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Subject Revised Letter of Interest

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Good Morning Kathy,

Wes Kellogg asked me to resubmit this response packet for the Off-System Truss project. The only change is that Sean McGraw was moved from the list of "Bridge Inspectors" to the list of "Inspection Support Staff" on the Project Team page.

### Brent Bolerjack, P.E.

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Via Email: khurst@odot.org

October 8, 2010

Attn: Kathy Hurst Oklahoma Department of Transportation Project Management Division, Room 1C-4A 200 N. E. 21st Street Oklahoma City, OK 73105-3204

Re: Letter of Interest – Off-System Bridge Inspection Engineering Contract No. 1321 BWR Project No. 2010-0382

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# **PROJECT TEAM**





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Bucher, Willis & Ratliff Corporati	on	Steven D. Harris	s, PE, Executive Vice President, 4	405-748-6651
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<ul> <li>Other experience and qualifications relevant to the proposed project: Mr. Harris began his engineering experience providing bridge and materials testing during construction for several bridge projects in Kansas. He was also the on-site Field Engineer during bridge construction along with providing survey for bridge design, assisted in developing bridge design plans and performed drainage designs.</li> <li>Since joining BWR, Mr. Harris has primarily been involved in transportation projects in Kansas, Oklahoma, Missouri, Texas and Alabama. He has been responsible for a variety of design and construction projects. These projects have included land acquisitions, Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) programs, utility relocates, design for rehabilitated pavements, new pavements for roadways , runways, taxiways and parking facilities, surface and subsurface drainage improvements, signage, fencing, access control systems, and lighting.</li> <li>As a Project Manager, Mr. Harris has recently served at BWR for the following projects:</li> <li>SH-51 over Billy Creek, Wagoner County</li> <li>Construct New Fuel Facility, Will Rogers World Airport, Oklahoma City, OK</li> <li>SH-131 Bridge Replacements, Coal County, OK</li> <li>State Park Improvements, Oklahoma Aeronautics Commission</li> <li>Entrance Road, Parking Area and Taxiway, Okeene, OK</li> <li>Rehabilitate Runway 12-30, T/W B &amp; E, Salina, KS</li> <li>SH-82, Sequoyah County</li> <li>Flower Aviation Facility, Will Rogers World Airport, Oklahoma City, OK</li> <li>Construct New Fuel Facility, Will Rogers World Airport, Oklahoma City, OK</li> <li>SH-82, Sequoyah County</li> <li>Flower Aviation Facility Will Rogers World Airport, Oklahoma City, OK</li> <li>SH-82, Sequoyah County</li> <li>Flower Aviation Facility, Will Rogers World Airport, Oklahoma City, OK</li> <li>Construct New Fuel Facility, Will Rogers World Airport, Oklahoma City, OK</li> <li>SH-31 over Keel Creek, Coal County, KS</li> <li>Land Acquisition, Miami County, KS</li> <li>SH-31 over Keel Creek, C</li></ul>	<ul> <li>g. Other experience and qualifications relevant to the proposed project: Since joining BWR in 1993, Mr. Johnston has worked as a construction inspector, bridge inspector and structural designer on various bridge projects. In addition, since 1997, Mr. Johnston has also been involved in civil/transportation projects.</li> <li>Roadway design project tasks have included preliminary alignment studies, alignment calculations, drainage calculations, environmental permit applications, construction traffic control, permanent pavement marking and signing, construction cost estimating, and plan quantity calculations for construction plans, as well as work on utility and right-of-way plans. He has participated in the design and plan production of over 50 bridge structures including straight, skewed and curved bridges constructed of concrete slabs, prestressed concrete girders and structural steel girders.</li> <li>Specific experience in the design and plan production of transportation projects includes: <ul> <li>SH-51 Spur over Pecan Creek - Cherokee County, OK</li> <li>SH-51 over Billy Creek - Wagoner County, OK</li> <li>SH-51 over Lindsey Creek – Ottawa County, KS</li> <li>I-20/FM 600 Interchange – Abilene District, TX</li> <li>SH-51 over Em Creek - Wagoner County, OK</li> <li>US-70 over Kiamichi River – Choctaw County, OK</li> <li>SH-51 over Bill Creek - Wagoner County, OK</li> <li>SH-51 over Bill Creek - Wagoner County, OK</li> <li>SH-51 over Bill Creek - Wagoner County, OK</li> <li>SH-51 over Em Creek - Wagoner County, OK</li> <li>SH-51 over Em Creek - Wagoner County, OK</li> <li>SH-51 over Bill Creek - Wagoner County, OK</li> <li>SH-51 over Em Creek - Sequoyah County, OK</li> <li>SH-51 over Em Creek - Sequoyah County, OK</li> <li>SH-82 over Box Creek – Sequoyah County, OK</li> <li>SH-82 over Box Creek – Sequoyah County, OK</li> <li>SH-99 over Deep Fork River an</li></ul></li></ul>

