

**QBS: Corrosion Control Treatment Optimization Study - Rankings of Top 3 Firms**

Firm Name	EVALUATION CRITERIA (4 REVIEWERS)								Total Points	Rank
	Firm	Experience	Staff Capabilities	Technical Approach	Schedule	References	Presentation	Communication		
	(10 pts max per reviewer)	(20 pts max per reviewer)	(20 pts max per reviewer)	(10 pts max per reviewer)	(10 pts max per reviewer)	(10 pts max per reviewer)	(10 pts max per reviewer)	(10 pts max per reviewer)		
	(40 pts max total)	(80 pts max total)	(80 pts max total)	(40 pts max total)	(40 pts max total)	(40 pts max total)	(40 pts max total)	(40 pts max total)		
CDM Smith	38	75	76	38	38	37	37	38	377	1
Crawford Murphy & Tilly	36	73	70	35	37	38	39	39	367	2
Jacobs	37	71	73	35	37	36	38	38	365	3

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SOQs Received: 4

Responding Firms: CDM Smith, Crawford Murphy & Tilly, Jacobs, Hazen and Sawyer

The selection criteria and weights for project selection are indicated below.

Firm (10%): The firm's location, general experience, number of staff available for the project, stability, general current workload.

Experience (20%): Firm's relevant experience on studies similar in scope and size to the one under consideration. Demonstrated experience with detailed corrosion control treatment investigations, IEPA potable water regulations and permitting, federal Lead and Copper Rule regulations (as well as any upcoming and future revisions to those regulations), lead service line harvesting, and scale testing is essential.

Staff Capabilities (20%): The education, experience, expertise, licenses, and certifications of the firm's key employees to be assigned to the project.

Technical Approach (10%): Work understanding and the firm's approach to the initial analyses, planning, organizing, management, and completion of the study effort.

Schedule (10%): Quality of the firm's schedule, including how expeditiously the work can be realistically completed.

References (10%): Quality of references for work similar in scope and size to the one under consideration.

Presentation (10%): The firm's overview presentation highlighting their understanding of the most critical components of the study and the experience and resources the firm offers.

Communication (10%): The firm's communication ability, skill, style, content, and effectiveness during the presentation.