

## ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Separate sealed bids for the construction of CONTRACT "A" – NEW WATER WELL and CONTRACT "B" – WATER DISTRIBUTION IMPROVEMENTS FOR THE MITCHELL WATER ASSOCIATION will be received by the Tippah County Board of Supervisors at the Tippah County Board of Supervisors' Room located at 101 East Spring Street, Ripley, MS 38663 until **10:00 a.m., March 15<sup>th</sup>, 2019** and then at said office publicly opened and read aloud.

Contract Documents, including Drawings and Specifications, may be examined at the office of Ward Engineering, located at 1713A City Ave. North, Ripley, Mississippi, and also can be viewed and/or purchased at Ward Engineering, Inc. plan room at [www.wardengplans.com](http://www.wardengplans.com). All plan holders are required to have a valid email address for registration. Bid documents are non-refundable and must be purchased through the website. Questions regarding website registration and online orders please contact Plan House Printing at (662)407-0193.

The work shall consist of: **Contract "A" - Furnish and Installation of a new water well and Contract "B" – Installation of approximately 14,000 LF of water system distribution extensions.**

Each bid submitted must be in a sealed envelope addressed to the Tippah County Board of Supervisors, and clearly marked on the outside **"Bid for: CONTRACT "A" – NEW WATER WELL or CONTRACT "B" – WATER DISTRIBUTION IMPROVEMENTS, MITCHELL WATER ASSOCIATION, INC., CDBG PROJECT #1134-18-070-PF-01"**. Any bid in excess of \$50,000 must contain on the outside of the envelope the contractor's current certificate of responsibility number, and no bid shall be opened or considered unless this number appears on the outside of the envelope or unless a statement is included on the outside of the envelope indicating that the bid enclosed does not exceed \$50,000.

A satisfactory Bid Bond executed by the Bidder or an accepted Surety, a certified check, or bank draft payable to the TIPPDAH COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, on negotiable U.S. Government Bonds (at par value), shall be submitted with each bid in an amount equal to five percent (5%) of the total bid.

Bidders are directed to the contract requirement that not less than the minimum wages and salaries set forth in the Contract Documents must be paid on this project, in accordance with the Davis-Bacon and Related Acts. In addition, the Contractor must ensure that employment and applicants for employment are not discriminated against because of their race, color, religion, sex or natural origin.

Bids may be held up to 60 days from the date of opening for review of bids and qualifications of bidders prior to Contract award. The Tippah County Board of Supervisors reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any informality in the bidding.

This project is being funded in part by a Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) and is subject to the rules and regulations thereof and is subject to the requirements of Section 3 of the Housing and Urban Development (HUD) Act of 1968, as amended.

Jimmy Gunn, President  
Tippah County Board of Supervisors

Publish Dates:  
February 13, 2019 and February 20, 2019