



Invitation for Bid No. 2024-046

**Project SW111 - Crooked Creek Interceptor
Improvements Phase 2**

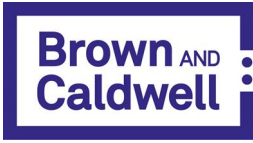
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ADDENDUM No. 01

ISSUE DATE: December 12, 2023

Responding Offerors on this project are hereby notified that this Addendum shall be made a part of the above named IFB document.

The following items add to, modify, and/or clarify the IFB documents and shall have the full force and effect of the original Documents. This Addendum shall be acknowledged by the Offeror in the IFB document.



ADDENDUM

December 12, 2023

Reference: Project Name: SW111 - Crooked Creek Interceptor Improvements Phase 2
Project Location: Union County NC
Invitation for Bid No.: 2024-046
Package Description: Bidding Documents

<u>Addendum No.</u>	<u>Description</u>
No. 01	Revised Bid Due Date

This Addendum provides additional or revised documents and/or clarifications to the original RFP as indicated below. This Addendum forms a part of the Bid Documents and modifies the original Bid Documents and previously issued Addenda. Please review this Addendum and any attachments referenced herein and incorporate them into your Bid.

1. **RFI:** Can the Bid Due Date of December 28, 2023 be delayed to the following week or later?

Response: The Bid Due Date has been revised to January 9, 2024, and the deadline for questions about the Bidding Documents has been revised to December 28, 2024. In addition, the price of the Bidding Documents has been revised in the attached *C-111 Advertisement for Bids* to reflect the pricing on the Duncan-Parnell bid room website. The following sections of the Project Manual shall be revised:

- *Cover Page:* Revise the Due Date from “December 28, 2023” to “January 9, 2024”.
- *C-111 Advertisement for Bids:* Replace the entire section for *C-111 Advertisement for Bids* with the revised *C-111 Advertisement for Bids* attached here to Addendum No. 1.

The Bid Due Date **has** been revised and Bids are due on **January 9, 2024 by 2:00 pm EST.**

All other terms and conditions of the original RFP remain unchanged. If there are any questions regarding the Bid Set and/or this Addendum, please contact Vicky Watts at vicky.watts@unioncountync.gov. All information herein shall be made part of any Agreement resulting from the RFP.

Sincerely,
Brown and Caldwell

Ryan F. LeBlanc, P.E.
Project Manager

Attachments:

C-111 Advertisement for Bids, Revised December 12, 2023

**UNION COUNTY
UNION COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA**

**PROJECT SW111 - CROOKED CREEK INTERCEPTOR IMPROVEMENTS PHASE 2
IFB # 2024-046**

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Reissued via Addendum No. 1

Sealed Bids for the construction of the Crooked Creek Interceptor Phase 2 Improvements will be received by Union County Procurement Department, at 500 N. Main Street, Suite 709, Monroe North Carolina, until **2:00 PM local time on January 9, 2024** at which time the Bids received will be publicly opened and read aloud.

The work to be performed under this contract generally includes, but is not limited to, constructing the Work described below:

Union County plans to replace approximately 14,300 linear feet of the Crooked Creek Basin trunk sewer. Replacement includes upsizing sections of the existing sewer system from the Crooked Creek Water Reclamation Facility (WRF) to the receiving manhole of the Forest Park Pump Station force main, with replacement sizes ranging from approximately 18"-30" in diameter. The sewer will be constructed as a parallel sewer for most of the alignment, with portions requiring bypass pumping and/or dig-and-replace of the existing sewer where space was limited.

Bids will be received for a single prime contract. Bids shall be on a lump sum and unit price basis, with additive alternate bid items as indicated in the Bid Form.

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, vicky.watts@unioncountync.gov. Deadline for questions is 5:00 PM local time on December 28, 2023.

The Issuing Office for the Bidding Documents is:

**Brown and Caldwell
309 East Morehead Street, Suite 220
Charlotte, NC 28202**

**Contact: Ryan F. LeBlanc, P.E.
rleblanc@brwnaald.com
704.373.7146**

Prospective Bidders may examine the Bidding Documents at the Issuing Office or at the Union County Procurement Division offices 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:

- *Digital Download (PDF, color)* \$160.00 plus tax
- *Printed (black & white)* \$214.00 plus tax
- *Printed and Digital* \$239.00 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.

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.

Union County (Owner) 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 it 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.

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

Union County encourages good faith effort outreach to Minority Businesses (HUB Certified) and Small Businesses. Bidders shall submit Affidavit A and the HUB Certified/Minority Participation form with their bid, or bidders shall submit Affidavit B with their bid as applicable.

Union County has received a payment from the Coronavirus State Fiscal Recovery Fund or Coronavirus Local Fiscal Recovery Fund established pursuant to Sections 602 and 603, respectively, of the Social Security Act, as added by Section 9901 of the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021, Pub. L. No. 117-2 ("ARPA").

Union County may utilize such Fiscal Recovery Funds, in whole or in part, for the cost of the Contract resulting from this solicitation and the services provided thereunder. In using these funds, the County must comply with the terms of ARPA, regulations issued by U.S. Department of Treasury governing the expenditure of monies distributed from the Fiscal Recovery Funds, the Award Terms and Conditions applicable to the Fiscal Recovery Funds, and such other guidance as the U.S. Department of Treasury has issued or may issue governing the expenditure of monies distributed from the Fiscal Recovery Funds (collectively, the "Regulatory Requirements").

The County must comply with the Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards, 2 C.F.R. Part 200, other than such provisions as the U.S. Department of Treasury has determined or may determine are inapplicable to the Fiscal Recovery Funds.

Pursuant to 2 C.F.R. § 200.327, the County must include within the Contract applicable provisions described in Appendix II to 2 C.F.R. Part 200 and all other applicable law. Therefore, the County cannot enter into a Contract or make any distributions to Bidder using monies from the Fiscal Recovery Funds absent contract and adherence to each term and condition contained therein.

Bidder agrees to abide by the terms of the Contract for these services, which are a part of this IFB, which includes certain specific terms and conditions related to the use of Fiscal Recovery Funds and ARPA in the Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds Addendum, which is attached and incorporated therein.

Bidders should note the provisions of the Supplementary instruction to bidders contained in the Bid Documents regarding minority participation. Union County encourages good faith effort outreach as described in the Union County MBE and Small business Outreach Plan. Compliance with Union County Minority and Small Business Guidelines and Outreach Plan goals apply. Bidders shall submit a completed Identification of Minority Participation Form and either an Affidavit A or Affidavit B, as applicable along with their Bid.

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