

## ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

NOTICE is hereby given that the Town of Utica, Mississippi, will receive written sealed bids until the hour of 2:00 pm, local time on **Wednesday, August 29, 2018**, at the office of the Town of Utica located at 110 White Oak St, Utica, MS 39175 (601-885-8718) for the furnishing of all labor and materials, and for performing all activities specified in the Contract Documents, for the construction of the **CDBG Public Facilities**.

A Pre-Bid Conference will be held at 10:00 am, local time, on Wednesday, August 22, 2018, at the office of the Town of Utica.

The project includes the **Water Treatment Facility Repair** the Contract Time will be **Two Hundred Forty (240)** consecutive calendar days, and the liquidated damages will be **\$200** per consecutive calendar day thereafter.

Plans, contract documents and proposal forms are on file for public inspection in the office of the **Town of Utica, 110 White Oak St, Utica, MS 39175 (601-885-8718)**, and in the office of the Engineer, WGK, Inc., 204 W Leake St, Clinton, MS 39056 (601-925-4444). All documents required for bidding purposes, including specifications and plans, may be downloaded under QuestCDN Project **#5879947** at [www.questcdn.com](http://www.questcdn.com) for a non-refundable charge of \$10 Contact QuestCDN.com at 952-233-1632 or [info@questcdn.com](mailto:info@questcdn.com) for assistance in free membership, viewing or downloading this digital project information.

Bids for this work will be accepted only under the name of the Bidder to whom the Contract Documents and Addenda, if any, have been issued by the Engineer. Bids received by bidders to whom the Contract Documents were not issued by the Engineer will be returned unopened.

State law requires a non-resident bidder to attach/include a copy of his resident state's current law pertaining to such state's treatment of non-resident contractors with their bid. Any bid submitted by a non-resident contractor which does not include the non-resident contractor's current state law shall be rejected and not considered for award.

All bids will be publicly opened and read aloud at the hour of 2:00 pm, local time on **Wednesday, August 29, 2018**, at the office of the Town Hall located at **Town of Utica, Utica, MS, 39175**, Bids will be considered by the **Town of Utica** at or before the next regular meeting thereof to be held within thirty (30) days of the date of receipt of bids.

This project is covered by HUD Section 3 requirements as set forth in 24 CFR 135 of the federal regulations. In order to comply with these requirements, Section 3 Business Concerns are solicited to bid on this contract as prime contractors and are encouraged to make inquiries regarding potential subcontracting opportunities to Section 3 Business Concerns. Preference may be given to a certified Section 3 Business located near the project area as noted in the Section 3 Clause of these specifications.

The Town of Utica hereby notifies all Bidders that it will affirmatively insure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this notice, disadvantaged, and women's business enterprises will be afforded the full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, or national origin in consideration for an award.

The Town of Utica furthers its support of Fair Housing and Equal Opportunity for all individuals.

The **Town of Utica** reserves the right to waive any and all informalities in the bidding and to reject any and all bids.

BY ORDER OF THE **TOWN OF UTICA, UTICA, MS**, ON THE   3rd   DAY OF  July , **2018**.

Notes: Publish in the **Clarion-Ledger** on **Tuesday, July 31<sup>st</sup> and August 7, 2018**

Furnish bill and one proof of publication to the **Town of Utica, 110 White Oak St, Utica, MS 39175**.

