

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Project No.: TWDB DWSRF #62899 CID – 01 & HEI #101003

Project: FM 68, CR 3710 & CR 3310 Waterline Improvements

Owner: Greater Texoma Utility Authority on behalf of Gober Municipal Utility District

Sealed bids for the unit price general construction contract for the construction of FM 68, CR 3710 and CR 3310 Waterline Improvements will be received by Greater Texoma Utility Authority on behalf of Gober Municipal Utility District, until 2:00 p.m. on Thursday, October 20, 2022, at the office of Greater Texoma Utility Authority, 5100 Airport Drive, Denison, TX 75020, at which time bids will be publicly opened and read aloud. Bids received after the closing time will be returned unopened. No pre-bid conference will be conducted.

The Plans, Specifications, and other Contract Documents may be examined at the following places:

Hayter Engineering, Inc., 4445 S.E. Loop 286, Paris, TX 75460, 903-785-0303.

Contract Documents are available for free download at www.civcastusa.com.

Hard copies of Contract Documents may be obtained from Hayter Engineering, Inc., at the above address upon the payment of **\$80** (payable to Hayter Engineering, Inc.) for each set, which is not refundable. Contract Documents are also available from engineer pdf download free of charge. Call Hayter Engineering, Inc. at 903-785-0303 for more information.

The OWNER reserves the right to waive any informalities or to reject any or all bids.

Each BIDDER must deposit with his bid, security in the form of a certified check or bank draft, payable to the order of Greater Texoma Utility Authority on behalf of Gober Municipal Utility District, or a satisfactory Bid Bond executed by the BIDDER of an acceptable surety in an amount equal to five percent (5%) of the total bid.

All bids shall remain good and may not be withdrawn for 90 calendar days from the date of the bid opening, for the purpose of reviewing the bids and investigating the BIDDER'S qualifications prior to contract award.

This contract is to be funded through a loan obtained from the Texas Water Development Board as part of the Drinking Water State Revolving Fund. There are a number of special provisions for this funding that BIDDERS, by submitting a bid, acknowledge understanding, including the followings: A contract is contingent upon release of funds from the TWDB. Neither the State of Texas nor any of its departments, agencies, or employees are or will be a party to this Advertisement for Bids or any resulting contract.

Wages to be paid on this project will be governed by the Department of Labor (DOL) Wage General Decision or Decisions are included within the bid documents for this project. All Davis-Bacon Act conditions shall be followed. The contract will also be subject to monitoring and reporting requirements described in the bid documents. All laborers and mechanics working on the work site and employed by CONTRACTORS and subcontractors on projects funded directly by or assisted in whole or in part by and through the Drinking Water State Revolving Fund shall be paid wages as described in the section, Mandatory Davis-Bacon Act Contract Conditions.

This contract is subject to the Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) Program, which includes EPA-approved "fair share goals" toward procurement of Minority and Women-owned Business enterprise (M/WBE) businesses. EPA rules require that applicants and prime contractors make a good faith effort to award a fair share of contracts, subcontracts, and procurements to M/WBEs through demonstration of the six affirmative steps. For more details of the DBE Program and the current, applicable fair share goals, please visit www.twdb.texas.gov/financial/programs/dbe.

This project is subject to the American Iron and Steel (AIS) requirements of Public Law 114-113, Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2016, or subsequent appropriations acts, for Clean Water State Revolving Fund or Drinking Water State Revolving Fund projects. Any contract(s) awarded under this Invitation for Bids is/are subject to the American Iron and Steel (AIS) requirements of these laws.

Equal Opportunity in Employment – All qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, national origin, sex religion, age, or handicap. The CONTRACTOR shall carry out applicable requirements of 40 CFR Part 33 in the award and administration of contracts awarded under TWDB financial assistance agreements. Failure by the CONTRACTOR to carry out these requirements is a material breach, which may result in the termination of the awarded financial assistance.

The City is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer; Small, minority, and women-owned businesses are encouraged to submit bids for this project.

Dated: 9/30/22
10/2/22
10/7/22
10/9/22

Greater Texoma Utility Authority
on behalf of
Gober Municipal Utility District