## Advertisement For Bids

## FOCUSED SANITARY SEWER EVALUATION STUDY AND REHABILITATION OF SOUTH CHICKAMAUGA CREEK 5 SUB-BASIN PROJECT CONTRACT NUMBER W-12-021-201

## **CITY OF CHATTANOOGA, TENNESSEE**

Sealed Bids for furnishing all materials, labor, tools, equipment and appurtenances necessary for the construction of the Focused Sanitary Sewer Evaluation Study and Rehabilitation of South Chickamauga Creek 5 Sub-basin Project (Phase 1) 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 December 15, 2016, and then at said office publicly opened and read aloud.

A Pre-Bid Conference is scheduled for November 22, 2016 at 10:00 A.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 consists of approximately 16,610 feet of cured in place pipe sewer rehabilitation, of which approximately 2,110 feet is 36-inch, 1,090 feet is 24-inch, 150 feet is 18-inch, 1,010 feet is 15-inch, 330 feet is 10-inch, 11,920 feet is 8-inch; providing approximately 1,150 feet of root removal and chemical root control to 24-inch, 10-inch, and 8-inch sewer; rehabilitation of approximately 755 vertical feet of various diameter manholes utilizing cementitious lining; rehabilitation of approximately 50 vertical feet of various diameter manholes utilizing polymer resinbased lining; reinstatement of service laterals with approximately 332 by robotic means and rehabilitation of approximately 2 service laterals by open cut means; furnishing and installing approximately 18 chimney seal manhole inserts, 60 manhole inflow dish inserts, and 4 manhole frames and covers; raising approximately 32 manholes; installing approximately 7 new precast concrete manholes; and approximately 27 point repairs, ranging in size from 8-inch to 36-inch diameter pipe. Approximately 480 feet of gravity sewer will be replaced in same trench via open cut.

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

Ms. Marilyn Robinson, Executive Director Nashville Minority Business Office 1919 Charlotte Avenue, Suite 310 Nashville, TN 37203 (615) 255-0432 Brown and Caldwell 220 Athens Way, Suite 500 Nashville, Tennessee 37228 Phone Number: 615-255-2288 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 advertisement 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 Ms. Marilyn Robinson at the Nashville Minority Business Center office listed above to review bidding/contract documents. Qualified Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (DBE) firms may also contact 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 240 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

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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.

CITY OF CHATTANOOGA, TENNESSEE

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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