## ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

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Proposals will be received by Town of Puckett at the office of the Engineer, Heflin Engineering, Inc., 1700 West Government Street, Building "A" Suite "J",

(P.O. Box 47), Brandon, Mississippi 39043, until 10:00 AM, local time, February 7

20 20; at which time and place, the Bids will be publicly opened and read aloud. Any bids received after the closing time will be returned unopened.

The work shall consist of the control network for the Town's water system.

Copies of the Plans, Specifications, and other Bidding Documents are on file at Heflin Engineering, Inc., 1700 West Government Street, Building "A", Suite "J", Brandon, Mississippi, (P. O. Box 47, Brandon, Mississippi 39043-0047

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

This contract is funded in whole or in part by funds from the Consolidated Appropriations Act of 214 (H.R. 3547); therefore, this project must comply with the Buy American requirements of the Act.

The work to be performed under this contract is subject to the requirements of Section 3 of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, as amended 12 U.S.C. 1701u (Section 3). CDBG regulations governing the grant require that, to the greatest extent feasible, opportunities for contracting, subcontracting, training and employment arising in connection with this CDBG project will be extended to Section 3 businesses and Section 3 residents.

The Town of Puckett reserves the right to reject any and all Bids and to waive any and all informalities, and reserves the right to hold all Bids for examination for a period not to exceed sixty (60) days and to award the Contract to the lowest and best Bid complying with the Plans and Specifications within said time.

Any contract or contracts awarded under this invitation for bids are expected to be funded in whole or in part by anticipated funds from the Drinking Water Systems Improvements Revolving Loan Fund (DWSIRLF) loan program from the State of Mississippi. Neither the State of Mississippi, the Local Governments and Rural Water Systems Improvements Board, the State Department of Health, nor any of their employees is or will be a party to this invitation for bids or any resulting or related contracts. This procurement will be subject to all applicable sections of the Mississippi Code of 1972, Annotated, as they apply to local governments, in accordance with Appendix D of the DWSIRLF Program Regulations.

TOWN OF PUCKETT

Russ Espiritu, Mayor