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VIA EMAIL: macmillian-diane@aramark.com

Aramark Uniform & Career Apparel, LLC
dba Aramark Uniform Services
Attn: Diane MacMillan
855 Cleveland Avenue
Salem VA 24153

RE: Invitation to Bid No. RTSX-160029-DS
Uniform Purchase for Regional Transit System Employees (rebid)

Dear Ms. MacMillan:

Thank you for your proposal on the above-referenced project. Unfortunately, your response was found to be non-responsive as the City does not agree to the revisions to required language requested by Aramark. For your information, staff is recommending intended award to Designlab, Inc. This recommendation will be presented to the City Commission on July 7, 2016 (subject to change).

Pursuant to the City's Financial Services Procedures Manual Section 41-424, the blackout period is in effect until the contract is awarded (City Commission approval). "Violation of this provision shall result in disqualification..."

Once again, thank you for your interest in doing business with the City of Gainesville. We look forward to the opportunity of working with you in the future.

Regards,

Daphyne SESCO
Senior Buyer

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