



Macon-Bibb County, Georgia

INVITATION FOR BIDS

FOR

Environmental Mitigation Jeffersonville Road Widening and Reconstruction

BID NUMBER: 17-028-CW

ISSUED: 03/21/2017

BIDS DUE NO LATER THAN 12:00 NOON ON THURSDAY, April 13, 2017

Macon-Bibb County Procurement Department
700 Poplar Street
Suite 308
Government Center
Macon, Georgia 31201

I. GENERAL

A. Invitation

1. Notice is hereby given that the Macon-Bibb County Board of Commissioners will receive sealed bids in the Procurement Department, Suite 308, Macon-Bibb Government Center, 700 Poplar Street, Macon, Georgia 31201, until **12:00 o'clock NOON** at the time legally prevailing in Macon, Georgia on Thursday, April 13, 2017 for Environmental Mitigation Jeffersonville Road Widening and Reconstruction for the Macon-Bibb County Engineering Department, Macon, Bibb County, Georgia.
2. **NO BIDS WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER THIS DESIGNATED TIME.**
3. Bids will be publicly opened in the Macon-Bibb County Procurement Department Conference Room on Thursday April 13, 2017 at 2:00 pm.
4. Minority, Women Owned and other Disadvantaged Business Enterprises are encouraged to participate in the solicitation process. Additionally, respondents are encouraged to use M/W/DBE subcontractors where possible. Small and other disadvantaged businesses requiring assistance with the competitive process can contact Dr. James Louis Bumpus, Director of Small Business Affairs at (478) 803-0366 or jbumpus@maconbibb.us.

B. Bid Documents

1. Bid documents may be examined and obtained at the Macon-Bibb County Procurement Department, Suite 308, Government Center, 700 Poplar Street, Macon, Georgia 31201, by calling (478) 803-0550, or may be viewed and downloaded from one of the links included below:
Georgia Procurement Registry website
http://ssl.doas.state.ga.us/PRSapp/PR_custom_index.jsp?agency=61100
Macon-Bibb County Procurement Page www.maconbibb.us/purchasing

C. Pre-Bid

A pre-bid conference is scheduled for 10:00 o'clock a.m., Wednesday, March 29, 2017 in the Engineering Conference Room located at 780 Third Street, Macon, GA 31201. This pre-bid is not mandatory; contractor does not have to be present in order to submit a response.

D. Sealed Bids

1. Envelopes shall be identified on the outside as
“Bid 17-028-CW – Environmental Mitigation Jeffersonville Road Widening and Reconstruction”
and delivered by hand or mailed to:
Macon-Bibb County Procurement Department
700 Poplar Street, Suite 308
Macon, Georgia 31201

E. Validity

1. No bid may be withdrawn for a period of sixty (60) days after time has been called on date of bid opening.

F. Contract Award

1. The contract, if awarded, will be based on the Bid Price. The Government may elect to award a portion of the work to multiple vendors.
2. Guidelines in the award of this contract will be Section 36-10-2.2, Official Code of Georgia Annotated.

G. Payment Conditions

1. Change orders are issued for any variance from the contract.
2. Any unauthorized work or material change will not be paid for unless a change order has been issued.

II. INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

A. Definitions

1. Wherever the term "Owner", "County", or "Macon-Bibb County" occur in these specifications, it shall mean Macon-Bibb County, a political subdivision of the State of Georgia acting through the Macon-Bibb County Board of Commissioners.
2. Wherever the term "Engineer" occurs in these specifications, it shall mean the engineer of the Owner, the County Engineer, or his representative.
3. Wherever the term "work" occurs in these specifications, it shall mean the work as defined herein, including, all labor, materials, equipment, transportation, and supervision necessary to complete the contract.
4. Wherever the term "D.O.T." occurs in these specifications, it shall mean the Georgia Department of Transportation.

