

REQUEST FOR BIDS

The City of Las Vegas, New Mexico will open Sealed Bids at 2:30 p.m., March 18th, 2015, at the City Council Chambers, 1700 North Grand Avenue, Las Vegas, New Mexico, or other designated area at the City Offices, ON THE FOLLOWING: East Waterline Loop – Segment A.

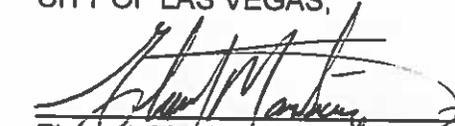
The BIDDING FORMS AND TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS may be examined at the following location: City of Las Vegas, City Hall and Molzen Corbin & Associates

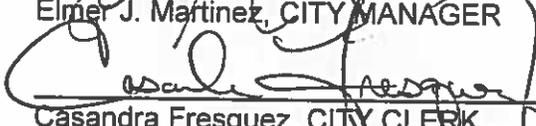
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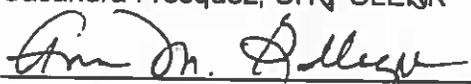
Mailed Bids should be addressed to the City Clerk, 1700 N. Grand Ave., Las Vegas, New Mexico 87701, with the envelope marked: East Waterline Loop – Segment A, Opening No. 2015-25, on the lower left-hand corner of the submitted envelope. It shall be the responsibility of the Bidder to see that their Bid is delivered to the City Clerk by the date and time set for the Bid Request. If the mail or delivery of said Bid Request is delayed beyond the Opening Date and Time, Bids thus delayed will not be considered. A public opening will be held, and any Bidder or their authorized representative is invited to attend.

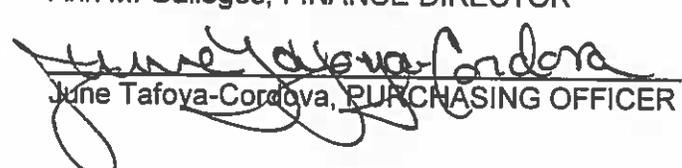
The City of Las Vegas reserves the right to reject any or all Bids submitted.

CITY OF LAS VEGAS,


Elmer J. Martinez, CITY MANAGER


Casandra Fresquez, CITY CLERK


Ann M. Gallegos, FINANCE DIRECTOR


June Tafoya-Cordova, PURCHASING OFFICER

Opening No. 2015-25

Date Issued: 2-17-15

Date Issued: Published:

Las Vegas Optic: February 20th, 2015
Albuquerque Journal: February 20, 2015
City website: www.lasvegasnm.gov

BIDDER INFORMATION

BIDDER: _____

AUTHORIZED AGENT: _____

ADDRESS: _____

TELEPHONE NUMBER (____) _____

FAX NUMBER (____) _____

DELIVERY: _____

STATE PURCHASING RESIDENT CERTIFICATION NO.: _____

NEW MEXICO CONTRACTORS LICENSE NO.: _____

BID ITEM (S): East Water Line Loop Segment 1 Jack and Bores

ITEM (S) UNDER THIS BID ARE TO BE F.O.B. LAS VEGAS, NEW MEXICO 87701. THE CITY OF LAS VEGAS RESERVES THE RIGHT REJECT ANY OR ALL BIDS AND TO WAIVE ANY TECHINCAL IRREGULARITY IN THE FORM OF THE BID.

AFFIDAVIT FOR FILING WITH COMPETITIVE BID

STATE OF _____ }

COUNTY OF _____ }

I _____, of lawful age, being of first duly sworn in oath, say that I am the agent authorized by the bidder to submit the attached bid. Affiant further states that the bidder has not been a party to any collusion among bidders in restraint of freedom of competition by agreement to bid at a fixed price or to refrain from bidding; or with any city official or employee as to the terms of said prospective contract, or any other terms of said prospective contract; or in any discussion between bidders with any city official concerning an exchange of money or any other thing of value for special consideration in the letting of a contract.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this _____ day of _____, 20____.