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	a. Name and Title: David B. Lanfair, El Engineer Intern, Transportation Engineering
b. Project Assignment: Project Manager, Lead Inspection Engineer	b. Project Assignment: Bridge Inspector
c. Name of firm with which associated: Bucher, Willis & Ratliff Corporation	c. Name of firm with which associated: Bucher, Willis & Ratliff Corporation
d. Years experience: With this firm 6 With other firms 0	d. Years experience: With this firm 3 With other firms
e. Education: Degree(s)/Year/Specialization Bachelor of Science, 2002, Civil Engineering	e. Education: Degree(s)/Year/Specialization Bachelor of Science, 2007, Civil Engineering
<ul> <li>f. Active Registration: State/Year first registered/Discipline/Oklahoma License Number Oklahoma/2007/PE/22546</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>f. Active Registration: State/Year first registered/Discipline/ Oklahoma License Number Oklahoma/2007/EI/13769</li> </ul>
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g. Other experience and qualifications relevant to the proposed project:	g. Other experience and qualifications relevant to the proposed project:
<ul> <li>Mr. Bolerjack has served as Team Leader for multiple specialized bridge inspection projects for the Oklahoma Department of Transportation. He has performed fracture critical inspections on a majority of the State's on-system fracture critical bridges including the Oklahoma City I-40 Crosstown Bridge. Mr. Bolerjack has also had seven years experience with performing elemental and Pontis inspections for bridges statewide and is proficient with the Pontis bridge inspection software. In addition to having taken both the two week bridge inspection course and the fracture critical techniques course, Bolerjack also has his commercial driver's license and has plenty of experience handling varying bridge access vehicles.</li> <li>Since joining BWR, Mr. Bolerjack's design tasks have included storm drainage calculations including culvert sizing, storm sewer system design and runoff detention, prestressed concrete beam shop drawing review and bridge design tasks. In addition he has been performing elemental and fracture critical bridge inspection for the 2006/2008 ODOT Fracture Critical Project.</li> <li>General types of civil design projects have included rural multi-lane divided highways, rural two-lane highways, and city streets. Design tasks have included geometric alignment layouts; storm drainage calculations including for roadway/access improvements.</li> <li>Specific experience in the design and plans production of transportation projects includes:</li> <li>SH-82- Sequoyah County, OK</li> <li>FM 600/1H-20 Bridge-Abilene, TX</li> <li>I-235/6<sup>th</sup> Street Off-Ramp – Oklahoma City, OK</li> <li>SH-99-Lincoln County, OK</li> <li>SH-31 over Keel Creek, Coal County, OK</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Mr. Lanfair joined BWR in the June of 2007 after earning his Bachelor of Science degree in Civil Engineering from Oklahoma State University in May of 2007. Since joining the BWR team, he has been a design engineer working on a variety of projects for the Transportation team.</li> <li>Prior to joining BWR as an engineering intern Mr. Lanfair interned at BWR in the summer of 2006 and again in the winter of 2006. He has been assisting with the ODOT Fracture Critical Bridge Inspection contracts. Mr. Lanfair's design tasks have included plan production and CAD work on load posted bridge plans for the Oklahoma Department of Transportation. He also was involved in project closeout for several airport construction projects.</li> <li>Specific experience in the design and plans production of transportation projects includes: <ul> <li>SH-48 Load Posted Bridge Replacement; ODOT</li> <li>SH-31 Billy Creek – Wagoner County, OK</li> <li>SH-32 – Sequoyah County, OK</li> <li>I-40 Cross-town Expressway, Oklahoma City, OK</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

