

**INVITATION FOR BID**  
**August 22, 2025**

INVITATION FOR BID NUMBER	IFB 25-041
NAME OF BID	Annual Contract for Valves: MJ RS Gate, RS MJ Tapping, MJ Butterfly, & Flanged RS Gate
BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED AT	MAWSS Bid Box Donaghey Business Entrance 4725 Moffett Road Mobile, AL 36618  If sending bids by UPS/Fed Ex, deliver to the Warehouse: 1610 Shelton Beach Rd. Ext., Mobile, AL 36618
BID OPENING DATE	September 5, 2025
BID OPENING TIME	10:30 am Central Time
AWARD WILL BE MADE BY	Total Cost & Lead Time
CONTRACT PERIOD	11/1/25 through 10/31/26 with two 1-year extension options
MATERIAL DELIVERED TO	MAWSS Warehouse 1610 Shelton Beach Road Ext Mobile, AL 36618
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION CONTACT	Mike Grimes (251) 402-0042 or <a href="mailto:mgrimes@mawss.com">mgrimes@mawss.com</a>
APPLICABLE SDP POLICY	NONE


Sealed bids must be in the Purchasing Department no later than the time specified in order to be considered. Submissions received after the deadline will not be considered. Envelopes must bear the name of the supplier, company address and the words “IFB 25-041 Valves” or “IFB 25-041 NO QUOTE.” Facsimile or email bids will not be accepted.

All bids must be submitted on the attached forms or your bid will be disqualified. Bidder shall furnish all the information required by the solicitation. The bidder’s name must be typed or printed on the bid sheet, and signed by the bidder or appropriate authorized executive officer of the bidder’s company. Bidders must initial any changes or erasures. Bidders should retain a copy of bids for their records.

Bidders shall acknowledge receipt of all addenda to this solicitation by signing and returning each addendum or by identifying the addendum number and the date on the bid form. Failure to acknowledge receipt of any addendum by a bidder will result in rejection of the bid if MAWSS determines that the addendum contains information that materially changes the requirements.

All bids shall be quoted FOB Destination, freight prepaid with no additional charges. Unless otherwise specified in the bid, all prices will be on a firm-fixed price basis and are not subject to adjustments based on costs incurred. MAWSS reserves the right to reject any or all bids submitted, to waive any informality in any bid or in the bid process, or to terminate the bid process at any time, if deemed by MAWSS to be in MAWSS’s best interest.

A Purchase Order and this “Invitation for Bid” with “Specifications,” “Conditions,” “Bid Form,” signed by the successful bidder’s authorized representative, and all attached drawings and other documents furnished by MAWSS to the bidders with the Invitation for Bid in order to illustrate the contract requirements, will constitute a contract for the goods and/or services to be purchased.

  
Joyce Sawyer, Buyer II  
Board of Water and Sewer Commissioners

## **IFB 25-041 VALVES CONDITIONS**

The Board of Water and Sewer Commissioners of the City of Mobile will accept bids for **Valves** in our Purchasing Department Bid Box located in the Business Entrance at 4725 Moffett Road, Mobile, AL 36618 **no later than 10:30 a.m.** local time on **September 5, 2025**. Bids will be opened immediately after bid closing time in the Operations Center Board Room located at the Customer Service entrance. Award will be by **Total Cost & Lead Time**. The bidder offers and agrees, if this bid is accepted, to furnish the items as defined in the specifications for the unit price set opposite each item. Pricing shall be FOB Mobile, Alabama. All items shall be delivered to our **Warehouse** located at **1610 Shelton Beach Rd Ext.** or to the job site as needed. The bidder shall state the expected length of delivery time on the Bid Form.

Bidder understands and agrees that manufacturer and part numbers are provided for descriptive purposes only. Items of equal or better quality will be considered but must be approved by MAWSS in writing. Upon delivery, if the quality, durability or performance of any product represented as equal or better is determined by MAWSS to be unsatisfactory, MAWSS will require a suitable substitute or will require that the originally specified item be delivered, at the unit price originally offered by bidder. No substitution for items to be provided pursuant to this contract shall be permitted during the contract period without the express written consent of MAWSS. All items provided shall be for commercial use and for the purposes reflected in the contract documents.

No bid on closed out or discontinued item(s) will be accepted. Item(s) that have a determinable shelf life must be disclosed at the time of bid submittal.

Bidder understands that his/her bid shall be good and may not be withdrawn for a period of sixty (60) calendar days after the scheduled closing time for receiving bids.

