATED BELOW, EXCLUDING SATURDAYS AND SUNDAYS**

CERTIFICATIONS:

I certify that the above statements are correct.

Signature

The Balmoral Group Controller
Title

William Smith
Name (Typed/Printed)

September 28, 2017
Date and Time of Posting