ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed Bids for the **NEW TRANSMISSION MAINS, GMC PROJECT NO. CMOB120041(1)** will be received by the City of Gautier at City Hall located at 3330 Hwy. 90, Gautier, Mississippi 39553 until **1:30 P.M., CST** local time **Tuesday, February 24, 2015** at which time the Bids received will be publicly opened and read.

The project generally consists of the installation of approximately 400 linear feet of 24” Steel Casing (Jack and Bore) and approximately 140 linear feet of 12” C900 PVC for new transmission water mains and all other related appurtenances.

The Bidding Documents may be viewed at the office of the Purchasing Agent, Gautier City Hall, Gautier, MS, and at the office of Goodwyn, Mills & Cawood, Inc. The bidding documents may be obtained from the office of Goodwyn, Mills and Cawood, Inc. upon payment of a deposit of $50.00 per set. Said cost represents the cost of printing, reproduction, handling, and distribution, therefore no refund will be granted. Electronic copies of the Bidding Documents may be obtained  **for review only**. Please call Ashley Morris at 251.460.4006 to ensure plans are available prior to pick-up.

The Owner reserves the right to waive any informalities, or to reject any or all bids, and to award the contract to the lowest, responsible, responsive bidder. Each bid must be accompanied by Cash, a Bid bond, an Irrevocable Letter of Credit acceptable to the City of Gautier, or a Certified Check in an amount equal to at least five percent (5%) of the Bid, payable to the City of Gautier, Mississippi, as bid security. The successful bidder shall be required to furnish a Performance and a Payment Bond each in the amount of 100% of the Bid.

No Bidder may withdraw his bid within Sixty (60) days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

All bidders shall submit, upon request, a list of projects "successfully completed" in the last 2 years, having the same scope of work and approximate construction cost as specified in this project.

All bidders must comply with the President’s Executive Order Number 11246 which prohibits discrimination in employment regarding race, creed, color, sex or national origin. The City of Gautier is an Equal Opportunity Employer and encourages minority and women-owned businesses to submit proposals.

All bids shall be submitted in the complete Project Manual as issued by the Engineer. Bids not submitted in the Project Manual will not be opened. All Bids must be submitted in a sealed envelope bearing on the outside of the envelope the name of the Bidder, Bidder’s license number. Envelopes containing bids must be addressed as follows, and delivered to: Ms. Cindy Steen, Purchasing Agent, City of Gautier, 3330 Hwy. 90, Gautier, MS 39553: “**BID FOR NEW TRANSMISSION MAINS**”.

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 Cindy Steen, Purchasing Agent

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