ERIE COUNTY WATER AUTHORITY 3030 UNION ROAD CHEEKTOWAGA, NEW YORK 14227

CONTRACT NO: NC-041
WATER SYSTEM IMPROVEMENTS
TOWN OF WEST SENECA
PROJECT NO: 202000072

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Erie County Water Authority will receive separate, sealed bids for the furnishing of all labor, plant, tools, equipment and specified materials, or services. for ERIE COUNTY WATER AUTHORITY, WATER SYSTEM IMPROVEMENTS, TOWN OF WEST SENECA. The Work consists of a single contract for the installation of approximately 1,320 linear feet of 24-inch ductile iron pipe and appurtenances for Project A or 2,480 linear feet of 24-inch ductile iron pipe and appurtenances for Project B on Langner Road in the Town of West Seneca.

Bids must be received by the Erie County Water Authority no later than 10 a.m. EST, on Tuesday, February 18, 2025 at the Service Center Front Desk, Erie County Water Authority, 3030 Union Road, Cheektowaga, New York 14227.

Members of the public may be present to observe the bid opening. All attendees must bring a government-issued photo identification (driver's license preferred) and check-in with the ECWA receptionist before being allowed entry to the bid opening.

Whenever the Erie County Water Authority is operating under a Declaration of Emergency due to a pandemic or other general state of emergencies, members of the public may be precluded from being present at such bid opening.

ANYONE ENTERING THE SERVICE CENTER OR OTHER AUTHORITY FACILITIES IS SUBJECT TO SUCH RESTRICTIONS OR LIMITATIONS IN PLACE AT THE TIME OF ENTRY.

All bids being mailed (including FedEx, UPS, Priority Mail, etc.) <u>or</u> delivered shall be directed to the "SERVICE CENTER FRONT DESK" at the address listed above in a sealed envelope and be clearly marked on the outside of the mailing or hand-delivered envelope "BID ENCLOSED - CONTRACT NO. NC-041, ECWA WATER SYSTEM IMPROVEMENTS, TOWN OF WEST SENECA, PROJECT NO. 202000072.

Beginning at 9:00 a.m., on Tuesday, January 14, 2025, if bidders wish to purchase printed copies of the Contract Documents, they must be obtained through Avalon. The fee paid to Avalon is non-refundable. **Only official planholders will be allowed to bid on the project.** Bidders acknowledge that they are responsible for review of all components of the Contract Documents, including all specification sections and drawings, regardless of how may drawings they print and in which format/size they are printed.

The Contract Documents may be examined at the following locations:

Avalon Plan Room Construction Exchange of Buffalo and WNY

www.avalonplanroom.com 2660 William Street

Cheektowaga, New York 14224

The Contract Documents may be viewed online and ordered through Avalon Plan Room at: www.avalonplanroom.com in the "Public Bid" section. If you do not have internet access or have questions on ordering, please contact Avalon Document Services at 716-998-7777.

A pre-bid meeting will be held at 9 a.m., EST, on Tuesday, January 28, 2025, at the ECWA Service Center. Attendance at the pre-bid meeting is recommended but is not mandatory.

If the pre-bid meeting is held at the Service Center, all attendees must bring a government-issued photo identification (driver's license preferred) and check-in with the ECWA receptionist before being allowed entry to the pre-bid meeting. If a Declaration of Emergency is in effect, the pre-bid meeting will be conducted through a video or audio conference, with details posted on the ECWA website.

Each bid shall be accompanied by a certified check or bid bond in the amount of five percent (5%) of the amount of the bid.

In accordance with State Finance Law §§139-j and 139-k, all questions about meaning or intent of the bidding documents shall be submitted to the designated contact person for the Engineer in writing. The designated contact for the Engineer is listed below.

The Erie County Water Authority reserves the right to reject any and all bids or to accept any bid deemed to be for the best interest of the Water Authority even though the proposal chosen may result in the award of the contract to a bidder whose bid is not mathematically lowest.

ERIE COUNTY WATER AUTHORITY

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