

SECTION 00110 - NOTICE INVITING BIDS

RECEIPT OF BIDS: Sealed Bids will be received at the office of the City of Defiance Engineering Office, Project Owner and BUYER of the WORK, located at 631 Perry Street, Defiance, Ohio 43512, until 2:00 PM (local time), on Tuesday September 15, 2020, for the Carbon Dioxide Tank Procurement Project. Any Bids received after the specified time and date will not be considered.

OPENING OF BIDS: The Bids will be publicly opened and read at 2:00 PM (local time) on Tuesday September 15, 2020 at the above-mentioned office of the BUYER.

COMPLETION OF WORK: The WORK must be complete by March 15, 2021.

DESCRIPTION OF WORK: The WORK includes furnishing goods and special services consisting of one Carbon Dioxide Storage Tank and Accessories and delivery of equipment to the project site to be installed at the Defiance WTP. The installation of the tank and appurtenances are not included in this Contract and will be completed by the INSTALLATION CONTRACTOR responsible for the completion of the Defiance WTP GAC Facility Improvements Project.

ENGINEER'S OPINION OF PROBABLE COST: The Engineer's Opinion of Probable cost for the project is \$215,000.

SITE OF WORK: The Site of the WORK is located at 1356 Baltimore Road, Defiance, Ohio 43512.

OBTAINING CONTRACT DOCUMENTS: The Contract Documents are entitled "WTP Carbon Dioxide Tank Procurement Project Documents".

The Contract Documents may be obtained electronically upon payment of \$50.00 (non-refundable) to the City of Defiance for each set of Contract Documents (Technical Specifications).

BID SECURITY: Each Bid shall be accompanied by a certified or cashier's check or letter of credit revocable only at the option of the BUYER and which shall be made payable to the BUYER or a Bond (which meets the requirements set forth below) as a guarantee that the Bidder, if its Bid is accepted, will promptly execute the Agreement. A Bid shall not be considered for award unless one of the forms of Bidder's security is enclosed with it. All Bid guarantees and the obligations of the Bidder and its guarantor/surety shall be subject to the provisions of Ohio Revised Code Section 153.54.

A Bid guaranty offered in the form of a Bond shall substantially conform to the requirements of the Bid Guaranty and Contract Bond as set forth in ORC Section 153.571 and shall have a penal amount not less than the Total Bid Price. The Bond shall be executed by a surety licensed in the State of Ohio and the Bond shall be accompanied by a certificate of compliance issued by the Ohio Department of Insurance. The surety executing the Bond must also be named in the current list of "Companies Holding Certificates" as published in Circular 570 (amended) by the Audit Staff, Bureau of Government Financial Operations, U. S. Treasury Department. All Bonds signed by an agent must be accompanied by a certified copy of such agent's authority to act.

A Bid guaranty in the form of a certified check, cashier's check or letter of credit revocable only at the option of the BUYER shall be in an amount not less than 10 percent of the Total Bid Price.

BIDS TO REMAIN OPEN: The Bidder shall guarantee the Total Bid Price for a period of 60 Days from the date of Bid opening.

ASSIGNED PROCUREMENT CONTRACTS

1. 30-Ton Liquid Carbon Dioxide Storage Tank and Accessories
 - A. The BUYER is executing this procurement contract for early procurement of items to be used in the Defiance WTP GAC Facility Improvements. Said procurement contract will be assigned by the BUYER to the INSTALLATION CONTRACTOR/ASSIGNEE hereunder.
 - B. The items covered under said procurement contract include furnishing, delivering, unloading and securing of goods at the project site. Installation, operations and maintenance manuals, start-up services and training are not included in this contract and it is expected that the SELLER will enter into a separate agreement with the INSTALLATION CONTRACTOR as part of the WTP GAC Facility Improvements Project for these items. The SELLER shall be responsible for coordinating the work with the INSTALLATION CONTRACTOR.

SMALL BUSINESS IN RURAL AREAS (SBRA). This procurement is subject to the EPA policy of encouraging the participation of small business in rural areas (SBRAs).

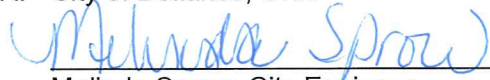
FEDERAL PREVAILING WAGE RATE DETERMINATION: In accordance with the provisions of Water Supply Revolving Loan Account (WSRLA) Program, prevailing wages defined by the Davis-Bacon Act apply to the Contract to which this Procurement Contract for goods and services will be assigned. While this Procurement Contract does not include any actual construction, this paragraph serves as notice to the SELLER that each laborer, workman, or mechanic shall be paid at a rate not less than the prevailing rate of wages under the Installation Contract.

PROJECT ADMINISTRATION: All communications relative to this WORK shall be directed to the ENGINEER prior to opening of the Bids.

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BUYER'S RIGHTS RESERVED: The BUYER reserves the right to reject any or all Bids, to waive any informality in a Bid, and to make awards to the lowest and best Bid, as determined in the judgment of the BUYER.

Date: September 15, 2020
OWNER: City of Defiance, Ohio

By: 
Melinda Sprow, City Engineer

PUBLICATION DATES:

August 20, 2020
August 27, 2020

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