

**INVITATION FOR BID**  
**March 20, 2026**

INVITATION FOR BID NUMBER	IFB 26-020
NAME OF BID	Annual Contract for Tapping Saddles, Clamps and Coupling Adapters
BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED AT	MAWSS Bid Box East Visitor 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	April 3, 2026
BID CLOSING TIME	10:30 am Central Time
AWARD WILL BE MADE BY	Total Cost & Lead Time
CONTRACT PERIOD	5/1/26 through 4/30/27 with two possible 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 26-020 Tapping Saddles**” or “**IFB 26-020 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 26-020 TAPPING SADDLES, CLAMPS AND COUPLING ADAPTERS CONDITIONS**

The Board of Water and Sewer Commissioners of the City of Mobile will accept bids for **Tapping Saddles** in our Purchasing Department Bid Box located at the East Visitor Entrance at 4725 Moffett Road, Mobile, AL. 36618 **no later than 10:30 a.m.** local time on **April 3, 2026**. Bids will be opened immediately after bid closing time in the Operations Center Board room located at the East Visitor 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 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 26-020 TAPPING SADDLES, CLAMPS AND COUPLING ADAPTERS  
SPECIFICATIONS AND BID SHEET**

**Specifications:**

Body is to be constructed of ductile iron meeting ASTM A536. Straps, hex nuts, and washers to be stainless steel. Outlet threads shall be CC as per current AWWA C800 Standard. Gaskets shall be of Buena-N rubber meeting ASTM D2000 or equal. Double Strap Tapping Saddles have been approved and have U-bolts that are stainless steel with a wide band attached to the U-bolt, to cradle pipe.

Materials bid as equals to the manufacturers listed must be approved by Daryl Russell, Director of Planning & Marketing Development. Include manufacturer's drawings and descriptions for all equals bids. If part numbers are incorrect, please notify Mike Grimes (251-402-0042) or Joyce Sawyer immediately (251-694-3110). If part numbers are missing, please list part number for items you are bidding. Note that the Lawson numbers are MAWSS inventory numbers.

**Category 1 – Double Strap Tapping Saddles**

Cat. 1 Approved Manufacturers: JCM 406, Mueller DR2S & DR2W, Romac 202NS, Smith-Blair 317

<b>Item #</b>	<b>Lawson #</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Est. 1 yr Usage</b>	<b>Unit Cost</b>
1	11500040	2" x 1" DS Tapping Saddles	43	
2	11500070	3" x 1" DS Tapping Saddles	2	
3	11500080	3" x 2" DS Tapping Saddles	1	
4	11500090	4" x 1" DS Tapping Saddles	10	
5	11500100	4" x 2" DS Tapping Saddles	2	
6	11500120	6" x 1" DS Tapping Saddles	92	
7	11500130	6" x 2" DS Tapping Saddles	16	
8	11500150	8" x 1" DS Tapping Saddles	35	
9	11500160	8" x 2" DS Tapping Saddles	7	
10	11500170	10" x 1" DS Tapping Saddles	7	
11	11500180	10" x 2" DS Tapping Saddles	1	
12	11500200	12" x 1" DS Tapping Saddles	5	
13	11500210	12" x 2" DS Tapping Saddles	5	
14	11500230	16" x 1" DS Tapping Saddles	7	
15	11500240	16" x 2" DS Tapping Saddles	2	
16	11500930	2" x 1-1/2" DS Tapping Saddles for Class 200 PVC Pipe	16	
17	11500940	3" x 1-1/2" DS Tapping Saddles for Class 200 PVC Pipe, 1½ CC	9	
18	11500950	4" x 1-1/2" DS Tapping Saddles for C-900 DR 18 PVC Pipe, 1½ CC	8	
19	11500960	6" x 1-1/2" DS Tapping Saddles for C-900 DR 18 PVC Pipe, 1½ CC	3	

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 BID SHEET (Cont'd)**

**Category 1 – Double Strap Tapping Saddles (Cont'd)**

Item #	Lawson #	Description	Est. 1 yr Usage	Unit Cost
20	11500970	8" x 1-1/2" DS Tapping Saddles for C-900 DR 18 PVC Pipe, 1½ CC	1	
21	11500980	10" x 1-1/2" DS Tapping Saddles for C-900 DR 18 PVC Pipe, 1½ CC	1	
22	11500990	12" x 1-1/2" DS Tapping Saddles for C-900 DR 18 PVC Pipe, 1½ CC	1	
<b>Total Category 1 (x1 each)</b>				