B. Related Documents

1. Specifications (Attachment "B")
2. Bidder's Qualification Form
3. Financial & Legal Stability Statement
4. Bidder MBE Plan Form
5. List of Sub-contractors
6. E-Verify Affidavit
7. Title VI non-discrimination Notice
8. Debarment Form

C. Bidder's Representation

1. Each bidder, by making his bid, represents that he has:
 - a) Read and understands the bidding documents; and,

D. Document Discrepancies

1. Should the bidder find discrepancies in, or omissions from the documents, he shall at once notify the Macon-Bibb County Procurement Department.
2. Requests for Interpretations of contract requirements shall be made in writing to the Macon-Bibb County Procurement Department not later than seven (7) days prior to receipt of bids, email preferred, to cwilmore@maconbibb.us.
3. Any subsequent instructions to bidders will be issued in the form of addenda to the specifications and sent to the bidder. All addenda shall be enumerated in the Bid Form.
4. All definitions set forth in the specifications are applicable to this Instruction to Bidders, the Bid Form and the proposed Contract Documents including, but not limited to, drawings, project manual, and any addenda issued prior to receipt of bids.
 - a) Addenda are written or graphic instruments issued prior to the execution of the Contract that may modify or interpret the bidding documents by deletion, additions, clarifications or corrections.
 - b) Addenda will become part of the Contract Documents when the Purchase Contract is executed.

E. Submittals

1. In order for bids to be considered, the complete bid document package shall be submitted including each of the following completed documents.
 - a) Bid Information Form
 - b) Bidder's Qualification Form
 - c) Financial & Legal Stability Statement
 - d) List of Sub-Contractors
 - e) Minority Participation Goal
 - f) E-Verify Affidavit
 - g) Debarment Form

F. Reservations

1. The bidder acknowledges that Macon-Bibb County reserves full freedom (in addition to the right to reject any and all bids) in awarding bids to consider all available factors including, but not limited to, price, the provision of needed and unneeded features, usefulness to the using department and prior County experience. In addition, the bidder recognizes the right of the Owner to reject a bid if the bidder failed to furnish any required submittals on the date required by the bidding documents, or if the bid is in any way incomplete or irregular. Hence the County may award bids to other than the lowest bidder if in the judgment of the Board of Commissioners the interest of the County will be best served by award to another.

III. SPECIAL CONDITIONS

A. General

1. All work to be performed as part of this specification shall comply with all codes, ordinances and regulations applicable to the contract, including, but not limited to:
 - a) Savannah District Corps of Engineers
 - b) Georgia Department of Transportation (D.O.T.)
 - c) Other applicable Federal, State, or Local Regulations.

B. Permits and Licenses

1. Contractor shall obtain all permits and licenses, paying all fees as required, for execution of the Contract. In addition, the Contractor shall arrange for necessary inspections required by the City, County, State and other authorities having jurisdiction, and submit certificates of approval to the Owner or his designated representative.

C. Liquidated Damages

1. Liquidated damages in the amount of \$75 shall be charged to the contractor for each day that the purchased agreement and documents are delayed beyond the completion date of the contract. These charges are to defray the cost of administration by Macon-Bibb employees assigned to the project.

IV. EXECUTION

A. General

1. It is the intent of this specification to provide for the purchase of wetland and stream and mitigation credits for the Macon-Bibb County Engineering Department, Macon, Georgia.

B. Specifications

1. The Contractor shall provide all services as outlined in Attachment "B"- Specifications, attached hereto and incorporated herein

C. Schedule

1. The contractor shall commence work within 30 calendar days following issuance of notice to proceed, shall execute the work diligently, and shall complete all work requirements within 60 calendar days

V. WARRANTY

- A. The Contractor shall guarantee all stream and wetland credits will be acceptable to the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers and the Georgia Department of Transportation.

BID FORM

Macon-Bibb County Board of Commissioners
Mr. Chauncey Wilmore, Senior Procurement Officer
Macon-Bibb County, Procurement Dept.
700 Poplar Street, Suite 308
Macon, Georgia 31201

DATE: _____

Re: **Environmental Mitigation Jeffersonville Road Widening and Reconstruction**
Macon-Bibb County Engineering Department
Bibb County, Georgia

Dear Mr. Wilmore:

1. We have examined the Specifications, related documents and the site of the proposed Work, and are familiar with all the conditions surrounding this project, including the availability of materials and labor, and hereby bid to furnish all materials and labor, and to complete the project in accordance with the Contract Documents, within the time set forth herein, and at the prices stated below. These prices are to cover all expenses incurred in performing the Work required under these Specifications, of which this bid is part.