Signature

(SEAL)

Notary Public Signature
My Commission Expires: _____

STANDARD BID CLAUSES

AWARDED BID

Awarding of Bid shall be made to the responsible Bidder whose Bid meets the required specifications. The City of Las Vegas (City) reserves the right to reject or accept any of all Bid specifications and to waive any insubstantial irregularity in the form of the Bid.

The City of Las Vegas may make multiple awards of the bid, to those bidding in law enforcement related services. The City Reserves the right to award the bid to the most advantageous Bidder to the City.

TIMETABLE

Bids pursuant to this request must be received at the City Clerk's Office at 1700 North Grand Avenue, Las Vegas, New Mexico, on or before 2:30 pm, March 25 20 15 at which time all bids received will be opened. An opening will occur at the City's Council Chambers or other designated area at the City Offices. Awarding of Bid is projected for April , 2015. The successful Bidder will be notified by mail.

ENVELOPES

Sealed Bid envelopes shall be clearly marked on the lower left-hand corner, identified by the Bid Name and Opening Number. Failure to comply with this requirement may result in the rejection of your submitted Bid. Enclose one (1) original and three (3) copies of Bid.

BRIBERY AND KICKBACK

The Procurement Code of New Mexico; (Section 13-1-28 through 13-1-99 N.M.S.A. 1978), impose a third degree felony penalty for bribery of a public official or public employee. In addition the New Mexico Criminal Statutes (Section 30-4-1, N.M.S.A. 1978): state that it is a third degree felony to commit the offense of demanding or receiving a bribe by a public official of public employee. And (Section 30-24-2, N.M.S.A. 1978): it is a fourth degree felony to commit the offense of soliciting or receiving illegal kickbacks. Also (Section 30-41-1 through 30-41-3, N.M.S.A. 1978): states that it is a fourth degree felony to commit the offense of offering or paying illegal kickbacks.

NON-COLLUSION

In signing their Bid and Affidavit, the Bidder certifies that he/she has not, either directly or indirectly entered into action of restraint of free competition, in the connection with the submitted bid.

RESPONSIBILITY OF BIDDER

At all times it shall be the responsibility of the Bidder to see their bid is delivered to the City Clerk by the Date and Time scheduled for opening. If the mail or delivery of said Bid is delayed beyond the scheduled opening date and time set, bid this delayed will not be considered.

CLARIFICATION OF BID

Bidder requiring clarification or interpretation of Bid specifications shall make a written request to the Department involved in this bid request at least five (5) days prior to the scheduled bid opening date with a copy forwarded to the Finance Department. Any interpretation, corrections or changes of said Bid Specifications, Opening Date, or Time Change will be made by Addendum only. Interpretations, Corrections or changes of said bid made in any other manner will not be binding and the Bidder shall not rely upon such interpretation, corrections and changes.

MODIFICATION OF BID

Bids may be withdrawn upon receipt of written request prior to the scheduled bid opening for the purpose of making any corrections or changes. Such corrections must be properly identified and signed or initialed by the Bidder. Resubmission must be prior to the scheduled bid opening time in order to be considered. After bid opening, no price modifications of submitted bids or other provisions shall be permitted.

WITHDRAWAL OF BID

A low Bidder alleging a material mistake of fact, after bids have been opened may request their bid be withdrawn upon receipt of a written request to the Finance Department prior to the scheduled awarding date.

INSPECTION

Final inspection and acceptance will be made at the City's destination. Products rejected for nonconformance with the specifications shall be removed by the Bidder; at his/her risk and expense promptly after notice of rejection.

FEDERAL TAX IDENTIFICATION NUMBER

Pursuant to IRS requirements, Bidder shall provide their Federal Tax ID Number if Bidder is incorporated. If Bidder is a sole proprietorship or partnership then they shall provide their Social Security Number.