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a. Name and Title: Steven R. Williams, PE Structural Engineer				
b. Project Assignment: Bridge Inspector				
c. Name of firm with which associated: Bucher, Willis & Ratliff Corporation				
d. Years experience: With this firm With other firms 0				
e. Education: Degree(s)/Year/Specialization Bachelor of Arts,2001,Physics Master of Science,2004,Civil Engineering				
<ul> <li>f. Active Registration: State/Year first registered/Discipline/ Oklahoma License Number Kansas/2009/PE/20670</li> </ul>				
Oklahoma Certificate of Authority (if any)				
g. Other experience and qualifications relevant to the proposed project:				
<ul> <li>Mr. Williams joined BWR's Structural Engineering team in 2005 after earning his Master of Science degree in Civil Engineering from Washington University in St. Louis, Missouri. His responsibilities include the design, detailing, and inspection of highway bridges for various states, counties, and cities. He has contributed to preparation of plans through checking and CAD drafting on projects for several different clients.</li> <li>Prior to joining BWR in 2005, Mr. Williams acquired one year of experience with a local structural engineering consulting company. His early professional work was in Kansas City, Missouri and required the seal of a structural engineer. Mr. Williams provided structural designs for commercial buildings as a subconsultant to architects.</li> <li>As part of the BWR Structural Engineering team, Mr. Williams' primary responsibility is bridge design and detailing. These designs include new bridge and bridge rehabilitation projects for water crossings and grade separation structures. Mr. Williams has designed experience with prestressed concrete girders, plate girders, concrete bridge decks, elastomeric bearing pads, and foundations, including steel H- piling, spread footings, and drilled shafts. Other design elements involve retaining walls, and guardrails.</li> </ul>				

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a. Name and Title: Travis M. Rapp, PE	a. Name and Title: Joshua C. Gamage, IE
Structural Engineer	Intern Engineer, Structural Engineering
b. Project Assignment:	b. Project Assignment:
Bridge Inspector	Structural Engineering
c. Name of firm with which associated:	<ul> <li>Name of firm with which associated:</li></ul>
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2010,Registered Professional Engineer,KS,21175	2007,Intern Engineer,KS,15452 <li>Oklahoma Cartificate of Authority (if any)</li>
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<ul> <li>Mr. Rapp joined BWR's Transportation Engineering team in 2005 where he serves as a Structural Engineer. His responsibilities include the design, detailing, and inspectior of highway bridges in various states, counties, and cities. Mr. Rapp has performed routine maintenance inspections on several bridges and culverts. He has also contributed to the preparation of plans through checking and CAD drafting on projects for several different clients.</li> <li>Mr. Rapp has completed several maintenance inspections on bridges and culverts for cities and counties in the Kansas City Metropolitan area. Routine bridge inspections include the assigning of condition ratings to bridge components, documentation of deficiencies, recommendations for repairs, and cost estimates for repairs. Inspections also involve preparation or updating of bridge inspection reports and structure inventory and appraisal sheets. Several projects have included Pontis inspections, where ratings of specific bridge elements are required in order to facilitate the scheduling of necessary rehabilitation.</li> <li>Mr. Rapp has completed Kansas Department of Transportation's Basic Inspection, Structures, Asphalt Inspection, and Concrete Paving Inspection courses. He has also completed Troxler's Nuclear Gauge Safety Training Program.</li> </ul>	Mr. Gamage joined BWR's Structural Engineering team in 2007 after earning his Bachelor of Science degree in Civil Engineering from Kansas State University. His responsibilities include the design, detailing, and inspection of highway bridges in various states, counties, and cities. Mr. Gamage has performed routine

7. Work by firm or members which best illustrates current qualifications relevant to THIS PROJECT (list not more than 10 projects).