2. ADDENDUM RECEIPT:
 - a. We acknowledge our responsibility to ensure that all addenda have been received prior to the submission of a bid.

 - b. Bidder acknowledges receipt of the following addenda:

Addendum No. _____ Dated _____

Addendum No. _____ Dated _____

Addendum No. _____ Dated _____

3. We agree that this bid may not be revoked or withdrawn after the time set for the opening of bids and shall remain open for acceptance for a period of sixty (60) days following such time.

5. In case of written notification by mail, telegraph, or delivery of the acceptance of this bid within sixty (60) days after the time set for the opening of bids, the undersigned agrees to execute within ten (10) days a Contract for the Work for the below stated compensation.

6. We hereby certify that we have not, nor has any member of the firm(s) or corporation(s), either directly or indirectly, entered into any agreement, participated in any collusion, or otherwise taken any action in restraint of free competitive bidding in connection with this submitted bid.

7. We understand the total bid price listed below to be inclusive of all provisions necessary to provide the services in accordance with the associated specification.

Attachment "A"
Required Submission Documents

BIDDER INFORMATION	
Company Name:	
Company Address:	
Authorized By (typed or printed name):	
Title:	
Authorized Signature:	Date:
Telephone Number:	
Fax Number :	
Email Address:	
Company's Web Page:	

REMITTANCE INFORMATION (where payments should be sent)			
Remit to Name:			
Remit to Address:			
City:	State:	Zip:	County:
Phone:	Fax:	Toll Free:	
Contact:		Email:	
Tax ID: <input type="checkbox"/> SSN _____ Federal Tax ID _____			
Business Type: <input type="checkbox"/> Individual <input type="checkbox"/> Business <input type="checkbox"/> Misc.			

PURCHASE ORDER INFORMATION (where purchase orders should be sent)			
Purchase Order Name:			
Purchase Order Address:			
City:	State:	Zip:	County:
Phone:	Fax:	Toll Free:	
Contact:		Email:	
Payment Terms: Discount _____% No. Days _____ Net Due _____			
Freight Terms: Ship Via: _____ FOB _____			

MBE/DBE/WBE STATUS (check appropriate box(es))			
<input type="checkbox"/> African American	<input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic	<input type="checkbox"/> Native American	<input type="checkbox"/> Asian American
<input type="checkbox"/> Disabled	<input type="checkbox"/> Veteran	<input type="checkbox"/> Woman-Owned	<input type="checkbox"/> Not-Applicable

Attachment "A"
Required Submission Documents

BIDDER QUALIFICATION FORM

Company Name: _____

Address: _____

When Organized: _____ Where Incorporated: _____

How many years have you engaged in business under the present firm name? _____

Credit available for this contract? _____

Contracts now in hand? _____

Has bidder ever refused to execute a contract at the original bid amount? _____

Has bidder ever been declared in default on a contract? _____

Comments: _____

Company Name: _____

Authorized By (typed name): _____

Authorized Signature: _____

Title: _____ Date: _____

References

Following is a reference list of contracts that are similar to this project:

NAME OF PROJECT/DATE	LOCATION	CONTACT	PHONE #
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN
BEFORE ME ON THIS THE

_____ DAY OF _____, 201_____

My Commission Expires: _____

Notary Public

[NOTARY SEAL]

Attachment "A"
Required Submission Documents

FINANCIAL & LEGAL STABILITY STATEMENT

Please check appropriate item(s):

Firm has the financial capability to undertake the work and assume the liability required if awarded this solicitation.

Firm has the legal capability to undertake the work and assume the responsibilities required if awarded this solicitation.

Pending litigations (if any) will not affect the firm's ability to perform on this contract, if awarded.

Company Name: _____

Authorized By (typed name): _____

Authorized Signature: _____

Title: _____ Date: _____

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN

BEFORE ME ON THIS THE

_____ DAY OF _____, 201____ My Commission Expires: _____

Notary Public

[NOTARY SEAL]

Attachment "A"
Required Submission Documents

INSURABILITY STATEMENT

Please check appropriate item(s):

___ By submission of this form, this firm confirms the ability to acquire and maintain the required levels of insurance as outlined in the bid document. It is the understanding of this firm that proof of Insurance must be provided prior to contract execution and maintained throughout the entire term of the contract.

