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Lazaro Fernandez, Vice President
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Re: Contract: 21-C00008 Hernando County Fire Station #5

Dear Mr. Fernandez:

This is in response to your letter dated September 6, 2024, regarding the above-referenced contract. The letter states that it serves as New Vista's claim against the Hernando County Board of County Commissioners for violation of the Local Government Prompt Payment Act. Your payment request (revised Application for Payment #19), as defined in Fla. Stat. § 218.72(7), was received by the County on September 9, 2024; the County paid it on September 13, 2024. Therefore, your claim is denied as moot. Please see sections 55.5.3.1, 55.5.5, and 61.1 of the Contract Documents for further information.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Carla Rossiter-Smith".

Carla Rossiter-Smith
Chief Procurement Officer

pc via email: Toni Brady, Deputy County Administrator
Paul Hasenmeier, Fire Chief & Public Safety Director
Erik van de Boogaard, Construction Projects Coordinator
Kelly Trout, Hernando County Fire Rescue Finance Manager
Pamela Hare, Hernando County Attorney's Office

cc: Contract File No. 21- C00008