**REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS**

NOTICE is hereby given that the City of Hattiesburg, Mississippi will receive Statements of Qualifications until 10:00 A.M., Thursday, January 18, 2024, in the City Clerk’s Office in the City Hall for the following:

**Qualified Eligible Lead Abatement firms certified with the State of Mississippi-MDEQ and have Lead Abatement Supervisor, and Lead Abatement Worker disciplines. All lead abatement work must be performed according to the specifications described in the protocols for lead remediation with the City of Hattiesburg and in the US Dept. of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) *“Guidelines for the Evaluation and Control of Lead- Based Paint Hazards in Housing”* and all other applicable Federal, State, and Local regulations**, **as needed for the City of Hattiesburg’s LeadSafe Hattiesburg Program.**

The above shall be delivered as per detailed specifications on file in the Office of the Clerk, P.O. Box 1898, 200 Forrest Street, Hattiesburg, Mississippi, 39403-1898, (601) 545-4552, which may be obtained upon request.

Each PROPOSAL must be received in a sealed envelope which is marked in the lower left-hand corner with the words “**Request for Qualifications-Lead Abatement Contractor**” and the **DATE OF BID OPENING: Thursday, January 18, 2024.**

Respondents meeting the established criteria will be placed on a list of QECs in accordance with the City’s LeadSafe Hattiesburg Manual. Notwithstanding, the Council reserves the right to reject any or all bids received and to waive formalities.

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