Company Name: _____

Authorized By (typed name): _____

Authorized Signature: _____

Title: _____ Date: _____

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN
BEFORE ME ON THIS THE

_____ DAY OF _____, 201____ My Commission Expires: _____

[NOTARY SEAL]

Notary Public

Attachment "A"
Required Submission Documents



GEORGIA SECURITY AND IMMIGRATION COMPLIANCE ACT AFFIDAVIT

Contract No. and Name: _____

Name of Contracting Entity: _____

By executing this affidavit, the undersigned person or entity verifies its compliance with O.C.G.A. § 13-10-91, stating affirmatively that the individual, firm, or corporation which is contracting with Bibb County has registered with, is authorized to participate in, and is participating in the federal work authorization program commonly known as E-Verify,* in accordance with the applicable provisions and deadlines established in O.C.G.A. § 13-10-91.

The undersigned person or entity further agrees that it will continue to use the federal work authorization program throughout the contract period, and it will contract for the physical performance of services in satisfaction of such contract only with subcontractors who present an affidavit to the undersigned with the information required by O.C.G.A. § 13-10-91(b).

The undersigned person or entity further agrees to maintain records of such compliance and provide a copy of each such verification to Bibb County at the time the subcontractor(s) is retained to perform such service.

EEV/E-Verify™ User Identification Number

Date of Authorization

Check if exempt

By: Authorized Officer or Agent
(Name of Person or Entity)

Date

Title of Authorized Officer or Agent

Printed Name of Authorized Officer or Agent

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN
BEFORE ME ON THIS THE

_____ DAY OF _____, 201_____

My Commission Expires: _____

Notary Public

[NOTARY SEAL]

* or any subsequent replacement operated by the United States Department of Homeland Security or any equivalent federal work authorization program operated by the United States Department of Homeland Security to verify information of newly hired employees, pursuant to the immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986 (IRCA), P.L. 99-603.

Attachment "A"
Required Submission Documents



Macon-Bibb County
Procurement Department
700 Poplar Street, Suite 308
Macon, Georgia 31202-0247
Tel: (478) 803-0550 • Fax: (478) 751-7252
www.maconbibb.us

**CERTIFICATION REGARDING DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION
INELIGIBILITY AND VOLUNTARY EXCLUSION**

The Bidder/offer certifies, by submission of this Proposal or acceptance of this contract, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntary excluded from participation in this transaction by any Federal department or agency. It further agrees by submitting this proposal that it will include this clause without modification in all lower tier, transactions, proposals, contracts, and subcontracts. Where the Bidder/offeror or any lower tier participant is unable to certify to this statement, it shall attach an explanation of this solicitation/proposal.

Dated at this _____ day of _____, 2017.

Signature of Contractor: _____

Title: _____

For Macon Bibb County Personnel Only:

Macon Bibb County Procurement Department will verify that the above bidder/offer certifies, by submission of this Proposal or acceptance of this contract, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntary excluded from participation in this transaction by any Federal department or agency.

Signature of Procurement Officer _____ Date _____

Printed Name _____

NON COLLUSION AFFIDAVIT

Date:	
Project:	Bibb County, Georgia
Project #:	
Project Description:	
Services Provided:	General Contracting
State of:	Georgia
County of:	Bibb

I, _____ having first been duly sworn, deposes and states as follows:

I am the party making the foregoing Proposal or Bid; that such Proposal or Bid is genuine and not collusive or sham; that said Proposer or Bidder has not colluded, conspired, connived, or agreed, directly or indirectly, with any Proposer or Bidder or person, to put in a sham Proposal or Bid, or that such other person refrain from proposing or bidding, and has not in any manner, directly or indirectly sought by agreement or collusion, or communication or conference, with any person, to fix the Proposal Fee or Bid Price of affiant or any other Proposer or Bidder, or to fix any overhead, profit or cost element of said Proposal Fee or Bid Price, or that of any other Proposer or Bidder, or to secure any advantage against Bibb County, Georgia or any person interested in the proposed Contract; and that all statements in said Proposal or Bid are true; and further, that such Proposer or Bidder has not directly or indirectly submitted this Proposal or Bid, or the contents thereof, or divulged information or data relative thereto to any association or to any member or agent thereof.

Contractor:

(Signature)

(Seal)