

Sunnyside Division Board of Control
PO Box 239
Sunnyside, WA 98944

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Sunnyside Division Board of Control (District) office until 1:30 pm September 2, 2010 for construction of the Enclosed Lateral Improvement Projects 2010-2011, Contract 10-003: Regions 011, 013 and 014. Bids will then be opened, read and tabulated publicly. Proposals received after the time fixed for opening will not be considered.

This contract consists of two schedules, Schedules A and B, which are comprised of three district regions (Regions 011, 013, and 014). Schedule A includes both Regions 011 and 013 and consists of the installation of approximately 10,900 feet of 4-inch to 32-inch diameter HDPE pipe (or approved alternate pipe material); 22,000 feet of 4-inch to 27-inch diameter PVC pipe (or approved alternate pipe material); and related valves, fittings, couplings and miscellaneous appurtenances and other work. Schedule B includes Region 014 and consists of the installation of approximately 11,300 feet of 4-inch to 32-inch diameter HDPE pipe (or approved alternate pipe material); 16,500 feet of 4-inch to 18-inch diameter PVC pipe (or approved alternate pipe material); and related valves, fittings, couplings and miscellaneous appurtenances and other work. The contract estimate for Schedule A ranges from \$1,920,000 to \$2,600,000 and Schedule B ranges from \$1,650,000 to \$2,240,000.

Contract documents may be obtained from the District, 120 South 11th Street or 1105 Yakima Valley Highway, PO Box 239, Sunnyside, Washington 98944, (509) 837-6980, upon payment of a non-refundable fee of \$75.00 for each set. **Checks must be made payable to the Sunnyside Division Board of Control.** Contract documents, plans, specifications, addendums and planholders' lists may also be reviewed at the District office or on the District's website, <http://www.svid.org>, under the *Projects* tab. Bidders must purchase a full contract book for bid submission. Reproduction of online documents will not be accepted as an official bid. All other subcontractors and vendors will get addenda from the District website. Addenda, if necessary, will be posted no later than August 31, 2010. Questions received after 3:00 pm on August 27, 2010, will go unanswered.

Bid packages will be mailed if requested through USPS standard mail. Additional charges may apply for express mailing. Each bid proposal must be accompanied by a bid proposal deposit via cashier's check or Bidder's bond in an amount equal to at least five (5) percent of the total amount of the bid proposal. Should the successful bidder fail to enter into such contract and furnish satisfactory performance and payment bond within the time stated in the specifications, the bid proposal deposit shall be forfeited to the Sunnyside Division Board of Control.

A pre-bid project walkthrough and meeting will be held at 9:00 a.m. on Friday, August 20, 2010; meet at the Construction Office at 1105 Yakima Valley Highway.

The successful bidder will be required to furnish the additional bond(s) prescribed in the bidding documents and be required to sign two documents: the Non-Collusion and Debarment Affidavit, and the Anti-Discrimination Certificate as bound in the bidding documents.

The Sunnyside Division Board of Control reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive irregularities in the bid or in the bidding.

No bidder may withdraw his proposal after the hours set for the opening thereof, or before award of contract, unless said award is delayed for a period exceeding thirty (30) calendar days. No alterations to bid documents will be accepted.

The following is applicable to federal aid projects: Sunnyside Division Board of Control, in accordance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Acts of 1964, 88 Stat. 352, hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, disadvantaged business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, or national origin in consideration for an award. All American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA) projects require special project reporting every 30 days by the contractor as well as other requirements. Bidders are cautioned to read the specifications carefully to understand general and other ARRA requirements such as compliance with the **Buy American Act** (BAA - 41 U.S.C. § 10a – 10d).

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