

SECTION 00 11 13 – ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed bids for the Pine Creek CWF Expansion and Autauga Creek CWF Improvements will be received from Contractors by the City of Prattville, Alabama (Owner) at City Hall, 101 West Main Street, Prattville, Alabama until 10:00 A.M., the prevailing time, on June 8, 2017, at which time the bids shall be publicly opened and read. Sealed bids submitted prior to the bid opening should be clearly marked on the outside of the envelope and sent to the City Clerk's Office Attn: Cathy Dickerson, 101 West Main Street, Prattville, AL 36067.

All General Contractors must be prequalified. For information on the prequalification process contact Greg Thompson with Engineers of the South at 205.327.9140. All prequalification statements must be submitted by Tuesday, April 25, 2017. Notifications will be sent by May 4, 2017.

In general, the project includes, but is not limited to: Modifications to existing Raw Sewage Pump Station, Headworks structure with screening and grit removal, Vertical Loop Reactor, modifications to existing Aeration Basins, modifications to existing Clarifiers, Clarifier, UV Disinfection, Return Activated Sludge Pump Stations, modifications to existing Aerobic Digesters, Solids Handling Building with dewatering equipment, Learning Center, modifications to existing Admin Building, associated site work and yard piping, electrical upgrades and replacements and SCADA system upgrades. The Engineer's opinion of probable construction costs is \$25 to \$28 million.

Bid documents (plans, specifications, proposal forms, and other contract documents) will only be made available to prequalified General Contractors beginning May 4, 2017.

Proposals shall be accompanied by a bid bond, a cashier's check, or certified check in an amount not less than five percent (5%) of the total bid price or \$10,000 payable without recourse to the City of Florence, Alabama. Check or bid bond shall be provided as a guarantee that the Bidder will enter into a contract and execute performance and payment bonds within fourteen (14) days after notice of award of Contract to him. The successful bidder shall furnish performance and payment bonds upon the forms provided for one hundred percent (100%) of the contract price. Performance and Payment Bonds shall be from an approved surety company holding a permit from the State of Alabama to act as surety.

This project is considered a "Public Works" project and is governed by competitive bid laws as contained in Title 39 (1997) of the Alabama Code. Bidders, subcontractors, suppliers, and Bond Agents should be familiar with this code. The attention of all Bidders is called to the provisions of State law governing "General Contractor", as set forth in ALA.CODE 34-8-1, et seq. (1975), and rules and regulations promulgated pursuant thereto. The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to waive irregularities in the bids and bidding deemed to be in the best interests of the Owner, and to reject non-conforming, non-responsive, or conditional bids. No Bidder may withdraw his bid within sixty days from the date set for receiving the bids. A MANDATORY Pre-Bid Conference for this Project is scheduled for 10:00 a.m., May 25, 2017, at the Pine Creek CWF.

By: Bill Gillespie, Jr., Mayor