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LGC Awarded \$51.9M Border Wall Contract

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Project



Border Wall Project Team with LGC Chairman Avnash Rachmale, Gino DiBattista Executive Vice President, and Kenneth Reed, PMP, Colonel and Corps of Engineers Commander

The U.S. Government has selected LGC Global as one of several contractors to build a portion of the border wall between the United States and Mexico. It is the first wall contract that the company has been awarded. The project which got underway in June, consists of constructing a 4-mile, 30-foot-tall wall in two areas of Texas: Del Rio and Eagle Pass. The steel panel and concrete wall is being built in an area is considered rough terrain. In addition to the actual wall, the company will construct access roads, drainage infrastructure and security features including cameras and gates to accommodate the U.S. Border patrol. LGC founder and CEO Avinash Rachmale is proud to be one of the companies selected, based on its strong resume with numerous military contracts and successful projects in the U.S. and across the globe. It is expected that approximately 30 to 50 workers will be assigned to this job. They will include Detroit employees as well

as workers from Texas working 2 shifts, 7 days a week. It is scheduled for completion by the end of 2020.

“We are very fortunate to be one of the awardees of this particular work. We truly appreciate the government’s trust in our ability to perform and complete this fast-track job”, says Rachmale, whose company has been an approved military contractor for more than 15 years. Overseas, LGC has built military facilities in Iraq and Afghanistan.



Border wall under construction

The Chairman's Corner

Moving Forward Against All Odds



Avinash Rachmale, Chairman

2020 has been a very challenging year. The Covid-19 pandemic has required businesses to become more ambitious and creative in the way we operate. LGC Global is designated as an essential business. We are fortunate that the impact on our day-to-day field operations has been minimal. We have implemented all the required CDC safety precautions in our offices, along with a rotating work from home plan that allows safe distancing between staff members working inside our headquarters. I am extremely proud of our entire team for the way they have been able to adjust to this “new normal”. For me, times like this inspire me to work harder, and to motivate our employees to do what is needed to reach their full potential.

I am proud to say that LGC is meeting its goals set at our executive planning meeting back in December of 2019. We are looking at a 30% to 35% growth per year over the next three years. We are on track to hit that number thanks to several federal, municipal projects in Detroit and around the country. A major project that we just started in June is a \$51.9 construction of a 4 mile stretch of the border wall between the United States and Mexico. We have 30 to 50 workers on this job from Detroit as well as Texas. You can read more about it in our cover story in this edition of the LGC Global Ledger.

Other goals which we are persistent about this year include improving the culture of our company. It is extremely important to us to provide a working environment that uplifts and encourages our team members to excel and earn promotions. Whenever possible, we like to hire from within the company. Our Human Resources Department has upgraded our job descriptions and created a protocol

for evaluating the quality of an employee's quality of work. This will improve our hiring and termination practices as the company continues to strive for excellence in all we do.

Detroit has been described by many as “the comeback city”. No matter what obstacles the business community and citizens face, we always seem to overcome and thrive. I am optimistic that despite the drawbacks, Detroit will continue to flourish and prosper. LGC was founded in this city, and we will always be dedicated to doing our part to make it successful in all its endeavors.

Our Core Values

Dreams are the stepping stones to success and achievements. We love to dream. And why not? Achievers not only plan everything they do, they dream big and set bigger goals. At LGC Global we follow a tradition of these achievers. We work with a set of exceptional principles:

Client Satisfaction:

We provide SAFE, QUALITY, and RESPONSIVE services that deliver value which is matched to customer expectations.

Positive Can-Do Attitude:

We are flexible and do whatever it takes to get the job done.

Responsibility:

We HOLD OURSELVES ACCOUNTABLE by taking ownership of GOALS with a clear understanding of the lines of authority and by communicating progress, problems, and results.

Respectful:

We LISTEN, UNDERSTAND, and are CONSIDERATE without being JUDGMENTAL



Border wall construction site between the U.S. and Mexico

Federal Projects

Various U.S. Sites

Holloman Air Force Base – Otero County, New Mexico

The work includes construction of a fixed ground control station facility. It is a 6716 sq. ft. single story building Project includes site utility improvements, concrete building foundation CMU wall construction, steel truss roof with standing seam metal roof HVAC, electrical and communications, gyp board interior walls with standard finishes and incidental work. Award amount \$4.7 Million.

