

TULLAHOMA UTILITIES BOARD
TULLAHOMA, TENNESSEE

INVITATION TO BID
FOR
CONSTRUCTION OF

SANITARY SEWER REHABILITATION
CDBG GRANT FUNDED

Sealed Proposals for the construction of the Sanitary Sewer Rehabilitation – CDBG Grant Funded project will be received at the office of Tullahoma Utilities Board, 901 South Jackson Street, Tullahoma, Tennessee 37388, Attention: Mr. Brian Skelton, General Manager on or before 2:00 p.m. local time on Thursday, August 19, 2010 and immediately thereafter all bids will be publicly opened and read aloud.

The project will include the following described construction:

The furnishing, installing, and testing of approximately 3,000 linear feet of cured-in-place rehabilitation lining of existing 15-inch gravity sewer mains, approximately 2,180 linear feet of cured-in-place rehabilitation lining of existing 12-inch gravity sewer mains and related tasks; the rehabilitation and testing of approximately 20 existing gravity sewer manholes, including manhole rehabilitation, manhole sealing and waterproofing, sealing of approximately 40 existing PE sliplined annular spaces around inlet and outlet pipes at manholes, testing, bypass wastewater pumping, if necessary, heavy cleaning (if ordered by the Engineer) of sewer including using power tools, rodders, root cutters, pigging, etc., reinstatement of 4" and/or 6" sewer services; 6" epoxied-on-saddles with stainless steel bands, connections to CIPP lining; reinstatement of 4" and/or 6" sewer services by CIPP method (if ordered); replacement of individual 6-inch PVC sanitary sewer services, sewer service clean-out assemblies and traffic rated clean-out boxes (if ordered), point repairs, including unclassified excavation, handling wastewater flows, additive alternate items (if ordered) backfill, tie-ins, working in close proximity with other utilities and structures, reconnections, restoration, asphalt pavement repair and maintenance, and all other appurtenances and other work as shown on the Construction Drawings or indicated in the Contract Specifications.

The bidder's attention is directed to the fact that this project is being funded in part by a State of Tennessee Community Development Block Grant.

The attention of bidders is particularly called to the requirements as to conditions of employment to be observed and minimum wage rates to be paid under the Contract, Section 3, Segregated Facility, Section 109 and E.O. 11246.

All work must be performed in accordance with the Contract Documents. Copies may be obtained at the office of Water Management Services, LLC, 2 International Plaza, Suite 401, Nashville, Tennessee 37217 (telephone: 615-366-6088). A deposit of \$200.00 must be made for each set obtained.

Any Contract or Contracts awarded by the Owner through this invitation for bids will be funded by a Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) from the State of Tennessee. State and Federal funds will be involved in this project and, as a result, Bidders must comply with the CDBG's MBE/WBE requirements including contacting a minimum of 10 qualified MBE/WBE potential subcontractors, professional service providers, vendors, and/or suppliers by certified mail to solicit bids. The apparent successful Bidder must submit to the Owner copies of the certified letters and return receipts prior to Contract award. Neither the State of Tennessee nor any of its departments, agencies, or employees is or will be a party to this Invitation for Bids for any resulting Contract(s) awarded by the Owner.

All interested MBE/WBE firms desiring to bid as a General Contractor or Subcontractor are encouraged to contact either Ms. Marilyn Robinson at the MBE/WBE office listed above or the office of the Engineer, Water Management Services, LLC, 2 International Plaza, Suite 401, Nashville, Tennessee 37217 (telephone: 615/366-6088) for a list of prospective bidders or Contract Documents.

Subject to the provisions of Chapter 6 of Title 62 of the Tennessee Codes Annotated, the Contractor's attention is directed to the Tennessee Codes Annotated Section 62-6-119 which states that it will be necessary for each bidder to show evidence of a license before his bid will be considered and that the license number, expiration date, and that part of the classification applying to the bid appear on the envelope containing the bid; otherwise the bid shall not be opened.

The successful bidder shall be required to fully complete all work within 150 consecutive calendar days from and including the date to start work established in a written order from Tullahoma Utilities Board.

Tullahoma Utilities Board reserves the right to reject any proposal for failure to comply with all requirements of the notice or of any of the Contract Documents; however, it may waive any minor defects or informalities at its discretion. Tullahoma Utilities Board further reserves the right to reject all Proposals.

Plans and specifications for this project were prepared by Water Management Services, LLC.

Dated at Tullahoma, Tennessee this 4th day of August, 2010.

TULLAHOMA UTILITIES BOARD

BY: BRIAN SKELTON, GENERAL MANAGER