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Eric Stein
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Dear Mr. Stein:

The Illinois Tollway is in receipt of your FOIA request for the following information related to solicitation number 22032244, 13-0202 Fiber Optic Maintenance and Management:

1. All submissions provided by Solicitation bidders other than LTS Managed Technical Services LLC (Ledcor Group) – We believe this was “G4S Technology LLC”, but if any other bid submissions were received, please provide copies thereof, *to specifically include* the unit price bid tabulations for the successful bidder.
2. All grading and/or scoring sheets for all bid submissions received and scored by the Illinois Tollway team which reviewed the bids submitted.
3. *Any and all* pre- and post-award correspondence between Illinois Tollway Authority and the successful bidder G4S Technology LLC regarding the Solicitation.
4. The contract executed between the Illinois Tollway Authority and G4S Technology LLC related to the Solicitation and subsequent award of contract 13-0202 Fiber Optic Maintenance and Management, *to specifically include* the unit price sheet and any other pricing information.

Please note that the Tollway has redacted portions of the records that contain proprietary and confidential financial information, as well as private information.

Per 5 ILCS 140/7 (g), “Trade secrets and commercial or financial information obtained from a person or business where the trade secrets or commercial or financial information are furnished under a claim that they are proprietary, privileged or confidential, and that disclosure of the trade secrets or commercial or financial information would cause competitive harm to the person or business, and only insofar as the claim directly applies to the records requested.” ISG Public Sector has identified certain portions of their proposal as being proprietary and a trade secret. They have identified a small portion of their proposal that they have indicated, if released, would compromise their competitive position in the market causing them competitive harm if released. After reviewing the documents it was determined that ISG has narrowly tailored their claim to two parts that are sufficiently narrow as meet the criteria set forth in the exemption.

Additionally, please note that the Tollway has redacted portions of the records that contain private information, which are exempt under Section 7(1)(b). " 'Private information' means unique identifiers, including a person's social security number, driver's license number, employee identification number, biometric identifiers, personal financial information, passwords or other access codes, medical records, home or personal telephone numbers, and personal email addresses. Private information also includes home address and personal license plates, except as otherwise provided by law or when compiled without possibility of attribution to any person." 5 ILCS 140/2(c-5)

Please note that Joelle McGinnis, Freedom of Information Officer, was responsible for the denials referenced herein. You have a right to have the denial of your request reviewed by the Public Access Counselor (PAC) at the Office of the Illinois Attorney General. 5 ILCS 140/9.5(a). You can file your Request for Review with the PAC by writing to:

Public Access Counselor
Office of the Attorney General
500 South 2nd Street
Springfield, Illinois 62706
Fax: 217-782-1396
E-mail: publicaccess@atg.state.il.us

You also have the right to seek judicial review of your denial by filing a lawsuit in the State circuit court. 5 ILCS 140/11.

If you choose to file a Request for Review with the PAC, you must do so within 60 calendar days of the date of this denial letter. 5 ILCS 140/9.5(a). Please note that you must include a copy of your original FOIA request and this denial letter when filing a Request for Review with the PAC.

Respectfully,

Joelle McGinnis
Freedom of Information Officer