**ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS**

Sealed bids for the construction of INDUSTRIAL BUILDING IMPROVEMENTS. Bids will be received by the Board of Aldermen for the City of Pontotoc, Mississippi at City Hall located at 116 N. Main St., Pontotoc, MS 38863, until 10 a.m. Thursday, October 9, 2014 and then at said office publicly opened and read aloud.

Contract Documents, including Drawings and Specifications, may be examined at the office of Engineering Solutions, Inc., located at 100 W. Reynolds, Pontotoc, Mississippi.

Copies of the Contract Documents may be obtained at the office of Engineering Solutions, Inc., by depositing $50.00 for each set received to Engineering Solutions, Inc., P.O. Box 811, Pontotoc, Mississippi, 38863. Deposit is non-refundable.3

The work shall consist of: Metal building installation, overhead dock doors, concrete work, drainage, sewer and water service.

Each bid submitted must be marked on the outside “**Bid for the INDUSTRIAL BUILDING IMPROVEMENTS FOR THE CITY OF PONTOTOC, MS****CDBG PROJECT #1130-13-302-ED-02**”. 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 city of pontotoc, 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 Board of Aldermen 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.

Jeff Stafford, Mayor

Advertisement Dates:

September 10, 2014

September 17, 2014