MOCCASIN BEND WWTP SECONDARY CLARIFIER UPGRADES CONTRACT NUMBER W-14-006-201

CITY OF CHATTANOOGA, TENNESSEE

Sealed Bids for furnishing all materials, labor, tools, equipment and appurtenances necessary for the construction of the Moccasin Bend WWTP Secondary Clarifier Upgrades will be received at the City of Chattanooga at City Hall, Purchasing Department, Suite G13, 101 East 11th Street, Chattanooga, TN 37402, until 2:00 p.m., local time, on August 18th, 2016, and then at said office publicly opened and read aloud.

A Pre-Bid Conference is scheduled for July 27st, 2016 at 2:00 P.M. local time, in the Training Facility, Moccasin Bend Wastewater Treatment Plant, 455 Moccasin Bend Road, Chattanooga, TN 37405. Bidder attendance is encouraged but not mandatory.

The Project generally consists of constructing two cast-in-place concrete secondary clarifiers and one RAS pump station, one precast concrete clarifier drain pump station, one cast-in-place concrete chlorine contact tank, one dechlorination facility which includes a cast-in-place concrete containment area with pre-engineered metal roof and an adjacent masonry pump/electrical building, and associated yard piping, site grading and paving, electrical improvements, instrumentation and control improvements, and HVAC improvements.

The Instructions to Bidders, Bid, Contract Agreement, Drawings, Specifications and forms of Bid Bond, Performance Bond, Payment Bond and other Contract Documents may be examined at the following:

City of Chattanooga Purchasing Department 101 E. 11th Street, Suite G13 Chattanooga, Tennessee 37402 423-643-7230 Hazen and Sawyer 545 Mainstream Drive, Suite 320 Nashville, TN 37228 615-783-1515

Copies of Contract Documents may be purchased from 8:00 am to 4:30 pm, Monday through Friday, at the office of the City of Chattanooga Purchasing Department, 101 East 11th Street, Suite G13, Chattanooga, TN 37402, phone (423) 643-7230, Fax (423) 643-7244. Cost of Contract Documents is \$100.00 per set. No part of the purchase price will be refunded.

Each Bid must be accompanied by a Bid Bond, prepared on the form of Bid Bond attached to the Contract Documents or a Surety Company's Standard Bid Bond, duly executed by the Bidder as principal and having as surety thereon a surety company licensed to do business in the State of

Tennessee and listed as a certified company in the latest issue of U.S. Treasury Circular 570, in the amount of five percent of the Bid.

Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (DBE) Requirements

Any contract or contracts awarded by the Owner through this invitation for bids will be funded by a State Revolving Fund (SRF) loan from the State of Tennessee. State and Federal funds will be involved in this project, and, as a result, Bidders must comply with the SRF Loan Program's Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (DBE) requirements including contacting a minimum of 10 qualified DBE sub-contractors, professional service providers, vendors, and/or suppliers by certified mail to solicit bids. The apparent successful Bidder must submit to the Owner copies of the certified letters and return receipts prior to contract award. Neither the State of Tennessee nor any of its departments, agencies, or employees is or will be a party to this Invitation for Bids or any resulting contract(s) awarded by the Owner.

Special Notice to Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (DBE) Firms

All qualified Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (DBE) firms desiring to bid as a General Contractor, sub-contractor, professional service provider, supplier, or equipment vendor are encouraged to contact the City of Chattanooga Purchasing Department at the address above, in order to obtain a list of prospective bidding General Contractors or to obtain copies of bidding/contract documents.

Davis-Bacon Act and American Iron and Steel Requirements

This project is being funded by a State Revolving Fund loan on or after 2014 EPA Fiscal Year. The loan recipient must be in compliance with all applicable Davis-Bacon Act and American Iron and Steel requirements.

The allotted time for construction is 540 calendar days.

No bid may be withdrawn within 120 calendar days after the scheduled time for receipt of bids.

All bidders must be licensed and shall comply with all requirements of the State of Tennessee Contractor's Licensing Act.

Visit City website at: www.chattanooga.gov/general-services/purchasing/bidssolicitations for specific contract information.

The City of Chattanooga is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

Any contract or contracts awarded under this Advertisement for Bids are expected to be funded with local funds in addition to funds indicated elsewhere.

The Owner will in no way be liable for any costs incurred by any bidder in the preparation of its Bid in response to this Invitation to Bid.

The successful Bidder for this Contract will be required to furnish a satisfactory Performance Bond and Payment Bond each in the amount of 100 percent of the Bid.

The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all Bids, to waive informalities and to readvertise.

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RECOMMENDED FOR APPROVAL:

William C. Payne, P.E. City Engineer Department of Public Works APPROVED:

Justin C. Holland

Administrator Department of Public Works

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