

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

CHASTAIN MEADOWS REGIONAL STORMWATER MANAGEMENT FACILITY (CMRSWMF)

PROJECT NO. SW0867

for

THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF COBB COUNTY, GEORGIA

Separate, sealed bids from contractors interested in performing general construction associated with the Chastain Meadows Regional Stormwater Management Facility (CMRSWMF) project will be received by the **COBB COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**, herein referred to as "**Owner**", at the offices of the **Purchasing Department, 1772 County Services Parkway, Marietta, Georgia 30008**, until **12:00 Noon** (local time) on **Thursday, August 27, 2009**. The project name and project number must be shown on the outside of the envelope. **No bids will be accepted after the 12:00 Noon deadline.** Those received late will be returned unopened.

Bids will be opened at 2:00 PM (local time) on **Thursday, August 27, 2009**, in the **Purchasing Department Bid Room, Purchasing Department, 1772 County Services Parkway, Marietta, Georgia 30008**. Bids will be accepted only from Contractors who have been previously prequalified by the Cobb County Water System for this project.

Technical qualifications and resources of personnel and plant will be required for the construction of the proposed earthfill dam at Chastain Meadows Parkway. The construction cost for the CMRSWMF has been estimated at approximately \$5 million. The project consists of two divisions of work that include the following major elements:

- Excavation of existing alluvial soils and foundation preparation with select materials (approximately 15-20 ft below existing grade)
- Construction of an earthfill dam approximately 1100-ft in length by 33-ft in height
- 80 linear feet of quadruple barrel reinforced concrete culvert
- 9-ft high, 47-ft x 27-ft drop box outlet control structure with a central 5-foot wide slot extending from the top of the box at Elevation 919 down to the flow-line of the existing creek at Elevation 910.
- Installation of articulated concrete matting over crest of dam and downstream slope

The bid packages are available for a non-refundable fee of \$130 payable by check or money order at the offices of:

Florence & Hutcheson, Inc.
1300 Ridenour Boulevard, NW
Suite 300
Kennesaw, GA 30144
ATTN: Jeff Powers, P.E.
(770) 428-0157

Any firm who wishes to bid on the CMRSWMF must have already received their prequalification notification from the Owner. **Only Contractors who have been prequalified will be allowed to bid on this project.** Contractors submitting bids are required to have a valid State of Georgia Utility Contractors License.

No bid will be accepted from a bidder who has not obtained a set of bid documents from Florence & Hutcheson, Inc.

Each bid must be accompanied by a bid bond prepared on accepted form, duly executed by the bidder, in the amount of five per cent (5%) of the bid.

Owner requests all bidders to attend a pre-bid conference at the Cobb County Water System, 662 South Cobb Drive, on Friday, August 7, 2009 at 2 P.M. Attendance at the pre-bid conference is strongly encouraged.

Owner reserves the right to waive any informalities or to reject any or all bids, to evaluate bids, and to accept any bid which in its opinion may be for the best interest of Owner. Owner has the right to add to and delete from the contract once it has been awarded. Award, if an award is made, will be to the lowest responsive, responsible bidder.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within 60 days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

Notice: Contractors who are using subcontractors for this job, please be advised that Stormwater Management will require a post-bid qualification review of the subcontractor(s) per **Paragraph 0100-011.5** of the **Instructions to Bidders** of the Contract Documents.

Advertise: Friday July 31, 2009
Friday August 7, 2009
Friday, August 14, 2009
Friday, August 21, 2009

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