Whiteman Air Force Base – Johnson County, Missouri

This project is to perform renovations of Building 91. It is a design-build, firm, fixed price contract award to complete the required renovations of a 17,000 sq.ft. building. The purpose of this project is to renovate the administrative areas, restrooms and to incorporate personal 3-stack lockers. Project also involves demolition of the bridge over the crib area and to construct a complete and usable 2,000 GSF mezzanine, with the existing tool crib area. Installation of new structures and finishes to complement existing structure. Award amount \$4,813,478

Rickendbaker Air Force Base – Columbus, Ohio

Scope of Work – Renovation of Bldg. #885 at the 21st Air Refueling Wing. This project was set aside for small business. The work is 90% completed. Award Amount \$13,810,000



Detroit Projects

Great Lakes Water Authority (GLWA) and Detroit Water & Sewerage (DWSD)



The project referred to as sewer improvements at Cornerstone Village consists of the installation of sanitary sewer mains as in-kind replacements along with lining of approximately 50,000 linear feet. It includes, but not limited to, performing all work for full segment replacement and/or relining sewer pipes external point sewer repairs, trenchless point sewer repairs, reconnecting laterals and all appurtenant work and accessories.

A “green” stormwater infrastructure (GSI) is also located on

GLWA -48” Water main replacement project along Schoolcraft Rd. in Livonia.

This project consist of installation of approximately 2 miles of 48” diameter steel pipe and valves

Chandler Park Drive between Canyon Street and Gateshead in Wayne County right-of-way. The work includes the installation of two bioretention basins in the planting strips between the roadway and the sidewalk. This will diver stormwater runoff from the roadway into a stormwater management landscape for storage and infiltration. The work includes curb modifications, earthwork, excavation, stormwater conveyance, concrete, installation of aggregates and bioretention soils, planting and seeding. Project completion date December 2021.

LGC Project Photo Gallery
Great Lakes Water Authority (GLWA) and Detroit Water & Sewerage (DWSD)



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Executive Spotlight



Larry Fiebekorn
Vice President, Municipal Operations



A warm welcome goes out to Larry Fiebekorn who joined LGC Global in March of this year. He brings extensive experience. His impressive background includes nearly 3 decades in the fields of construction and power plant design. He most recently served as project engineer for Consumers Energy's Hydro Dams. His background includes work as an engineering resource manager for Black &

Veatch International in Beijing, China, India and America. He earned a B.S. degree in International Business and Project Management from Rasmussen Business College where he graduated Summa Cum Laude. He also holds an Associate of Applied Science degree from ITT Technical Institute.

LGC founder and Chairman Avinash Rachmale considers Larry to be a major impressive addition to the company's executive team. "Larry will be working along with our other team members to organize our engineering groups and improve client communication. I expect that his input will be instrumental in building the goals we have for the future of the company moving forward."

"Working for a multicultural company has it's specific challenges, but that is what interests me. Being here at LGC has been remarkable from the different characters I engage with daily, to the project planning, the mentoring I get to provide, and the general uplifting environment we work in that starts with Avinash, Shashi, and Ken. I have a blank canvas and it's up to me to paint the picture of what LGC's image is for our current and future clients. Now that is exciting!"

Celebrating Women in Construction & Engineering

Pre-Covid Event

LGC Global was proud to host an award ceremony produced by the non-profit women's group, Connect 4. It honored 12 women who have made extraordinary achievements in the fields of construction and engineering. The event celebrated Women's History Month.



LGC Chairman Avinash Rachmale with Connect 4 members and honorees



Upcoming LGC Projects Exceeding \$100 Million

- Two additional task force orders for the Mexican border wall
- GLWA Water Works Park Yard Piping
- Two DWSD Watermain replacement projects
- Multiple long-term MATOC projects: MacDill AFC in Tampa, Florida and Wright-Patterson AFB near Dayton, Ohio

Details to come in next newsletter

LGC Employee News

Fun at the Office



Every now and then our folks take a break from the seriousness of work to relax and have a bit of fun. LGC Finance Director Robert Whitty was impressed with Gino DiBattista, elaborate drum set at the New Jersey office, and decided to make a little noise with the cymbals and sticks.