

City of Temecula

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June 25, 2025

OrangeBlue General Contractors 27071 Cabot Rd, Suite 108 Laguna Hills, CA 92653

Re: Bid Protest – Temecula Project No. PW21-13 – Murrieta Creek Trail Solar Lights Project: Failure to List Required Subcontractors

Dear Mr. Arman Tehrani,

In accordance with Temecula Municipal Code Section 3.32.060 Protest Procedures, the Finance Director is tasked with reviewing your bid protest and making a determination regarding the validity of the protest. If the Finance Director is unable to resolve the protest, it shall be referred to the City Manager for a final and conclusive determination.

In response to your bid protest letter dated June 12, 2025, protesting the bid submission of Metrocell for failure to include the list of subcontractors in their bid packet, the City has reviewed your request and has found your claim to be valid. As such, the City deems Metrocell's bid as non-responsive and will award the contract to the second responsive bidder.

Sincerely,

Jennifer Hennessy Finance Director

cc: City Clerk; Public Works Director; City Attorney