# **COMPANY STATEMENT OF QUALIFICATIONS:**

### **Re:** GM Enterprises Services, Equipment, Staff and Training

## INTRODUCTION

Thank you for your expressed interests in GM Enterprises, GM Enterprises is an independently owned and operated sub contract drilling company. We utilize the latest equipment in the industry to obtain and offer all the drilling services of exploration, geotechnical and environmental industries.

GM Enterprises is a member of the National Federation of Independent Business, the Texas Groundwater Association, and we are a certified disadvantaged (DBE) company thru the North Central Texas Regional Certification Agency.

For traditional geotechnical and exploration services air/mud rotary, continuous flight auger and hollow stem augers are techniques that are most beneficial. Drilling, sampling and coring techniques such as Shelby tubes, split-spoons and conventional coring equipment have been combined with the latest upgrades to provide thorough, comprehensive soil and rock acquisition.

For environmental drilling, hollow-stem augers and a continuous push technology are the most universally approved method for obtaining soil samples in the field. Our hollowstem auger rigs are equipped with the inner tube continuous sampling system. The system allows the environmental professional the opportunity to collect and field screen continuous undisturbed soil samples while minimizing the risk of cross contamination among multiple aquifers or sand bearing zones and increasing field production without compromising accuracy. All our drill rigs and equipped with 170 lb. automatic hammers in order to perform TxDOT penetrometer tests for evaluating strength of consolidated sediments. A wide range of well maintained sampling tools is kept on each rig to facilitate dispatching the drilling equipment to project sites each day without delay. We maintain an extensive inventory of field equipment and support vehicles including truck-mounted and all-terain drilling rigs.

GM Enterprises monitor well installation experience covers a wide range of well sizes, configurations, geologic conditions and materials. All of our rig operators are licensed to install monitor wells within the state where applicable. All the wells installed by GM Enterprises personnel comply with state and local regulations and all materials used meet all QA/QC guidelines and industry standards.

### STAFF TRAINING

GM Enterprises drilling crews have attended and been certified in the 40 hour OSHA Hazardous Waste Operations and Emergency Response seminars as well as annual 8 hour Hazwoper refresher courses. Additional health and safety capabilities include SARA supervisor training, annual medical monitoring, multi-media first aid and CPR training. Our drillers have experience in operations using all levels of EPA personal protective equipment ( Levels B, C, and D ). Our comprehensive health and safety and medical monitoring programs are reviewed and updated on a monthly basis.

#### **DRILLING PROJECTS**

GM Enterprises has experience in geotechnical drilling, sampling and monitor well installations for a variety of different types of projects- high rises, distribution centers, warehouses, bridges, retaining walls, waste management facilities, remediation projects, superfund sites, mining facilities and TxDOT work. Our experienced staff, and equipment provide us the means to meet the most stringent regulatory protocol. In many instances, geotechnical activities overlap with environmental aspects thus allowing for a combined effort and expertise in environmental and geotechnical services keeps GM Enterprises at the forefront when comprehensive drilling services are needed.

TxDOT sub-contract drilling projects include the Loop 288 expansion in Denton County, the I-30 expansion thru Arlington, Texas (Tarrant County). The I-35 expansion thru Hillsboro, Texas (Hill County). All the TxDOT drilling projects were drilled in a timely matter with the importance of safety to the public and to our team members. TxDOT signs and barricades were utilized by the standards of which TXDOT traffic operations division approved.