

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Separate sealed BIDS for the construction of: **South Plant 1.5 Mil. Gal. Ground Storage Tank
City of Anna, Texas**

will be received by: **Greater Texoma Utility Authority**

at the office of: **City of Anna
City Hall
101 N. Powell Parkway
Anna, Texas 75409**

until: **10:00am Friday, April 4, 2008**

and then at said office publicly opened and read aloud.

The CONTRACT DOCUMENTS may be examined at:

Morris Engineers
225 E. Houston
Sherman, Texas 75090

City of Anna
101 N. Powell Parkway
Anna, Texas 75409

Greater Texoma Utility Authority
5100 Airport Drive
Denison, Texas 75020

Copies of the CONTRACT DOCUMENTS may be obtained from:

Morris Engineers
225 E. Houston
Sherman, Texas 75090

upon payment of **eighty dollars (\$80.00)** for each set. Any bidder, upon returning the CONTRACT DOCUMENTS before the award of bid and in good condition, will be refunded his payment.

A Bid Bond conforming to EJCDC No. 1910-28-C (1990 Edition), executed by the Bidder, and payable to the order of the OWNER shall be submitted with each Bid. Cashier's Check will be accepted in lieu of Bid Bond.

The OWNER reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any informalities or minor defects in the bidding.

Bids may be held by the OWNER for a period of **ninety (90)** days from the date of the opening of the Bids for the purpose of reviewing the Bids and investigating the qualifications of Bidders, prior to awarding the Contract.

If the contract is to be awarded, it will be awarded to the lowest Bidder whose evaluation by Owner indicates to Owner that the award will be in the best interests of the Project. The Owner reserves the right to determine the best interests of the Project based on Owner's first-hand experience with or knowledge about Bidders, including information regarding safety records of Bidders provided in the Greater Texoma Utility Authority's Contractor Qualification Statement, and may award the contract based on a preference because of such experience or knowledge.

This contract is contingent upon release of funds from the Texas Water Development Board.

Any contract or contracts awarded under this Advertisement for Bids are expected to be funded in part by a loan from the Texas Water Development Board. Neither the State of Texas nor any of its departments, agencies, or employees is or will be a party to this Advertisement for Bids or any resulting contract.

Equal Opportunity in Employment – All qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, age, handicap or national origin. Bidders on this work will be required to comply with the President's Executive Order No. 11246, as amended by Executive Order No. 11375, and as supplemented in Department of Labor Regulations 41 CFR Part 60.

Attention is called to the fact that not less than the federally determined prevailing (Davis-Bacon and Related Acts) wage rate, as issued by the Office of Rural Community Affairs and contained in the contract documents, must be paid on this project. In addition, the successful bidder must ensure that employees and applicants for employment are not discriminated against because of race, color, religion, sex, age, or national origin.

All contractors/subcontractors that are debarred, suspended, or otherwise excluded from or ineligible for participation on federal assistance programs may not undertake any activity in part or in full under this project.

TWDB #21552; CID 03

Date: March 12, 2008
March 19, 2008

By: /s/ Jerry W. Chapman
Title: General Manager

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