Manufacturer \_\_\_\_\_ Delivery \_\_\_\_\_

**Category 2 – Full Circle Repair Clamps**

Cat. 2 Approved Manufacturers: Dresser Utility Solutions Ultra, Smith-Blair 226 (to 12"), 228 (14" & up)  
 Mueller (Hymax): Clamp, Lug 500, Lug 700, Snap 200, SS 500, Versa  
 Romac: Armor Seal, C, CC, CSC, Cast Lug, SCC, SL1, SL2, SS Clamp

**Category 2A - Repair Clamps - Cast Iron, Ductile Iron, C900 (PVC), DIPS HDPE**

Item #	Lawson #	Description	Est. 1 yr Usage	Unit Cost
23	11600110	2" x 7" FCR Clamps	200	
24	11600120	2" x 15" FCR Clamps	93	
25	11600130	2-1/4"- 2½" x 7" FCR Clamps	2	
26	11600150	3" x 7" FCR Clamps	4	
27	11600160	3"-4" x 7" FCR Clamps	1	
28	11600170	3"-4" x 15" FCR Clamps	1	
29	11600180	4" x 7" FCR Clamps	40	
30	11600190	4" x 15" FCR Clamps	6	
31	11600200	6" x 7" FCR Clamps	149	
32	11600210	6" x 15" FCR Clamps	32	
33	11600220	8" x 7" FCR Clamps	29	
34	11600230	8" x 15" FCR Clamps	1	
35	11600240	10" x 7" FCR Clamps	3	

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 BID SHEET (Cont'd)**

**Category 2A - Repair Clamps - Cast Iron, Ductile Iron, C900 (PVC), DIPS HDPE (Cont'd)**

Item #	Lawson #	Description	Est. 1 yr Usage	Unit Cost
36	11600250	10" x 15" FCR Clamps	1	
37	11600260	12" x 7" FCR Clamps	2	
38	11600270	12" x 12" FCR Clamps	1	
39	11600280	12" x 15" FCR Clamps	2	
40	11600290	14" x 18" FCR Clamps	1	
41	11600300	16" x 10" FCR Clamps	1	
42	11600310	16" x 18" FCR Clamps	1	
43	11600320	16" x 24" FCR Clamps	1	
44	11600330	20" x 20" FCR Clamps	1	
45	11600340	24" x 18" FCR Clamps	1	
46	11600350	30" x 18" FCR Clamps	1	
<b>Total Category 2A (x1 each)</b>				

Manufacturer \_\_\_\_\_ Delivery \_\_\_\_\_

**Category 2B - Repair Clamps – HDPE (Universal)**

Item #	Lawson #	Description	Est. 1 yr Usage	Unit Cost
47	11600185	4" x 7" Universal Clamp Poly	1	
48	11600202	6" x 7" Universal Clamp Poly	1	
49	11600225	8" x 7" Universal Clamp Poly	1	
50	11600187	4" x 12" Universal Clamp Poly	1	
51	11600203	6" x 12" Universal Clamp Poly	3	
52	11600227	8" x 12" Universal Clamp Poly	1	
<b>Total Category 2B (x1 each)</b>				

Manufacturer \_\_\_\_\_ Delivery \_\_\_\_\_

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**Category 3 – Service Line Repair Clamps**

<b>Item #</b>	<b>Lawson #</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Est. 1 yr Usage</b>	<b>Unit Cost</b>
53	11600360	1/2" Pipe Saver Clamps	29	
54	11600370	3/4" Pipe Saver Clamps	118	
55	11600380	1" Pipe Saver Clamps	112	
56	11600390	1-1/4" Pipe Saver Clamps	8	
57	11600400	1-1/2" Pipe Saver Clamps	26	
58	11600410	2" Pipe Saver Clamps	19	
<b>Total Category 3 (x1 each)</b>				

Manufacturer \_\_\_\_\_ Delivery \_\_\_\_\_

**Category 4 – Cast Iron Flanged Coupling Adapters**

<b>Item #</b>	<b>Lawson #</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Est. 1 yr Usage</b>	<b>Unit Cost</b>
59	11600740	2" Flanged Coupling Adapters	8	
60	11600750	3" Flanged Coupling Adapters	14	
61	11600760	4" Flanged Coupling Adapters	8	
62	11600770	6" Flanged Coupling Adapters	4	
63	11600780	8" Flanged Coupling Adapters	4	
64	11600790	10" Flanged Coupling Adapters	1	
<b>Total Category 4 (x1 each)</b>				

Manufacturer \_\_\_\_\_ Delivery \_\_\_\_\_

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BID SHEET (Cont'd)**

Category 1 Total     \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Category 2A Total    \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Category 2B Total    \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Category 3 Total     \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Category 4 Total     \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Grand Total          \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Please Note:** There are no guaranteed quantities of Tapping Saddles, Clamps or Coupling Adapters 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. No additional charges above the bid pricing will be allowed. This includes, but is not limited to, fuel surcharges & tariffs.

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 terms and conditions of this agreement.

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