

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

CONTRACT No: W-035C
STORAGE TANK REFURBISHING – EDEN 2, NEWSTEAD
PROJECT No: 202300060

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 the ERIE COUNTY WATER AUTHORITY, STORAGE TANK REFURBISHING – EDEN 2, NEWSTEAD. The Work consists of a single contract for the refurbishing of two water storage tanks (two steel hydropillars) within the Erie County Water Authority system, located in the Town of Eden and Town of Newstead.

Bids must be received by the Erie County Water Authority no later than 10:00 a.m. Eastern Prevailing Time, on Tuesday, January 28, 2025 at the Service Center Front Desk, Erie County Water Authority, 3030 Union Road, Cheektowaga, New York 14227.

When permitted, 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.) or 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-ECWA STORAGE TANK REFURBISHING – EDEN 2, NEWSTEAD".

Beginning at 9:00 a.m. Eastern Prevailing Time, on Tuesday, December 17, 2024, 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 many drawings they print and in which format/size they are printed.

The Contract Documents may be examined at the following locations:

Avalon Plan Room
www.avalonplanroom.com

Construction Exchange of Buffalo and WNY
2660 William Street
Cheektowaga, New York 14227

The Contract Document may be ordered through Avalon Plan Room at: www.avalonplanroom.com in the “Private Bid” section. To obtain the “Private Key Code” required to access the Contract Documents, contact Lauren Glose, PE (contact information included at the end of this section). If you do not have internet access or have questions on ordering, please contact Avalon Document Services at 716-995-7777.

A pre-bid meeting will be held at 10:00 a.m., Eastern Prevailing Time, on Tuesday, January 7, 2025, at the Service Center, Erie County Water Authority, 3030 Union Road, Cheektowaga, New York 14227. Attendance at the pre-bid meeting is recommended but is not mandatory. Those interested in attending should RSVP by 12:00 p.m. on January 6, 2025 to Lauren Glose at lglose@wendelcompanies.com.

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.

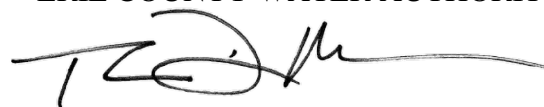
Contractors interested in visiting the site may coordinate a visit with Seth Krull, PE, telephone 716.685.8218, email skrull@ecwa.org. Contractors are required to provide all equipment necessary to complete an inspection of the tank and property, none will be provided by ECWA.

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 in writing. The designated contact is Lauren Glose, PE, Wendel, Centerpointe Corporate Park, 375 Essjay Road, Suite 200, Williamsville, NY 14221, telephone 716.688.0766, email lglose@wendelcompanies.com.

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.

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