a. Project Name and Location	"P", "C",	b. Nature Of Firms Responsibility	c. Project Owner's Name and Address	d. Completion	e. Est. C	ost (000's)
	"JV" or "Í"			Date	Entire Project	Firm's Portion
1. State Highway 51 Wagoner County, OK		Accelerated design for upgrading 2-lane rural highway to divided 4-lane & undivided 5-lane roadway as well as an 800 ft. P/S bridge.	Oklahoma Department of Transportation 200 N.E. 21 <sup>st</sup> Street Oklahoma City, OK 73105	2003	13000	13000
2. Load Posted Bridge Replacements SH 31, SH 131 Coal County, OK and SH 48, Pontotoc County, OK		Provided hydraulic analysis, geotechnical information, preliminary & final design, traffic engineering & traffic construction control & will culminate in PS&E	Oklahoma Department of Transportation 200 N.E. 21st Street Oklahoma City, OK 73105	2006 (est)	4000 (est)	4000 (est)
<ol> <li>State Highway 82 Seqouyah, County, OK</li> </ol>		Designed realignment of existing 2-lane rural State Highway. Also included hydraulic and structural design of concrete box culvert bridge with triple cells.	Oklahoma Department of Transportation 200 N.E. 21st Street Oklahoma City, OK 73105	2004	2700	2700
<ol> <li>State Highway 51 Spur 4-Lane Cherokee County, OK</li> </ol>		Designed 2 remaining lanes of new bypass and all aspects of roadway & structural design of 3 reinforced concrete box culvert bridge extensions.	Oklahoma Department of Transportation 200 N.E. 21st Street Oklahoma City, OK 73105	2000	5500	5500
5. I-44 / Fort Sill Interchange Study Comanche County, OK	С	Preliminary structural engineering study to upgrade existing I-44 Interchange at the Fort Sill Key Gate Interchange.	Oklahoma Department of Transportation 200 N.E. 21st Street Oklahoma City, OK 73105	2002	180 (fee)	57 (fee)
6. State Highway 99 Over Deep Fork River & Overflow Lincoln County, OK		Designed 1-mile upgrade of existing 2-lane of State Highway to a new 4-lane facility. Various roadway sections were analyzed to keep construction within existing ROW.	Oklahoma Department of Transportation 200 N.E. 21st Street Oklahoma City, OK 73105	2004	4100	4100
7. US 70 Upgrades Choctaw County, OK		Design upgrades to 3.5 mile section of roadway. Responsible for ROW plan and legal description development & preparing the USACE 404 Individual permit.	Oklahoma Department of Transportation 200 N.E. 21st Street Oklahoma City, OK 73105	2006	19800	19800
<ol> <li>SH 51 over Billy Creek - Design and Construction Services Wagoner, OK</li> </ol>		Providing design & construction document services for SH-51 in Wagoner County, OklahomaFirst phase was to replace Billy Creek bridge	Oklahoma Department of Transportation 200 N.E. 21st Street Oklahoma City, OK 73105-3024	2010	2600	332 (fee)
<ol> <li>ODOT Program Management Muskogee, OK</li> </ol>		Responsible for all preconstruction activities including snvironemtnal clearance, ROW acquistion, utility relocation and PS&E prep for 9 projects.	Oklahoma Department of Transportation Division One 28000 South 32 <sup>nd</sup> Street Muskogee, OK 74402	2000	755 (fee)	755 (fee)
10. I-40 Crosstown Expressway Structural Design Oklahoma City, OKK	С	Provided structural design services to replace a portion of I-40. Included final design & plans for two prestressed concrete bridges over I-40 & UPRR.	Oklahoma Department of Transportation 200 N.E. 21 <sup>st</sup> Street Oklahoma City, OK 73105	2007	33	33

8. Use this space to provide any additional information or description of resources (including any computer design capabilities) supporting your firm's qualifications for the proposed project.

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- Facilities Operations Analysis and Planning
- Landscape Architecture
- Parks and Recreation Planning and Design

Integrated teaming concepts, empowered project managers and quality-conscious management enable our professional staff to better control costs and time schedules, respond quickly to client requests, and produce superior projects.

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#### 9. 61 O.S., § 64. Offenses

Any consultant or person doing architectural, surveying or engineering work for the State of Oklahoma, their agents, servants or employees, who shall receive gratuity from any contractor or builder of any public building or works, or solicit, receive or make any political contribution from or to a contractor or a builder of any public building or works, or who attempts to interfere with the competitive bidding process of the State of Oklahoma in any manner, is guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined not less than One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) nor more that Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00), and by imprisonment in the county jail for not less than six (6) months nor more than one (1) year. Any contractor or builder of any public building or works, their agents, servants or employees, who shall offer any gratuity or political contribution to any consultant doing architectural, surveying or engineering work for the State of Oklahoma, or who attempts to interfere with the competitive bidding process of the State of Oklahoma, or who attempts to interfere with the competitive bidding process of the State of Oklahoma, or who attempts to interfere with the competitive bidding process of the State of Oklahoma, or who attempts to interfere with the competitive bidding process of the State of Oklahoma in any manner, is guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined not less than One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) nor more than Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00), and by imprisonment in the county jail for not less than six (6) months nor more than one (1) year.

