**ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS**

Town of Duck Hill

P.O. Box 368 Duck Hill, MS. 38925

Separate Sealed Bids for Contract “A”, Sewer Improvements, Devalda Drive and South State Street, Duck Hill, Mississippi, will be received by The Town of Duck Hill, at the office of City Hall on Main Street, Duck Hill, Mississippi, until 10:00 A.M., (local time) on December 6, 2023, and then at said office publicly opened and read aloud.

The Plans, Specifications and CONTRACT DOCUMENTS may be examined at the following locations:

1. Town of Duck Hill, MS. Main Street, Duck Hill, Mississippi 38925.

2. Office of Joe A. Sutherland, Jr. P.E.-P.S., Project Engineer, 228 First Street, Grenada, MS. 38901,

3. ABC Plan Room, Tupelo, Mississippi,

4. AGC Plan Room, Jackson, MS,

5. Mississippi Procurement Technical Assistance Program (MPTAP)

Mississippi Development Authority, Minority & Small Business Development

Woolfolk Building

501 North West Street

Suite B 01

Jackson, MS 39201

Minority and women’s business enterprises are solicited to bid on this contract as prime contractors and are encouraged to make inquiries regarding potential subcontracting opportunities and equipment, material and/or supply needs.

Any contract or contracts awarded under this invitation for bids are expected to be funded in whole or in part by funds from the Mississippi Development Authority, Community Development Block Grant funds Project # 1139-22-170-PF-01. This procurement will be subject to all applicable sections of the Mississippi Code of 1972, Annotated, as they apply to local governments. Neither the State of Mississippi nor the Mississippi Department of Environmental Quality or any of their employees will be a party to this invitation for bids or any resulting contracts.

All local, state and federal special conditions will apply. Section 3 of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968 requires that the Town and contractors participating in CDBG projects give opportunities for job training and employment to lower income residents of the Section 3 area that is described as the Town of Duck Hill, Montgomery County, Mississippi. Section 3 also requires that to the maximum extent feasible contracts for work in connection with Section 3 covered projects be awarded to business concerns that are located in or owned in substantial part by persons residing in the Section 3 area.

The Town of Duck Hill is an equal opportunity employer and hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that, in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement , minority business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, sex, age, disability or national origin in consideration of an award.

The Town of Duck Hill reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any informalities or irregularities therein.

Copies of the Contract Documents may be obtained at the issuing office of the engineer, Joe A. Sutherland, Jr. P.E.-P.S., located at 228 First Street, Grenada, MS. 38901, or P.O. Box 635, Grenada, MS. 38902-0635 upon advance payment of $0 per set for digital copies or $200 per set for paper copies, nonrefundable.

(s) Al White, Mayor