

## ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids for **Wastewater Treatment Plant Disc Aerator Weatherhood and Metalwork Installation** will be received by The City of Batesville, herein called the "OWNER", at **Batesville** City Hall, 103 College Street, Batesville, MS until **2:00 P.M.**, Local Time on **June 20, 2017** 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.

A Pre-Bid Conference is not currently scheduled for the Project. If it is determined that a pre-bid conference is required, an addendum will be issued to establish the time, date, and location.

Description of Work: The Work consists of furnishing all plant, labor, materials, equipment, appurtenances, incidentals and other items and effort required for the installation of disc aerator weatherhoods and metal works at the facility. Principal features of work include, but are not limited to, mobilization and demobilization; demolition of existing access walkways, stairs, handrails, grating, and appurtenances; demolition of existing concrete slabs and sidewalks; installation of new weatherhood assemblies and support structures (furnished by the Owner); furnishing and installing new metal access walkways, stairs, ladders, bar grating, and aluminum handrails; cast-in-place concrete sidewalks and slabs; miscellaneous metals; erosion control; storm water pollution prevention and environmental protection.

Contract time is **120** consecutive calendar days from the effective date shown in the Notice to Proceed. Liquidated damages in the amount of **\$250** will be assessed for each consecutive calendar day thereafter that the Work has not been completed.

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 on which he is authorized to bid.

The Plans, Specifications, and Contract Documents may be examined at the following locations:

1. Batesville City Hall, 103 College Street, Batesville, MS 38606, (662) 563-4576
2. Mendrop Engineering Resources, 854 Wilson Drive, Suite A, Ridgeland, MS 39157, (601) 899-5158

Copies of the Contract Documents may be obtained at the offices of Mendrop Engineering Resources, LLC, 854 Wilson Drive, Suite A, Ridgeland, MS 39157, Telephone 601-899-5158, upon payment of **\$165** for each set, **NOT** to be refunded. The cost of the contract documents includes standard shipping and handling via USPS First Class Mail or UPS Ground, as well as printing expenses.

The bid schedule may be examined at the Mississippi Procurement Technical Assistance Program (MPTAP) website at [www.mspsc.com](http://www.mspsc.com).

Disadvantaged business enterprises are encouraged to make inquiries regarding potential bidding; subcontracting opportunities; and equipment, material and/or supply needs.

Any contract or contracts awarded under this invitation for bids are expected to be funded in whole by anticipated funds from The City of Batesville, MS. Neither the State of Mississippi, the Local Government, nor any of their employees is, or will be a party to this invitation for bids or any resulting or related contract.

The bidder shall guarantee to hold his bid good and may not withdraw his bid for a period of 60 calendar days after the scheduled closing time for receiving bids.

The award, if made, will be made to the party submitting the lowest and best responsive, responsible bid deemed most favorable to the Owner. *The City of Batesville reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any informalities or irregularities in the bids received.*

**The City of Batesville**  
**Mayor Jerry Autrey**

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