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To "Krystal D. Vickers" <kvickers@bwrcorp.com>

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Subject Re: RP 1, EC 1321

Ms. Vickers.

I opened the attachment successfully and submitted your information.

Thank you

Kathy Hurst Contract Administrator Project Management Division 200 NE 21st Street, 1 C-4a Oklahoma City, OK 73105 405.522.7606 khurst@odot.org

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Kathy,

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Thank you,

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October 8, 2010

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### **INSPECTION SUPPORT STAFF**

John Casey Tom Ballard Larry Wagner

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Chemical Engineers	2 Geologists	Sanitary Engine		ruction Observers
14 Civil Engineers	1 Hydrologists	Soil Engineers		nmental Engineers
Construction Inspectors	Interior Designers	Specification Wi		nmental Scientists
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<ul> <li>Other experience and qualifications relevant to the proposed project: Mr. Harris began his engineering experience providing bridge and materials testing during construction for several bridge projects in Kansas. He was also the on-site Field Engineer during bridge construction along with providing survey for bridge design, assisted in developing bridge design plans and performed drainage designs.</li> <li>Since joining BWR, Mr. Harris has primarily been involved in transportation projects in Kansas, Oklahoma, Missouri, Texas and Alabama. He has been responsible for a variety of design and construction projects. These projects have included land acquisitions, Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) programs, utility relocates, design for rehabilitated pavements, new pavements for roadways , runways, taxiways and parking facilities, surface and subsurface drainage improvements, signage, fencing, access control systems, and lighting.</li> <li>As a Project Manager, Mr. Harris has recently served at BWR for the following projects:</li> <li>SH-51 over Billy Creek, Wagoner County</li> <li>Construct New Fuel Facility, Will Rogers World Airport, Oklahoma City, OK</li> <li>SH-131 Bridge Replacements, Coal County, OK</li> <li>State Park Improvements, Oklahoma Aeronautics Commission</li> <li>Entrance Road, Parking Area and Taxiway, Okeene, OK</li> <li>Rehabilitate Runway 12-30, T/W B &amp; E, Salina, KS</li> <li>SH-82, Sequoyah County</li> <li>Flower Aviation Facility, Will Rogers World Airport, Oklahoma City, OK</li> <li>Construct New Fuel Facility, Will Rogers World Airport, Oklahoma City, OK</li> <li>SH-82, Sequoyah County</li> <li>Flower Aviation Facility Will Rogers World Airport, Oklahoma City, OK</li> <li>Construct New Fuel Facility, Will Rogers World Airport, Oklahoma City, OK</li> <li>SH-81, Over Keel Creek, Coal County, KS</li> <li>Land Acquisition, Miami County, KS</li> <li>SH-31 over Keel Creek, Coal County, OK</li> <li>SH-31 over Keel Creek, Coal County, OK</li> <li>SH-48 over Muddy Boggy Creek, Pontotoc</li></ul>	<ul> <li>g. Other experience and qualifications relevant to the proposed project: Since joining BWR in 1993, Mr. Johnston has worked as a construction inspector, bridge inspector and structural designer on various bridge projects. In addition, since 1997, Mr. Johnston has also been involved in civil/transportation projects.</li> <li>Roadway design project tasks have included preliminary alignment studies, alignment calculations, drainage calculations, environmental permit applications, construction traffic control, permanent pavement marking and signing, construction cost estimating, and plan quantity calculations for construction plans, as well as work on utility and right-of-way plans. He has participated in the design and plan production of over 50 bridge structures including straight, skewed and curved bridges constructed of concrete slabs, prestressed concrete girders and structural steel girders.</li> <li>Specific experience in the design and plan production of transportation projects includes: <ul> <li>SH-51 Spur over Pecan Creek - Cherokee County, OK</li> <li>SH-51 over Billy Creek - Wagoner County, OK</li> <li>SH-51 over Lindsey Creek – Ottawa County, KS</li> <li>I-20/FM 600 Interchange – Abilene District, TX</li> <li>SH-51 over Em Creek - Wagoner County, OK</li> <li>US-70 over Kiamichi River – Choctaw County, OK</li> <li>SH-51 over Billy Creek – Wagoner County, OK</li> <li>SH-51 over Billy Creek – Wagoner County, OK</li> <li>SH-51 over Billy Creek – Wagoner County, OK</li> <li>SH-51 over Em Creek - Wagoner County, OK</li> <li>SH-51 over Em Creek - Wagoner County, OK</li> <li>SH-51 over Billy Creek – Wagoner County, OK</li> <li>SH-51 over Em Creek – Sequoyah County, OK</li> <li>SH-82 over Box Creek – Sequoyah County, OK</li> <li>SH-82 over Box Creek – Sequoyah County, OK</li> <li>SH-99 over Deep Fork River</li></ul></li></ul>

