ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

SOUTH COBB WRF UPGRADES AND SLUDGE TRANSFER PUMP STATIONS CCWS PROJECT NO. T3003

for

THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF COBB COUNTY, GEORGIA

Separate, sealed bids for furnishing all materials, labor, tools, equipment, and incidentals necessary for the construction of the aforementioned 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 August 27, 2009. The project name and project number must be shown on the outside of the bid envelope. No bids will be accepted after the 12:00 Noon deadline.

Bids will be opened at 2:00 PM (local time) on August 27, 2009, in the Purchasing Department Bid Room, Purchasing Department, 1772 County Services Parkway, Marietta, Georgia 30008.

The Project consists of two divisions of work as briefly described below. Both divisions of work will be awarded to a single contractor.

Division 1 - South Cobb WRF Upgrades includes demolition of the old Control Building, the old Blower/Electrical Building, the old Maintenance Building, and the AFE Pump Station; construction of a 135-foot diameter Secondary Clarifier with an associated Return Sludge Pump Station utilizing vertical turbine solids handling pumps; construction of seven low-head type automatic backwash effluent filters; construction of a filtered effluent pumping station with five 200 HP vertical, mixed flow pumps with variable speed drives; construction of a recycle pumping station with four 60 HP vertical turbine solids handling pumps with variable speed drives; relocation of the plant reuse water pumping station, including four multi-stage vertical turbine pumps; extension of the Aeration Basin effluent channel; expansion of the return activated sludge splitter box, and; upgrade of the plant SCADA system, including various automation features.

Division 2 - South Cobb Sludge Transfer Pump Stations includes conversion of an existing wet well structure into the Primary Sludge Transfer Pump Station, including the installation of two 105 HP submersible sewage pumps with variable speed drives; construction of a Secondary Sludge Transfer Pump Station, including two 75 HP nonclog dry-pit centrifugal pumps with variable speed drives; construction of a pig launching station with provisions for connection of future sludge transfer force mains (to be constructed under a separate future contract); installation of a pre-fabricated building to house electrical equipment and variable speed drives for the Secondary Sludge Transfer Pumps; installation of on-site piping for primary sludge, secondary sludge, secondary scum, and aeration basin foam, including pipe support structures.

Only contractors that have prequalified specifically for this project are invited to bid on this project. Bidders are required to have a State of Georgia Utility Contractor License. The State of Georgia also has requirements for the licensing of other contractors engaged in specific types of construction, including electrical, plumbing, conditioned air, and low voltage work. Any contractor (or subcontractor of any tier) performing regulated work on this project must possess proof of valid and current State registration. Similarly, the State requirements concerning the possession of local business licenses must be met.

The Instruction to Bidders, form of Bid, form of Contract, Drawings, Specifications, forms of Bid Bond, Performance Bond, Payment Bond, and other Contract Documents are available for a non-refundable fee of \$1,300.00 payable by check or money order at the offices of **Brown and Caldwell, 990 Hammond Drive, Suite 400, Atlanta, Georgia 30328.** Information regarding obtaining documents can be obtained by contacting Ted Hull, P.E. at (770) 394-2997. Bidders must provide a street address, Federal Express or UPS shipping account number, fax number, and email address to ensure notification and delivery of Addenda.

Bids will only be accepted from prequalified contractors who are listed on the Plan Holders List, signifying that they have purchased a set of documents from Brown and Caldwell. The following contractors have been prequalified for this project:

3D Enterprises Contracting
Archer Western Contractors
B.L. Harbert International, LLC
Brasfield & Gorrie, LLC
Crowder Construction Co.
Encore Construction Co.
Garney Companies, Inc.
Max Foote Construction Co.
Pizzagalli Construction Co.
Reynolds, Inc.
Ruby Collins, Inc.
Western Summit Constructors, Inc.
Wharton-Smith, Inc.
W.L. Hailey & Company, Inc.
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Each bid must be accompanied by cashier's or certified check or a bid bond prepared on accepted form, duly executed by the bidder, in the amount of five per cent (5%) of the bid.

Owner reserves the right to waive any informality 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. Any bids submitted that do not include a duplicate of Section 00300 and a copy of the bid bond as specified in the Instructions to Bidders may be rejected. Owner has the right to add to and delete from the contract once it has been awarded. Award, if award is made, will be to the lowest responsive, responsible bidder.

The successful bidder for this contract will be required to furnish a satisfactory performance bond and labor and material payment bond, each in the amount of one-hundred percent (100%) of the bid.

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

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