ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS BABYLON ROAD SANITARY SEWER STARKVILLE, MISSISSIPPI

Sealed bids for the construction of <u>Babylon Road Sanitary Sewer</u> will be received by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen at City Hall, located at 110 West Main Street, Starkville, Mississippi 39759 until <u>9:00 AM</u> local time on <u>Monday</u>, <u>February 14, 2022</u> at which time they will be publicly opened and read aloud. Bids received after this time will not be accepted and will be returned unopened.

The work is generally described as follows:

Construction of approximately 4000 feet of eight-inch sanitary	y sewer gravity main, two sewer
lift stations, sewer service connections, manholes, pipes and	fittings
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The contract time is 120 consecutive calendar days. Liquidated damages in the amount of Nine Hundred & 00/100 dollars (\$900.00) will be assessed for each consecutive calendar day in excess of the contract time.

Bidders must be qualified under Mississippi Law and show a current Certificate of Responsibility issued by the Mississippi Board of Public Contractors establishing classification as to the value and type of construction work authorized by state statute.

Copies of the Contract Documents may be obtained at Springer Engineering, Inc., 206 Old West Point Road, Starkville, MS for \$\frac{\star}{300.00}\$ for each set, non-refundable. The cost of the contract documents includes standard shipping and handling via U. S. Mail.

Bids must be submitted on the standard form of bid proposal and accompanied by a bid bond in the amount of <u>5.0</u> percent of the total bid. The successful bidder will be required to execute the standard form of Contract and Agreement, together with a <u>100</u>% Performance Bond and a <u>100</u>% Payment Bond, within 20 days after award of the contract.

The bidder shall comply with the requirements of Executive Order No. 11246 as amended and may not withdraw his bid for a period of 90 calendar days after the scheduled closing time for receiving bids.

This project is subject to all Federal requirements applicable to the CDBG program of the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), said CDBG Program being administered in the State of Mississippi by the Department of Community Development, Governor's Office of Federal-State Programs. Information concerning the Federal requirements applicable to the project is found in the contract documents for the project.

Section 3 of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968 requires that the City 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 below:

- 1. 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.
- **2**. The Section 3 area is defined as follows: The City limits of the City of Starkville.

The City of Starkville does not discriminate on the basis of disability in the admissions or access to or treatment or employment in its programs or activities. The City of Starkville considers itself an equal employment opportunity community and seeks to further fair housing within the City to the greatest extent possible.

No bid shall be withdrawn for a period of ninety (90) days after the scheduled date and time of the opening of bids without the written consent of the City. Within the limitations of the state law, the City reserves the right to reject any or all bids received, to waive any informalities or irregularities in the bids received, or to accept any bid that is deemed most favorable to the City.

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