RFP AWARD RECOMMENDATION

CITY OF RIVERSIDE
Finance Department

DATE SUBMITTED: 04/07/2026

RFP NO.	RFP TITLE	DEPARTMENT/DIVISION
2494	WATER COST OF SERVICE ANALYSIS AND RATE DESIGN	Public Utilities
		DATE RFP OPENED
		01/14/2026

PROPOSALS RECEIVED (4) INVITATIONS ISSUED (Online)

RFP PRICE GOOD THROUGH: MAY 14, 2026

PROPOSERS	CITY, STATE	EVALUATION RANKING
Carollo Engineers	Riverside, CA	1
Robert D Niehaus, Inc.	Santa Barbara, CA	2
Black & Veatch Corporation	Overland Park, KS	3
NewGen Strategies and Solutions, LLC	Lakewood, CA	4

RFP DESCRIPTION: The City of Riverside is seeking a qualified entity to provide water cost of service analysis and rate design services.

RFP Recommended For Award (Includes Sales Tax) ☐ 10% Surety Included ☒ Contract ☒ 10% Surety not required ☒ Purchase Order

Best Ranking Proposer — Amount of Award

Carollo Engineers — $271,960.00

COMMENTS:
The Riverside Public Utilities Department has evaluated all proposals received and is requesting that award be made to the best overall solution based on the evaluation process. The Purchasing Division concurs that the action to award is in compliance with Purchasing Resolution 24101.

Submitted by: Jennifer McCoy Purchasing Manager Date: 03/18/2026