

May 17, 2021

Central Iron County Water Conservancy District  
Board of Directors  
88 E Fiddlers Canyon Rd, Ste 220  
Cedar City, Utah 84721

Re: **CICWCD Award Recommendation**  
**Chekshani Cliffs Well Equipping and Waterline Project – SU1037**  
**New Harmony, Utah**

Dear Boardmembers,

The Chekshani Cliffs Well and Waterline Project will provide the residents of Chekshani with a reliable drinking water source with a safe, aesthetic drinking water quality. Funding has been made possible by the United States Department of Agriculture, Rural Development (USDA RD).

Bids were received for this project on Thursday April 29, 2021.

Seven prequalified companies were solicited to bid on this project. Of the seven, three companies attended the Pre-bid meeting. These include Interstate Rock Products, Munford General Contracting, and John Orton Excavating.

Bids were received by two contractors and opened on Thursday, April 29, 2021. The table below is the bid comparison for the two bids received.

Contractor	Bid Amount
Munford General Contracting	\$338,559.00
John Orton Excavating	\$415,219.05

The funding package for the project is \$710,000.00 loan/grant mix from the USDA’s Water and Wastewater Disposal program. The bid was done by line items and unit pricing. This allows the CICWCD to adjust contract quantities. (See Attached Bid Schedule)

Ensign Engineering recommends that the CICWCD award the Chekshani Cliffs Well and Waterline Project contract to Munford General Contracting in the amount of \$338,559.00.

Sincerely,



Justin Christensen, EIT  
Ensign Engineering