

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Directors of the Sacramento Area Flood Control Agency (SAFCA), Sacramento, California, will receive sealed bids as follows:

BID DATE: September 27, 2012

SUBMIT BIDS TO: Department of General Services
Contract & Purchasing Services Division
9660 Ecology Lane
Sacramento, CA 95827
Until 2:00 P.M. (Local Time)

FOR: CONTRACT 4155: Natomas Levee Improvement Program, Sacramento River East Levee Phase 1G and 2E Drainage Swale Grading Project

ESTIMATED CONSTRUCTION COST: \$350,000 to \$450,000

CONTRACTOR'S CALIFORNIA LICENSE AND/OR CLASS REQUIRED: General Engineering Contractor or General Building Contractor – A

PRE-BID INSPECTION DATE; TIME; AND LOCATION: September 12, 2012; 9:00 am; meet at N. Bayou Road and Garden Highway (parking lot under Interstate 5)

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The work performed under this Contract includes the furnishing of all labor, materials, equipment and supervision for:

Grading operations to ensure proper operation of drainage swales located between Garden Highway and the recently constructed adjacent levee. The project includes grading operations for approximately 7,200 feet of swale to ensure this operation in addition to the construction of drainage inlets and outlets at select locations along the levee. Aggregate base will be used to provide additional protection for the drainage swales as shown on the Plans. In addition, the project will include the removal of piping and ancillary structures associated with an existing river pump.

Work requires contractor quality control, including a qualified testing laboratory.

A pre-bid inspection and walk-through will be held for the purpose of reviewing and answering questions regarding this project. Any interested contractor or his/her agent may attend. Representatives of SAFCA will be present for questions.

Award of this contract requires the bidder to have a valid California contractor's license with one of the classifications identified above.

Beginning August 30, 2012, Contract Documents may be purchased at the Municipal Services Agency, Site Improvements & Permits Section, Building Inspection Division, located in the Sacramento County Administration Building, 827 - 7th Street, Room 105, Sacramento, CA

95814, telephone (916) 874-6544, **between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:15 p.m. Monday through Thursday.** The cost for each set of specifications and half-size drawings, purchasable by a certified check or cashier's check payable to SAFCA, or by cash, is \$50.00. Data on the project, including the plan holders list, is available at:

www.saccounty bids.com

The Contract Documents are also available for examination at no charge, weekdays 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., at the office of HDR Engineering, Inc., 2365 Iron Point Road, Suite 300, Folsom, California 95630.

Each bid must be submitted on the bid forms provided in the Contract Documents. Each bid must also be accompanied by security in the form of a bid bond issued by a corporate surety, a certified check or cashier's check payable to SAFCA, or cash for an amount not less than ten percent (10%) of the aggregate sum of the bid.

The successful bidder shall be required to execute a Material and Labor Payment Bond and a Performance Bond, issued by a corporate surety, acceptable to SAFCA, each for not less than one hundred percent (100%) of the contract price.

SAFCA encourages the submission of bids and sub-bids by minority-owned and women-owned business enterprises.

The County of Sacramento received final approval from the Director of the California Department of Industrial Relations as a Labor Compliance Program effective March 15, 1994. All questions regarding this Labor Compliance Program should be directed to the Labor Compliance Section at (916) 875-2711. In accordance with Section 1771.5 of the California Labor Code, the payment of the general prevailing rate of per diem wages or the general prevailing rate of per diem wages for holiday and overtime is not required for any project of \$25,000, or less, when the project is for construction work, or of \$15,000, or less, when the project is for alteration, demolition, repair, or maintenance work.

This is a construction project in accordance with Section 1771.5 of the California Labor Code. This contract is subject to: (1) Federal Labor Standards Provisions as required by the Davis-Bacon Act and other applicable Federal requirements, (2) Equal Employment Opportunity requirements pursuant to Executive Order 11246, and (3) Minority Business Enterprise (MBE) development pursuant to Executive Order 12432.

All labor on the project shall be paid no less than the minimum wage rates as established by the U.S. Secretary of Labor or as determined by the Director of the California Department of Industrial Relations. The higher of the two rates will be paid in accordance with the following acts and codes:

- (1) The Davis-Bacon Act, and
- (2) Section 1770, and following, of the California Labor Code.

Copies of the prevailing rate of per diem wages, as determined by the Director of the California Department of Industrial Relations, are on file at the office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, 700 H Street, Suite 2450, Sacramento, California 95814. These copies shall be made available to any interested party upon request. The rates are also available on the California Department of Industrial Relations' website at <http://www.dir.ca.gov/DLSR/PWD>.

Pursuant to California Contract Code Section 22300, the contractor may, at its own expense, substitute securities for any money being withheld by SAFCA to ensure performance under this contract.

SAFCA's Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to waive any informality in any bid, and to determine which bid, in the judgment of the Board, is the lowest responsive bid of a responsible bidder.

NOTE ALL QUESTIONS AND CORRESPONDENCE CONCERNING THIS NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS SHALL BE DIRECTED AS FOLLOWS:

Mr. Anthony Quintrall, P.E.
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(Include "Contract No. 4155" in subject line of e-mail correspondence.)

General and limited questions may be answered by telephone. More detailed questions shall be submitted in writing. Questions will be accepted up to 96 hours prior to bid submission. Written responses to questions will be made by addendum.

By order of the Board of Directors of the Sacramento Area Flood Control Agency at Sacramento, California, dated August 16, 2012.

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