6. Brief resume of key persons, specialists, and individual consultants employed by sub-con	sultants anticipated for THIS PROJECT.
a. Name and Title: B. Brent Bolerjack, PE	a. Name and Title: David B. Lanfair, El
Transportation Engineer/Structural Engineer	Engineer Intern, Transportation Engineering
<ul> <li>b. Project Assignment:</li></ul>	b. Project Assignment:
Project Manager, Lead Inspection Engineer	Bridge Inspector
c. Name of firm with which associated:	c. Name of firm with which associated:
Bucher, Willis & Ratliff Corporation	Bucher, Willis & Ratliff Corporation
d. Years experience: With this firm 6 With other firms 0	d. Years experience: With this firm 3 With other firms
e. Education: Degree(s)/Year/Specialization	e. Education: Degree(s)/Year/Specialization
Bachelor of Science, 2002, Civil Engineering	Bachelor of Science, 2007, Civil Engineering
<ul> <li>f. Active Registration: State/Year first registered/Discipline/Oklahoma License Number</li></ul>	<ul> <li>f. Active Registration: State/Year first registered/Discipline/ Oklahoma License Number</li></ul>
Oklahoma/2007/PE/22546	Oklahoma/2007/EI/13769
Oklahoma Certificate of Authority (if any)	Oklahoma Certificate of Authority (if any)
g. Other experience and qualifications relevant to the proposed project:	g. Other experience and qualifications relevant to the proposed project:
<ul> <li>Mr. Bolerjack has served as Team Leader for multiple specialized bridge inspection projects for the Oklahoma Department of Transportation. He has performed fracture critical inspections on a majority of the State's on-system fracture critical bridges including the Oklahoma City I-40 Crosstown Bridge. Mr. Bolerjack has also had seven years experience with performing elemental and Pontis inspections for bridge statewide and is proficient with the Pontis bridge inspection software. In addition to having taken both the two week bridge inspection course and the fracture critical techniques course, Bolerjack also has his commercial driver's license and has plenty of experience handling varying bridge access vehicles.</li> <li>Since joining BWR, Mr. Bolerjack's design tasks have included storm drainage calculations including culvert sizing, storm sewer system design and runoff detention, prestressed concrete beam shop drawing review and bridge enspection for the 2006/2008 ODOT Fracture Critical Project.</li> <li>General types of civil design projects have included rural multi-lane divided highways, rural two-lane highways, and city streets. Design tasks have included geometric alignment layouts; storm drainage calculations; pavement designs; and plan quantity calculations. He has also been responsible for providing vertical and horizontal urban design and computer modeling for roadway/access improvements.</li> <li>Specific experience in the design and plans production of transportation projects includes:</li> <li>SH-82- Sequoyah County, OK</li> <li>SH-82- Sequoyah County, OK</li> <li>H-40 Crosstown Expressway-ODOT; Oklahoma City, OK</li> <li>SH-31 ver Keel Creek, Coal County, OK</li> <li>SH-31 bridge Replacements, Coal County, OK</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Mr. Lanfair joined BWR in the June of 2007 after earning his Bachelor of Science degree in Civil Engineering from Oklahoma State University in May of 2007. Since joining the BWR team, he has been a design engineer working on a variety of projects for the Transportation team.</li> <li>Prior to joining BWR as an engineering intern Mr. Lanfair interned at BWR in the summer of 2006 and again in the winter of 2006. He has been assisting with the ODOT Fracture Critical Bridge Inspection contracts. Mr. Lanfair's design tasks have included plan production and CAD work on load posted bridge plans for the Oklahoma Department of Transportation. He also was involved in project closeout for several airport construction projects.</li> <li>Specific experience in the design and plans production of transportation projects includes: <ul> <li>SH-48 Load Posted Bridge Replacement; ODOT</li> <li>SH-31 Load Posted Bridge Replacement; ODOT</li> <li>SH-131 Load Posted Bridge Replacement; ODOT</li> <li>Parking Area for Hangar 600, Salina, KS</li> <li>Construction Management, Oklahoma State Parks</li> <li>SH-82 – Sequoyah County, OK</li> <li>I-40 Cross-town Expressway, Oklahoma City, OK</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

