



Invitation for Bid No. 2021-044 Tarkhill Force Main Improvements

<u>Due Date:</u> February 23, 2021

Time: 2:00 PM EST

Receipt Location: Union County Government Center

Procurement Department 500 N. Main Street, Suite 709 Monroe, NC 28112-4730

Procurement Representative:

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TARKHILL FORCE MAIN IMPROVEMENTS IFB #2021-044

ADVERTISEMENT NOTICE FOR BIDS

Sealed Bids for the construction of the **Tarkhill Force Main Improvements** will be received by the Union County Procurement Department *until* *2:00 PM local time on **February 23, 2021** at the Union County Government Center, 500 N. Main Street, Suite 709, Monroe North Carolina, 28112. The public bid opening will be conducted at the specified bid date and time in the **Union County Government Center, Board of County Commissioner's Chambers, Room 118.** Late bids will not be accepted.

On February 23, 2021, beginning at *1:30 PM local time, bids will be received by the Union County Procurement Department at the bid opening location of Union County Government Center, Board of County Commissioner's Chambers, 500 North Main Street, Room 118, Monroe, NC 28112. <u>If you plan to attend the bid opening, masks and social distancing rules apply.</u>

If a Bid is sent by mail or other delivery system, the sealed envelope containing the Bid shall be enclosed in a separate package plainly marked on the outside with the notation "BID ENCLOSED – 2021-044" and shall be addressed to Union County Procurement Department, Attn: Vicky Watts, 500 North Main Street, Suite 709, Monroe, NC 28112.

The Project consists of constructing approximately 5,420 linear feet of cured-in-place pipe lining for existing 16-inch DIP force main, epoxy lining of four sanitary sewer manholes, and associated surface restoration.

Bids will be received for a single prime Contract. Bids shall be on a unit price basis.

The Issuing Office for the Bidding Documents is:

Union County Procurement Department, 500 North Main Street, Suite 709, Monroe, NC 28112 Contact: Vicky Watts at 704-283-3601 or via email at wicky.watts@unioncountync.gov. Prospective Bidders may examine the Bidding Documents at the Issuing Office at 500 North Main Street, Suite 709, Monroe, North Carolina on Mondays through Fridays between the hours of 8:00 am and 5:00 pm, and may obtain copies of the Bidding Documents from the Issuing Office as described below.

Bidding Documents are available in electronic or printed form from Duncan Parnell via their bid room http://www.dpibidroom.com. Registration with Duncan Parnell is required to obtain the bid documents. There is no charge for registration. Printed hardcopies of the Bidding Documents can be ordered and shipped for an additional fee, which will depend on the number of sets, size of Drawings, applicable taxes, and shipping method selected by the prospective Bidder. Costs of the Bidding Documents and shipping are non-refundable, and are as follows:

Download (PDF) \$55.00 plus tax
 Printed Set: \$73.00 plus tax
 Printed Set and Digital Set \$98.00 plus tax

Partial sets of Bidding Documents will not be available from the Issuing Office. Neither Owner nor Engineer will be responsible for full or partial sets of Bidding Documents, including Addenda if any, obtained from sources other than the Issuing Office.

All questions about the meaning or intent of the Bidding Documents are to be submitted in writing to the Procurement contact person listed on the cover page (<u>vicky.watts@unioncountync.gov</u>). Deadline for questions is 5:00 PM local time on February 16, 2021, 2021.

Bidders must have a license to do work as a general contractor in the State of North Carolina, as set forth under Article 1 of Chapter 87 of the North Carolina General Statutes. The Contractor's North Carolina License number shall be designated on the outside of the envelope containing the bid.

Bidders are required to comply with the non-collusion requirements set forth in the Bidding Documents.

Bid security shall be furnished in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders.

Union County reserves the right to reject any or all bids including without limitation, nonconforming, nonresponsive, unbalanced, or conditional Bids. Owner further reserves the right to reject the Bid and Bidder whom they find, after reasonable inquiry and evaluation, to not be responsible. Owner may also reject the Bid and Bidder if the owner believes that would not be in the best interest of the Project to make an award to that Bidder. Owner also reserves the right to waive all informalities and technicalities not involving price, time, or changes in the Work and to negotiate, as allowed by law, contract terms with the Successful Bidder.

Union County encourages good faith effort outreach to Minority Businesses (HUB Certified) and Small Businesses.

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