

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

CITY OF SAN JUAN BAUTISTA SANITARY SEWER FORCE MAIN TO HOLLISTER PROJECT

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

The City of San Juan Bautista is requesting Bids for the construction of the following Project:

City of San Juan Bautista Sanitary Sewer Force Main to Hollister Project

Bids for the construction of the Project will be received at the office of the City Hall, located at 311 Second Street, PO Box 1420, San Juan Bautista, CA 95045 until May 26, 2023, at 2:00 pm PST. At that time the Bids received will be publicly opened and read.

The Project includes the following Work:

- Construction of a 10-inch HDPE sanitary sewer force main extending from the City of San Juan Bautista Wastewater Treatment Plant to the City of Hollister Domestic Wastewater Treatment Plant
- Construction of a Primary Pump Station to convey the wastewater to Hollister
- Construction of a Storage Pump Station for peak flow shaving to the Emergency Storage Basins (ESBs) when influent flows exceed the capacity of the Primary Pump Station as well as the necessary improvements to drain the ESBs
- Construction of Chemical Feed System

Bids will be received for a single prime Contract. Bids shall be on a lump sum and unit price basis, as indicated in the Bid Form. The base bid shall be determined by the available City budget as described in the Bid Form.

The engineer's opinion of probable cost (cost estimate) for this project is \$14,400,000.

Obtaining the Bidding Documents

Bidding Documents are available at the City website at www.san-juan-bautista.ca.us for download, examination, and printing. Hard copies will not be provided. Direct all bid period questions to the City Engineer, Doug Pike, dpik@mnsengineers.com.

Pre-bid Conference

A mandatory pre-bid conference for the Project will be held on May 11, 2023, at 10:00 am at City Hall, located at 311 Second Street, San Juan Bautista, CA 95045 (a site visit will follow). At this meeting, representatives of the City and Design Engineer will discuss the bid documents, site constraints, order of work, and other items specific to the project. A sign-in sheet will be available up until 11:00 am only. Bids received from Bidders who do not sign the sign-in sheet and attend the meeting will be returned to the Bidder unopened. Attendance by subcontractors is not mandatory, but all interested prospective subcontractors are encouraged to attend. The City will transmit to attendees such Addenda as the City considers necessary in response to questions raised at the pre-bid meeting and walk-through. Oral statements not confirmed by Addenda may not be relied upon and are not binding or legally effective. Except for walk-through after the mandatory pre-bid meeting, no other access to the project site will be granted without the City's

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approval. During the entirety of all site visits, the Bidder must be accompanied full time by an authorized representative of the City. There are no exceptions to this requirement.

Instructions to Bidders.

Bid security shall be furnished in accordance with Section 00200 – Instruction to Bidders.

In accordance with the provisions of California Labor Code Sections 1770, 1773, 1773.1, 1773.6, and 1773.7 as amended, the Director of the Department of Industrial Relations has determined the general prevailing rate of per diem wages in accordance with the standards set forth in Section 1773 for the locality in which the work is to be performed. It shall be mandatory upon the Contractor to whom the work is awarded and upon any subcontractor under the Contractor to pay not less than said specified prevailing rates, to all workmen employed by them in the execution of the Contract. See Specification 00300.

Pursuant to Labor Code sections 1725.5 and 1771.1, all contractors and subcontractors that wish to bid on, be listed in a bid proposal, or enter into a contract to perform public work must be registered with the Department of Industrial Relations. No Bid will be accepted nor any contract entered into without proof of the contractor's and subcontractors' current registration with the Department of Industrial Relations to perform public work. If awarded a contract, the Bidder and its subcontractors, of any tier, shall maintain active registration with the Department of Industrial Relations for the duration of the Project. Further, Contractor and all Subcontractors shall comply with the requirements of Labor Code sections 1777.5 and 1777.6 in the employment of apprentices.

Each Bidder shall be licensed at the time of bidding under the provisions of Chapter 9, Division 3 of the Business and Professions Code of the State of California to do the type of work contemplated for this project. The license classification shall be Class A – General Engineering.

At time of bid award, the Contractor and all sub-contractors shall have valid City business licenses, which may be obtained from City Hall at 311 Second Street, San Juan Bautista, CA 95045.

The Contractor is responsible for obtaining, adhering to the requirements of, or supporting the City in adherence to requirements thereof, permits as described in the Instructions to bidders (City of San Juan Bautista, City of Hollister, San Benito County, Caltrans, Regional Water Resources Control Board, State Water Resources Control Board, Air Resources Board, North Central Coast Air Basin, Occupational Safety and Health Administration, Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Plan, Biological Opinion, Water Quality Certification, Section 2081 Incidental Take Permit and Streambed Alteration Permit).

Bidders are advised that this project is funded, in part, by a loan or grant from the U.S. Department of Agriculture Rural Development (USDA). Bidders are required to comply with all of the provisions for this funding program. Bidders are required to comply with American Iron and Steel (AIS) procurement (Specification 00200 and 00481). Federal Davis-Bacon wage requirements do not apply. Also, to allow for final funding commitments based on accepted bids, there may be a delay of up to 60 days between bid opening and Award.

For all further requirements regarding bid submittal, qualifications, procedures, and contract award, refer to the Instructions to Bidders that are included in the Bidding Documents.

This Advertisement is issued by:

Owner: City of San Juan Bautista
By: Doug Pike
Title: City Engineer
Date: April 21, 2023

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