

THE ATLANTIC COUNTY UTILITIES AUTHORITY

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Atlantic County Utilities Authority will receive sealed bids, pursuant to the Local Public Contracts Law of the State of New Jersey, N.J.S.A. 40A: 11-1 et seq. at the ACUA Administration Building, 6700 Delilah Road, Egg Harbor Township, N.J. as follows:

BID NO. 2010-WW-03

SUBJECT: CATHODIC PROTECTION UPGRADES AND REPAIR

DATE AND TIME OF BID OPENING: Thursday, October 7, 2010 @ 11:00 AM, Local Time

At the aforementioned date, time and place, said bids will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Specifications and bid forms are on file at the office of the Purchasing Manager of the Atlantic County Utilities Authority and may be obtained during regular business hours, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. A copy of the aforementioned documents may be obtained upon payment of \$50.00 (Fifty dollars) for each document. Return of the documents is not required and the amount paid is **non-refundable**. Plans and specifications may be forwarded to prospective bidders if the ACUA is provided with a UPS or other similar account number for mailing purposes.

Please fax or email the Purchasing Department at 609-569-7338/7344 or mhayes@acua.com or mpanico@acua.com.

A pre-bid conference will be held on Thursday, September 16, 2010 @ 11:00AM, Local Time, at the ACUA Wastewater Treatment Facility, 1801 Absecon Boulevard, Atlantic City, N.J. Bidders are cautioned to obtain and review the plans and specifications well in advance of this conference. At this conference, the Authority will consider all requests for technical modifications to the plans and specifications and will, if necessary, issue an addendum covering the points raised in the pre-bid conference. After this conference, addenda will not be issued to cover routine technical issues or interpretations.

All bids must be accompanied by a certified check or bid bond in the amount of 10% of the total bid, not to exceed \$20,000.00. Bids must be submitted in duplicate and enclosed in a sealed envelope addressed to the "Purchasing Manager, Atlantic County Utilities Authority, hand delivered to 6700 Delilah Road, Egg Harbor Township, NJ 08234, or mailed to P.O. Box 996, Pleasantville, NJ 08232-0996" and clearly marked on the outside as follows:

SEALED BID – 2010-WW-03
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All bidders must meet equal opportunity requirements of P.L. 1975, c. 127 (N.J.A.C. 17:27), as described in the specifications. Bidders are responsible for affirmative action compliance.

The Authority reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive informalities as the interest of the Authority may require.

Bidders desiring to submit bids by mail or courier may do so **provided that the bid reaches the Authority before 4:30 p.m. on the business day preceding the date and time for receipt of bids.** The Authority is not responsible for the loss or destruction of any bid submitted to the Secretary before the time set for bid opening.

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RICHARD S. DOVEY, PRESIDENT
BY: MICHAEL H. HAYES, RPPO, PURCHASING MANAGER