

## INVITATION FOR BIDS

Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Water and Sewer Commissioners of the City of Mobile, Alabama (“Board”), at the Wesley A. James Operations Center, 4725 Moffett Road, Suite A, Mobile, AL 36618-0249 until 12:30 p.m., Local Time, March 11, 2019, and then publicly opened and read, for furnishing all labor, materials, and performing al work for the following project: Contract No. 180014, WRIGHT SMITH WWTP PRIMARY DIGESTER COVER REPLACEMENT, GMC Project No. CMOB180014.

Refer to MAWSS Policy No. DBE 16-01 Disadvantaged Business Enterprise Policy for Public Works Act Contracts, which states that contractors shall make a demonstrated good faith effort to award **fifteen percent (15%)** of the contract amount to certified Disadvantaged Business Enterprises as subcontractors and/or suppliers performing commercially useful functions which are consistent with contract requirements. Further information for requirements during the bidding and contract performance phases are provided in Policy No. DBE 16-01 and should be considered by prospective bidders. **Also, bidders must list all DBE subcontractors and suppliers on the provided Subcontracting Plan form to be submitted with the package.**

Plans and Specifications may be inspected at the Board’s offices at 4725 Moffett Road, Suite A, Mobile, AL, or at the offices of Goodwyn, Mills and Cawood, Inc., Consulting Engineers, 11 North Water Street, Suite 15250, Mobile, AL 36602 Attn: Ashley Morris 251.460.4006 [ashley.morris@gmcnetwork.com](mailto:ashley.morris@gmcnetwork.com) . For the list of plan holders on this project visit <http://www.gmcnetwork.com>. Scroll to the bottom of the page and click on Project Bids.

Copies of the Bidding Documents may be obtained from the Consulting Engineer, upon payment of \$20.00 for a one time administrative fee for digital/file sharing access or \$50.00 for each (printed) set. Contractors are encouraged to use the digital plans. Said cost represents the cost of printing, reproduction, handling, and distribution, therefore no refund will be granted. Checks shall be made payable to “Goodwyn, Mills & Cawood, Inc.” Bid documents will be mailed only upon receipt of deposit. No Contract Documents will be issued later than twenty-four (24) hours prior to bid submission time.

**A MANDATORY Pre-Bid Conference will be held at the Wright Smith Wastewater Treatment Plant, 1879 Conception Street, Mobile, AL 36610 on Wednesday, February 20, 2019 at 10:00 A.M. Local Time, to discuss bidding and project requirements. Prospective bidders and subcontractors are required to attend.**

Bids must be submitted on the standard forms included with the Contract Documents. The following contract bid documents, Bid Proposal, Bid Bond, Subcontracting Plan, SSO and Unpermitted Discharge Prevention Notification, and any addendum attachments shall be printed on yellow color paper and tabbed. The Contractor shall be responsible for preparing its bid package in accordance with this guideline.

Envelopes containing bids must be sealed and delivered to the Director, Board of Water and Sewer Commissioners of the City of Mobile, Alabama, 4725A Moffett Road, Mobile, Alabama 36618-0249: “Bid for Constructing Contract No. 180015, Wright Smith Primary Digester Cover Replacement, GMC Project No. CMOB180014, to be opened at 12:30 p.m., Local Time, March 11, 2019”. The Bidder's Alabama State Contractor's License Number and discipline shall be on the envelope.

Bid guarantee in the form of certified check, bid bond, or Irrevocable Letter of Credit acceptable to the Board will be required for at least 5% of the bid amount, **not to exceed \$50,000**.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any informality in bids received.

**THIS INVITATION FOR BIDS IS CONDENSED FOR ADVERTISING PURPOSES. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION/REQUIREMENTS FOR BIDDERS CAN BE FOUND IN THE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS.**

THE BOARD OF WATER AND SEWER COMMISSIONERS  
OF THE CITY OF MOBILE, ALABAMA