Jackson County Port Authority ADVERTISEMENT - REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS

Sealed Statements of Qualifications will be received by the Jackson County Port Authority at 3033 Pascagoula Street, P. O. Box 70, Pascagoula, Mississippi 39568-0070 until 2:00 p.m., May 15, 2018, for:

Professional Engineering Services in Connection with the North Rail Connector – Planning Assistance Project

The selected Engineer shall provide preliminary engineering services (construction phase engineering is not included in the project). Services also include, but are not limited to, surveying and permitting activities.

Information packets will be located at the Port office listed above, Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Engineering firms/individuals should submit a list of their qualifications, experience, and capacity for performance. Firms/Individuals must submit the name of the primary contact person and the person within the firm (if applicable) who shall be the Port's contact and party primarily responsible for rendering services if selected.

Additional information regarding the scope of work for this solicitation may also be examined at the following locations:

- A. 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
- B. South MS Contract Procurement Center
 1636 Popps Ferry Road, Suite 203
 Biloxi, MS 39532
 Phone (228) 396-1288

Any contract awarded under this solicitation may be paid for in whole or in part with grant funding from the Department of the Treasury and the Mississippi Department of Environmental Quality under the Resources and Ecosystems Sustainability, Tourist Opportunities, and Revived Economies of the Gulf Coast States Act of 2012 (RESTORE Act). Any contract resulting from this solicitation will be subject to the terms and conditions of said funding award, the RESTORE Act Financial Assistance Standard Terms and Conditions and Program-Specific Terms and Conditions, the Standard Sub-Award Terms and Conditions, the RETORE Act, 33 U. S. C. 1321(t), Treasury Regulations 31 C. F. R. § 34 et seq., including 31 C. F. R. §§ 34, Subpart D, all applicable terms and conditions in 2 C. F. R. Part 200 (including Appendix II to Part 200), and all other OMB circulars, executive orders or other federal laws or regulations, as applicable. The Mississippi

Department of Environmental Quality, the United States, or any of its departments, agencies or employees is not and will not be a party to this solicitation or any resulting contract.

Minority and women's business enterprises are solicited to submit a statement of qualifications and are encouraged to make inquiries regarding potential subcontracting opportunities.

When subcontracting, all potential contractors must make positive efforts to use small and minority owned business and women business enterprises. See 2. C. F. R. §200.321.

If you have any questions concerning the Request for Qualifications, please call the Jackson County Port Authority, Purchasing Department, during working hours listed above, at 228-762-4041.

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