

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Separate sealed bids for the Assumption Parish Police Jury, Proposed Sewer Improvements for Marais Oxidation Pond Sewer Treatment Rehabilitation OCD/DR Number 04PARA2309 (Funding by Louisiana Office of Community Development/Disaster Recovery Unit OCD G/I Project No. 04PARA2309) , will be received by the Assumption Parish OEP Office located at 105 Dr. Martin Luther King Drive, Napoleonville, Louisiana 70390 until 10:00 A.M. on September 21, 2017 and then at said office publicly opened and read aloud. Bids must be submitted on the proper bid form. Each bid shall be enclosed in a sealed envelope showing the name, address, and license number of the bidder. Any bid received after the specified time and date will not be considered. The Instructions to Bidders, Bid Form, Agreement Between Owner and Contractor, Forms of Bid Bond, Performance and Payment Bonds, Drawings and Specifications, and other Contract Documents may be examined at the following location:

C.J. SAVOIE CONSULTING ENGINEERS, INC.
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Copies may be obtained at the office of C.J. Savoie Consulting Engineers, Inc., upon payment of \$150.00 for each set of documents. Plans and specifications will be available until twenty-four (24) hours before the bid opening. In accordance with Louisiana R.S. 38:2212, deposits on the first set of documents furnished to bonafide prime bidders will be fully refunded upon return of the documents, in good condition, no later than ten (10) days after receipt of bids. On other sets of documents furnished to bidders the deposit less actual cost of reproduction will be refunded upon return of the documents, in good condition, no later than ten (10) days after receipt of bids.

Pursuant to Louisiana Revised Statutes 38:2212E. (1) Bidders now have the option to submit their bids and bid bonds electronically. Bids can be submitted electronically at WWW.ASSUMPTIONLA.COM to the Assumption Parish Website. Each Prime Bidder shall obtain an original set of electronic or paper bidding documents from the design professional, C.J. Savoie Consulting Engineers, Inc. Uploading of bidding documents are of the responsibility of the Prime Bidder.

The OWNER reserves the right to reject any or all bids for just cause. Such actions shall be in accordance with the Louisiana R.S. 38:2214.

A pre-bid conference at which the scope of the project, contract time, and other requirements of the bidding and contract documents may be discussed, or any other special requirements for the project which may be discussed with prospective bidders, will be held at the Assumption Parish OEP Office located at 105 Dr. Martin Luther King Drive, Napoleonville, Louisiana 70390 on September 7, 2017, at 10:00 A.M., local time. All bidders are encouraged to attend the Pre-Bid Conference.

All bids must be accompanied by bid security equal to five percent (5%) of the sum of the base bid and all alternates, and must be in the form of a certified check or cashier's check drawn on a bank insured by the FDIC. Or a Bid Bond Form contained in contract documents, shall be written by a surety or insurance company currently on the U.S. Department of the Treasury Financial Management Service list (Circular 570) of approved bonding companies which is published annually in the Federal Register.

The successful bidder shall be required to furnish a Performance and Payment Bond in an amount equal to 100% of the Contract amount, shall be written by a surety or insurance company currently on the U.S. Department of the Treasury Financial Management Service list (Circular 570) or approved bonding companies which is published annually in the Federal Register. The public shall incur no obligation to the Contractor until the contract between the Parish and the Contractor is fully executed.

No Bidder may withdraw his/her bid within forty-five (45) calendar days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

Attention of Bidders is called particularly to the requirements for conditions of employment to be observed and minimum wage rates to be paid under the Contract (Davis-Bacon Act), Section 3 (Low Income Resident Participation) of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, Section 109 (Non-Discrimination) of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, Section 503 (Non-Discrimination Against Employees with Disabilities) and Section 504 (Non-Discrimination Against Individuals with Disabilities) of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, Segregated Facilities, Executive Order 11246, and all applicable laws and regulations of the Federal government and State of Louisiana and bonding and insurance requirements.

As a requirement under Louisiana Revised Statutes 37:2163, this project is classified as Heavy Construction.

In accordance with R.S. 38:2212B (1), the provisions and requirements stated in the bidding documents shall not be considered as informalities and shall not be waived.

Minority owned firms and small businesses are encouraged to participate. Any person with disabilities requiring special accommodations must contact the Assumption Parish Police Jury no later than seven (7) days prior to bid opening.

**ASSUMPTION PARISH POLICE JURY
BY: MARTIN TRICHE, PRESIDENT**

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