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We are pleased to offer a short update on the progress of the South Florida Military Installation Resilience Review (MIRR) grant from the Department of Defense's Office of Local Defense Community Cooperation (OLDCC). In September, OLDCC notified the South Florida Regional Planning Council (SFRPC) that we were awarded the MIRR grant to conduct a regional study including Naval Air Station Key West, Homestead Air Reserve Base (HARB), U.S. Army Garrison-Miami/Southern Command Headquarters, the Navy's South Florida Ocean Measurement Facility, and associated tenant and co-located U.S. Coast Guard commands at these installations. The Council formed a South Florida MIRR Selection Committee at its September meeting.

On October 20<sup>th</sup>, the SFRPC released two related Requests for Proposals (RFPs) in support of the project; one to assist with local military command coordination, mission analysis, state-wide military support engagement, and overall project management (MIRR-2), as well as a second RFP (MIRR-1) to focus on the required technical assessment and analysis work. A cone of silence commenced. Respondents had the option to respond to either or both RFPs by November 30<sup>th</sup>. Two open houses to answer applicant questions were held. On December 16<sup>th</sup>, the Council's South Florida MIRR Selection Committee met to rank the proposals that were received by the Council related to the MIRR-1 and MIRR-2. Four responses were received for the MIRR-1, one response for the MIRR-2, and one response for both the MIRR-1 and MIRR-2. At this meeting, the South Florida Defense Alliance (MIRR-2) was unanimously selected as the most qualified applicant for the MIRR-2. The Council's Selection Committee then proceeded to rank by order of preference the top three proposals for the MIRR-1 for future interviews.

On January 6<sup>th</sup>, the Council's South Florida MIRR Selection Committee met once again to interview the top three ranked firms. Jacobs was selected the top vendor followed by AECOM and ATM/GeoSyntec. Contracting will follow this month with an anticipated project kick-off in February 2022 and project completion estimated for 18-months later.

Recommendation

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