NOTICE TO SUPPLIERS INVITATION FOR BIDS

Sealed Bids will be received by the <u>Town of Leighton</u> until <u>Thursday, December 18, 2023, at 10:00 A.M., local time</u>, for furnishing all labor, materials, and equipment and doing the work of constructing, according to Plans, Specifications and Contract Documents on file in the office of the Owner, the improvements hereinafter described. No bids will be received after the time set forth hereinabove, and the Bids will be publicly opened and read. <u>If your Bid Documents are mailed, they should be received prior to 10:00 A.M. of the Bid Date at the Town of Leighton, P.O. Box 817 Leighton, Al 35646.</u>

The work of constructing the <u>Town of Leighton Contract "A" AMR Water Meter Replacement Project</u>

- <u>Material and Contract "B" AMR Water Meter Replacement Project - Installation DWSRF Project No.</u>

FS010308-01. The principal items of work are detailed herein below.

Principal Work:

Contract "A" Principal Work:

- 1. Furnish (Only) Approximately 415 AMR Meters
- 3. Furnish Data Collection Unit w/Start-Up and Support
- 5. Furnish Ancillary System Support

- 2. Furnish Approximately 100 Meter Boxes
- 4. Furnish Applicable Software

Contract "B" Principal Work:

- 1. Install (Only) Approximately 415 AMR Meters
- 3. Install (Only) Backflow Valves
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2. Install Approximately 100 Meter Boxes

4. Install (Only) Curb Stops

Plans, Specifications and Contract Documents are open to public inspection at the office of Owner, the <u>Town of Leighton, P.O. Box 817 Leighton, Al 35646</u> or may be obtained from the office of the Engineers, <u>Utility Engineering Consultants, LLC, 130 Southcrest Drive, Suite 100, Homewood, Alabama 35209</u> upon deposit of <u>\$50.00</u> per set. The deposit shall be refunded in full to each prime contractor submitting a bid. Additional sets for prime contractor bidders, subcontractors, vendors, or dealers may be obtained upon payment of the same deposit.

No bid may be withdrawn after the time for opening bids has passed. The Owner reserves the right to hold the bids for a period of sixty (60) days after the date of receiving Bids.

On Contract "A" the Supplier is hereby advised that TIME IS OF THE ESSENCE on this project and that the contract time of 90 consecutive calendar days total and noted restrictions shall be strictly observed. LIQUIDATED DAMAGES WILL BE ASSESSED IF THE CONTRACT TIME IS EXCEEDED. The Supplier may apply for an extension of time in accordance with the provisions of the contract; however, such an extension must be approved prior to the contract completion date to avoid the imposition of liquidated damages.

On Contract "B" the Contractor is hereby advised that TIME IS OF THE ESSENCE on this project and that the contract time of 60 consecutive calendar days total and noted restrictions shall be strictly observed. LIQUIDATED DAMAGES WILL BE ASSESSED IF THE CONTRACT TIME IS EXCEEDED. The Contractor may apply for an extension of time in accordance with the provisions of the contract; however, such an extension must be approved prior to the contract completion date to avoid the imposition of liquidated damages.

The Contractor shall note that funds for this project are provided through DWSRF (Drinking Water State Revolving Funds). All applicable Federal guidelines must be met.

The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to waive any informality in any bid, and to accept any bid considered advantageous to the Owner.

There will be no Prebid Conference.

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