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Odilon Maldonado

Dale Inc.

12410 W. Horsehead Dr., #8

New Lenox, IL 60451

Subject: Notice of Suspension – Village of Orland Pak Code Section 1-16-15(A)

Dear Mr. Maldonado,

A bid was submitted by Dale, Inc. ("Company") for ITB 26-018 – Asphalt Pavement Patching on February 19, 2026. The completed certifications and supporting documentation submitted by the Company in support of its bid, contained multiple irregularities, including noncompliant and outdated documentation purportedly issued by the Chicago Laborer's Training Program. Specifically, the purported documentation from the Chicago Laborers' Training Program was backdated by over a year and failed to identify the number of graduates who matriculated in FY 2025, in contrast to similar letters received by the Village from the same Program.

The Chicago Laborer's Training Program subsequently confirmed that the letter submitted by the Company in support of its bid was falsified.

Based on the above-detailed information, the Village has determined that the Company engaged in misrepresentation and submitted falsified documentation in connection with a Village solicitation. This conduct constitutes cause for suspension under Village Code Section 1-16-15(B), including but not limited to subsections (2), (6), and (7), as it reflects a lack of business integrity and honesty and violates ethical standards related to contracting.

Pursuant to Village Code Section 1-16-15(A), and with the approval of the Village Manager, the Company is hereby suspended from eligibility to receive any purchase order, contract, or other agreement with the Village for a period of three (3) years. This suspension is effective immediately upon issuance of this notice.

In accordance with Village Code Section 1-16-15(C), the Company has the right to appeal this suspension by filing a written notice of appeal with the Office of the Village Clerk within five (5) days of receipt of this notice. The notice of appeal must state each position and reason in support of the appeal. The Village Board will consider the appeal and issue a written decision, which shall be final.

Please be advised that this suspension applies to all current and future solicitations, contracts, and agreements with the Village during the stated suspension period.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions at 708-403-6195.

Thank you

Brandi Watson

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Purchasing/Contract Administrator