Bidder understands and agrees that quantities will be purchased by MAWSS on an "as needed" basis to replenish inventory. MAWSS shall not be committed to the purchase of a pre-established minimum quantity for any one item.

A bidder may not modify its bid after bid opening. Errors in the extension of unit prices stated in a bid or in multiplication, division, addition or subtraction in a bid may be corrected by the MAWSS Purchasing Buyer prior to award. In such cases, unit prices shall not be changed.

It is the responsibility of the bidder to determine prior to the bid opening whether any amendment, additions, deletions or changes of any type have been made to this Invitation for Bid, Conditions, Specifications, Bid Form or any of the other bid documents. Bid documents and any amendments made to this bid will be posted on our website at [www.mawss.com](http://www.mawss.com).

Invoicing Requirements: Invoices need to be emailed to Accounts Payable at [AcctsPayable@mawss.com](mailto:AcctsPayable@mawss.com). Please include purchase order number on all invoices.

**END OF CONDITIONS**

## IFB 25-041 VALVES SPECIFICATIONS

### Category 1:

#### MJ Resilient Seat Gate Valves

Valves shall not incorporate the use of cap screws and/or washers in its assembly or to any piping or approved tapping sleeves. Mechanical joint valves shall have a minimum of two anti-rotational bolts.

All resilient wedge gate valves to have a 10 year warranty, a copy of which is to be made available upon demand, identified from the cast date on the body of the valve.

Valves shall utilize 5/8" bolts meeting ASTM A-307 grade B zinc coated by the hot dip process, in accordance with the requirements of Class C of Specification A 153, or type 316 Stainless Steel bolts must be used if the bolts are less than 5/8" in diameter.

**Gaskets and bolts are to be provided with all gate valves. Retainer glands are not to be provided.**

When quoting, please certify that the MJ Resilient Seat Gate Valves w/ Accessories meet the Specifications of The Board of Water and Sewer Commissioners of the City of Mobile, and comply with current AWWA Standard C509. All interior ferrous metal surfaces shall be coated with an epoxy coating meeting or exceeding current AWWA Standard C509, with coatings to be no less than 4 mils. Valves are to be Resilient Seat **not Double Disc**.

### Category 2:

#### Resilient Seat MJ Tapping Valves

Tapping valves shall meet the requirements set forth for gate valves as described in the standard specifications and shall be on the Boards list of materials and approved manufacturers. All valves shall be full port adaptable to accept full size cutters.

Valves shall utilize 5/8" bolts meeting ASTM A-307 Grade B zinc coated by the hot dip process, in accordance with the requirements of Class C of Specification A 153, or Type 316 Stainless Steel bolts must be used if the bolts are less than 3/8" in diameter. Tapping Valves will have a raised alignment lip to provide proper positioning of valve and sleeve.

### Category 3:

#### MJ Butterfly Valves

Butterfly Valves shall be rubber seated for 150 P.S.I. minimum working pressure and line velocities up to 16 F.P.S. The bodies of all valves shall be cast iron construction of ASTM A126, Class B, or ASTM A48, Class 40. Valves shall be on the Board's list of materials and approved manufacturers. Underground valves shall be provided with operators with non-corrosion type of construction for input shaft, seals, bushings, and bolting. Operators shall be totally enclosed and permanently lubricated for direct burial of the valves and frequent submergence in water up to 20 feet of head. The operators shall open the valve on a counterclockwise rotation of the operator wrench nut which shall be AWWA 2 inch square cast iron. The valve ends shall be mechanical joint in accordance with AWWA C111, except where indicated otherwise on the plans or in the proposal.

Except as modified herein, the butterfly valves and operators shall meet or exceed the applicable requirements of the Specifications for Rubber Seated Butterfly Valves, AWWA C504, for class 150B.

The Mechanical Joint Butterfly Valves are to be **BID WITHOUT ACCESSORIES**.

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SPECIFICATIONS**

**Category 4:**

**Flanged Resilient Seat Gate Valves**

Valves shall be of the Non Rising Stem (NRS) Type with standard 150 Lb. Flanges.

All resilient wedge gate valves to have a 10 year warranty, a copy of which is to be made available upon demand, identified from the cast date on the body of the valve.

Valves shall utilize 5/8" bolts meeting ASTM A-307 Grade B, zinc coated by the hot dip process, in accordance with the requirements of class C of Specification A 153, or type 316 Stainless Steel bolts must be used if the bolts are less than 5/8" in diameter.

