## JACKSON COUNTY REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS (RFQ) ENGINEERING SERVICES FOR THE JACKSON COUNTY AIRPORT SEWER EXTENSION PROJECT

## Date: June 28, 2023

This project will extend sewer service to the Jackson County Airport from a connection with the City of Jefferson sewer system, totaling approximately 1.5 miles.

Services to be provided will include preparation of a Preliminary Engineering Report and further design services if Federal or State funding is awarded. This project may include ARC funds in compliance with CFR 200 for Procurement. This procurement action may also lead to additional project contracts and/or contract addendums for Preliminary Engineering Report (PER) and design and construction administration services for state and federally funded projects. This is <u>not</u> a request for retainer services. The complete RFQ can be found at the Northeast Georgia Regional Commission website at <u>www.negrc.org</u>.

All contracts are subject to Federal and State contract provisions prescribed by the Georgia Department of Community Affairs. This project may be covered under the requirements of Section 3 of the HUD Act of 1968, as amended and Section 3 Business Concerns are encouraged to apply.

Jackson County also abides by the following laws: Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964; Section 109 of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, Title 1; Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1968 (Fair Housing Act); Section 104(b)(2) of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974; Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 as amended; Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (ADA); and the Architectural Barriers Act of 1968.

Interested parties should request copies of a Statement of Qualifications Form and, if needed, a Section 3 Solicitation Package prior to preparing and submitting their qualifications. Submissions should be received no later than 5:00 PM on July 31, 2023. Qualifications received after the above date and time may not be considered. Jackson County reserves the right to accept or reject any and all submissions and to waive informalities in the proposal process. Statement of Qualifications and Section 3 Certification form requests (i.e., request for Section 3 preference) and qualifications packages (4 copies) should be submitted to the name and address listed below:

Kenneth Morris, Budget and Purchasing Manager Jackson County 67 Athens Street Jefferson, GA 30549 (706) 367-6309 KMorris@jacksoncountygov.com