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a. Name and Title: Steven R. Williams, PE Structural Engineer				
b. Project Assignment: Bridge Inspector				
c. Name of firm with which associated: Bucher, Willis & Ratliff Corporation				
d. Years experience: With this firm With other firms 0				
e. Education: Degree(s)/Year/Specialization Bachelor of Arts,2001,Physics Master of Science,2004,Civil Engineering				
<ul> <li>f. Active Registration: State/Year first registered/Discipline/ Oklahoma License Number Kansas/2009/PE/20670</li> </ul>				
Oklahoma Certificate of Authority (if any)				
g. Other experience and qualifications relevant to the proposed project:				
<ul> <li>Mr. Williams joined BWR's Structural Engineering team in 2005 after earning his Master of Science degree in Civil Engineering from Washington University in St. Louis, Missouri. His responsibilities include the design, detailing, and inspection of highway bridges for various states, counties, and cities. He has contributed to preparation of plans through checking and CAD drafting on projects for several different clients.</li> <li>Prior to joining BWR in 2005, Mr. Williams acquired one year of experience with a local structural engineering consulting company. His early professional work was in Kansas City, Missouri and required the seal of a structural engineer. Mr. Williams provided structural designs for commercial buildings as a subconsultant to architects.</li> <li>As part of the BWR Structural Engineering team, Mr. Williams' primary responsibility is bridge design and detailing. These designs include new bridge and bridge rehabilitation projects for water crossings and grade separation structures. Mr. Williams has designed experience with prestressed concrete girders, plate girders, concrete bridge decks, elastomeric bearing pads, and foundations, including steel H- piling, spread footings, and drilled shafts. Other design elements involve retaining walls, and guardrails.</li> </ul>				

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a. Name and Title: Travis M. Rapp, PE Structural Engineer	a. Name and Title: Joshua C. Gamage, IE Intern Engineer, Structural Engineering
b. Project Assignment: Bridge Inspector	b. Project Assignment: Structural Engineering
<ul> <li>Name of firm with which associated: Bucher, Willis &amp; Ratliff Corporation</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Name of firm with which associated: Bucher, Willis &amp; Ratliff Corporation</li> </ul>
d. Years experience: With this firm 5 With other firms	d. Years experience: With this firm 3 With other firms
e. Education: Degree(s)/Year/Specialization Bachelor of Science,2005,Civil Engineering	e. Education: Degree(s)/Year/Specialization Bachelor of Science,2007,Civil Engineering
<ul> <li>f. Active Registration: State/Year first registered/Discipline/Oklahoma License Number 2010,Registered Professional Engineer,KS,21175</li> <li>Oklahoma Certificate of Authority (if any)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>f. Active Registration: State/Year first registered/Discipline/ Oklahoma License Number 2007,Intern Engineer,KS,15452</li> <li>Oklahoma Certificate of Authority (if any)</li> </ul>
g. Other experience and qualifications relevant to the proposed project:	g. Other experience and qualifications relevant to the proposed project:
<ul> <li>Mr. Rapp joined BWR's Transportation Engineering team in 2005 where he serves as a Structural Engineer. His responsibilities include the design, detailing, and inspectior of highway bridges in various states, counties, and cities. Mr. Rapp has performed routine maintenance inspections on several bridges and culverts. He has also contributed to the preparation of plans through checking and CAD drafting on projects for several different clients.</li> <li>Mr. Rapp has completed several maintenance inspections on bridges and culverts for cities and counties in the Kansas City Metropolitan area. Routine bridge inspections include the assigning of condition ratings to bridge components, documentation of deficiencies, recommendations for repairs, and cost estimates for repairs. Inspections also involve preparation or updating of bridge inspection reports and structure inventory and appraisal sheets. Several projects have included Pontis inspections, where ratings of specific bridge elements are required in order to facilitate the scheduling of necessary rehabilitation.</li> <li>Mr. Rapp has completed Kansas Department of Transportation's Basic Inspection, Structures, Asphalt Inspection, and Concrete Paving Inspection courses. He has also completed Troxler's Nuclear Gauge Safety Training Program.</li> </ul>	Mr. Gamage joined BWR's Structural Engineering team in 2007 after earning his Bachelor of Science degree in Civil Engineering from Kansas State University. His responsibilities include the design, detailing, and inspection of highway bridges in various states, counties, and cities. Mr. Gamage has performed routine