**Gaskets and bolts are to be provided with all gate valves.**

When quoting, please certify that the Flanged Resilient Seat Gate Valves with Accessories meet the Specifications of The Board of Water and Sewer Commissioners of the City of Mobile and comply with current AWWA Standard C509. All interior ferrous metal surfaces shall be coated with an epoxy coating meeting or exceeding current AWWA Standard C509, with coatings to be no less than 4 mils. Valves are to be Resilient Seat not Double Disc.

**LIST OF ACCEPTABLE PRODUCTS AND APPROVED MANUFACTURERS**

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>MANUFACTURER</u>	<u>PRODUCT</u>
Gate Valves (Resilient Seated) Mechanical Joint Ends, 250 psi	Mueller	A-2361
	American	Series 2500
	Kennedy	7571SS, 8571SS
	Clow	F-6100
	M&H	4067, 7571
Gate Valves (Resilient Seated) Flanged Ends, 200 psi	Mueller	A-2361
	American	Series 2500
	Kennedy	7561SS, 8561ASS
	Clow	F-6102
	M&H	7561, 4067
Butterfly Valves	Mueller	
	American	
	Clow	4500
	Kennedy	
	M&H	4500
Tapping Valves	Centerline 504	
	Pratt	
	American	
	Mueller	
	Clow	
	Kennedy	

**END OF SPECIFICATIONS**

**IFB 25-041 VALVES  
Bid Form for Category 1 & 2**

**Category 1:**

**MJ Resilient Seat Gate Valves**

	<u>Lawson #</u>	<u>MJ Resilient Seat Gate Valves</u>	<u>Bid Amount</u>	<u>12 month Usage</u>
1.	11300180	3"	\$ _____ each	8
2.	11300190	4"	\$ _____ each	14
3.	11300200	6"	\$ _____ each	37
4.	11300210	8"	\$ _____ each	7
5.	11300220	10"	\$ _____ each	4
6.	11300230	12"	\$ _____ each	2
7.	11300240	14"	\$ _____ each	2
8.	11300250	16"	\$ _____ each	1
<b>Total for Category 1</b>			\$ _____	

Manufacturer: \_\_\_\_\_ Model \_\_\_\_\_ Delivery Time ARO \_\_\_\_\_

**Category 2:**

**Resilient Seat MJ Tapping Valves**

	<u>Lawson #</u>	<u>Resilient Seat MJ Tapping Valves</u>	<u>Bid Amount</u>	<u>12 month Usage</u>
9.	11300260	4"	\$ _____ each	3
10.	11300270	6"	\$ _____ each	27
11.	11300280	8"	\$ _____ each	11
12.	11300290	10"	\$ _____ each	9
13.	11300300	12"	\$ _____ each	1
<b>Total for Category 2</b>			\$ _____	

Manufacturer: \_\_\_\_\_ Model \_\_\_\_\_ Delivery Time ARO \_\_\_\_\_

**IFB 25-041 VALVES  
Bid Form for Category 3 & 4**

**Category 3  
MJ Butterfly Valves**

<u>Lawson #</u>	<u>MJ Butterfly Valves</u>	<u>Bid Amount</u>	<u>12 month Usage</u>
14. 11300060	4"	\$ _____ each	1
15. 11300070	6"	\$ _____ each	1
		<b>Total for Category 3</b> \$ _____	

Manufacturer: \_\_\_\_\_ Model \_\_\_\_\_ Delivery Time ARO \_\_\_\_\_

**Category 4:  
Flanged Resilient Seat Gate Valves**

<u>Lawson #</u>	<u>Flanged Resilient Seat Gate Valves</u>	<u>Bid Amount</u>	<u>12 month Usage</u>
16. 11300010	3"	\$ _____ each	9
17. 11300015	4"	\$ _____ each	3
18. 11300020	6"	\$ _____ each	1
19. 11300022	8"	\$ _____ each	1
20. 11300024	10"	\$ _____ each	1
21. 11300026	12"	\$ _____ each	1
		<b>Total for Category 4</b> \$ _____	

Manufacturer: \_\_\_\_\_ Model \_\_\_\_\_ Delivery Time ARO \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE:** Award will be made by All or None. There are no guaranteed quantities of **Valves** that will be purchased for this contract. Purchases will be made on an as needed basis. Purchase Order numbers are required for all purchases. All deliveries are to be made FOB Destination, Freight Allowed. No additional charges above the bid pricing will be allowed. This includes but is not limited to Fuel Surcharges..

**IFB 25-041 VALVES  
BID FORM (Cont'd)**

Company Name \_\_\_\_\_ Payment Terms \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Submitted By \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_  
Please Print

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Please Print

The signer declares under penalty of perjury that she/he is authorized to sign this document and bind the company or organization to all of the terms and conditions of this agreement.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_