7. Work by firm or members which best illustrates current qualifications relevant to THIS PROJECT (list not more than 10 projects).

a. Project Name and Location	"P", "C", "JV" or "I"	b. Nature Of Firms Responsibility	c. Project Owner's Name and Address	d. Completion Date	e. Est. Cost (000's)	
					Entire Project	Firm's Portion
1. State Highway 51 Wagoner County, OK		Accelerated design for upgrading 2-lane rural highway to divided 4-lane & undivided 5-lane roadway as well as an 800 ft. P/S bridge.	Oklahoma Department of Transportation 200 N.E. 21 <sup>st</sup> Street Oklahoma City, OK 73105	2003	13000	13000
2. Load Posted Bridge Replacements SH 31, SH 131 Coal County, OK and SH 48, Pontotoc County, OK		Provided hydraulic analysis, geotechnical information, preliminary & final design, traffic engineering & traffic construction control & will culminate in PS&E	Oklahoma Department of Transportation 200 N.E. 21st Street Oklahoma City, OK 73105	2006 (est)	4000 (est)	4000 (est)
<ol> <li>State Highway 82 Seqouyah, County, OK</li> </ol>		Designed realignment of existing 2-lane rural State Highway. Also included hydraulic and structural design of concrete box culvert bridge with triple cells.	Oklahoma Department of Transportation 200 N.E. 21st Street Oklahoma City, OK 73105	2004	2700	2700
<ol> <li>State Highway 51 Spur 4-Lane Cherokee County, OK</li> </ol>		Designed 2 remaining lanes of new bypass and all aspects of roadway & structural design of 3 reinforced concrete box culvert bridge extensions.	Oklahoma Department of Transportation 200 N.E. 21st Street Oklahoma City, OK 73105	2000	5500	5500
5. I-44 / Fort Sill Interchange Study Comanche County, OK	С	Preliminary structural engineering study to upgrade existing I-44 Interchange at the Fort Sill Key Gate Interchange.	Oklahoma Department of Transportation 200 N.E. 21st Street Oklahoma City, OK 73105	2002	180 (fee)	57 (fee)
6. State Highway 99 Over Deep Fork River & Overflow Lincoln County, OK		Designed 1-mile upgrade of existing 2-lane of State Highway to a new 4-lane facility. Various roadway sections were analyzed to keep construction within existing ROW.	Oklahoma Department of Transportation 200 N.E. 21st Street Oklahoma City, OK 73105	2004	4100	4100
7. US 70 Upgrades Choctaw County, OK		Design upgrades to 3.5 mile section of roadway. Responsible for ROW plan and legal description development & preparing the USACE 404 Individual permit.	Oklahoma Department of Transportation 200 N.E. 21st Street Oklahoma City, OK 73105	2006	19800	19800
<ol> <li>SH 51 over Billy Creek - Design and Construction Services Wagoner, OK</li> </ol>		Providing design & construction document services for SH-51 in Wagoner County, OklahomaFirst phase was to replace Billy Creek bridge	200 N.E. 21st Street	2010	2600	332 (fee)
<ol> <li>ODOT Program Management Muskogee, OK</li> </ol>		Responsible for all preconstruction activities including snvironemtnal clearance, ROW acquistion, utility relocation and PS&E prep for 9 projects.	Oklahoma Department of Transportation Division One 28000 South 32 <sup>nd</sup> Street Muskogee, OK 74402	2000	755 (fee)	755 (fee)
10. I-40 Crosstown Expressway Structural Design Oklahoma City, OKK	С	Provided structural design services to replace a portion of I-40. Included final design & plans for two prestressed concrete bridges over I-40 & UPRR.	Oklahoma Department of Transportation 200 N.E. 21 <sup>st</sup> Street Oklahoma City, OK 73105	2007	33	33

8. Use this space to provide any additional information or description of resources (including any computer design capabilities) supporting your firm's qualifications for the proposed project.

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#### 9. 61 O.S., § 64. Offenses

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	Typed Name and Title: Steven D. Harris, PE, Principal, Executive Vice President	10/08/2010	expressing interest to the agency from whom you received the notice of this project.	