FEDERAL TAX ID NUMBER: _____
SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER: _____

NEW MEXICO TAX IDENTIFICATION NUMBER

Payment may be withheld under (Section 7-10-5, N.M.S.A. 1978) if you are subject to New Mexico Gross Receipts Tax and have not registered for a New Mexico (CRS) Tax Identification Number. Contact the New Mexico Taxation & Revenue Department at (505) 827-0700 for registering instructions.

NEW MEXICO TAX IDENTIFICATION NO. (CRS): _____

CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTION DISCLOSURE FORM

The Bidder shall submit a completed Campaign Contribution Disclosure Form Pursuant to Chapter 81, Laws of 2006.

COMMERCIAL WARRANTY

The Bidder agrees that the products or services furnished under a Purchase Order shall be covered by the most favorable commercial warranties that the Bidder gives to any customer for such products or services. And that the rights and remedies provided therein shall extend to the City and are in addition to and do not limit any rights afforded to the City by any other clause of its Purchase Order. Bidder agrees not to disclaim warranties of fitness for any particular purpose or merchantability.

Furthermore, Bidder agrees that its warranty for all products furnished under a Purchase Order pursuant to this Call for Bids shall be for a period of one year following the installation of said products by others. Also a receipt of a notice by the City's Engineer the products have been installed correctly and have been demonstrated to be capable of performing their intended function.

SPECIAL NOTICE

To preclude possible errors and/or misinterpretations, bid prices must be affixed in ink or typewritten legibly. Enclose one (1) original and three(3) copies of Bid documents.

DEFAULT

The City reserves the right to cancel all or any part of an order without cost to the City if the Bidder fails to meet the provisions of the City's Purchase Order or the product specifications and to hold the Bidder liable for any excess costs occasioned due to the Bidder's default. The Bidder shall not be liable for any excess costs if failure to perform on an order arises out of cause beyond the control and without fault or negligence of the Bidder. Such causes include, but are not restricted to, acts of God or public enemy; acts of State or Federal Government; fires, floods, epidemics, quarantine restrictions, strikes, embargoes, unusually severe weather, or defaults of subcontractors. Due to any of the above unless the City shall determine that the supplies or services to be furnished by the subcontractor are obtainable from other sources in the City in this paragraph shall not be exclusive and are in addition to any other rights now being provided by law.

BID PROTESTS

If any Bidder is of the opinion that the specifications as written preclude him/her from submitting a bid. His/her opinion should be made known to the Department involved in this bid request at least twelve (12) days prior to the scheduled bid opening date with a copy forwarded to the Finance Department. Bid protests will not be considered from parties which do not also furnish satisfactory documentation with their protest that their proposed system fully meets the functional intent of the TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS which accompany a Call for Bids.

NON-EXCLUSION

Specifications of the bid request are not meant to exclude any Bidder or Manufacturer. Where a brand name or equal is indicated, it is for the purpose of describing the standard of quality, performance and characteristics desired and is not intended to restrict competition. "No Substitute" specifications may be authorized, only if required to match existing equipment.

If any Bidder is of the opinion that the specifications as written preclude him/her from submitting a bid. His/her opinion should be made known to the Department involved in this bid request at least five (5) days prior to the scheduled bid opening date; with a copy forwarded to the Finance Department.

Brand names and numbers are for reference only and equivalents will be considered. If bidding "EQUIVALENT" Bidder must be prepared to furnish complete data upon request, preferably with the bid to avoid awarding delay.

CONTRACT

When the City issues a Purchase Order in response to an awarded Bid a binding contract is created (unless a specified contract has been created).

TERMINATION

This Price Agreement may be terminated by either party upon signing a written notice to the other party at least thirty (30) days in advance of the date of termination. Notice of termination of this Price Agreement shall not affect any outstanding orders.

TAXES

Bidder must pay all applicable taxes.

NOTE:

If bidder is from outside the City of Las Vegas, the successful bidder must pay Gross Receipts in the City of Las Vegas.

BID ITEM (S):

	Item	Unit	Qty	Price Each	Net Price
A					
B					
C					
D					
E					
F					
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H					
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J					
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AJ					
	Shipping				
	Tax				
	Total:				

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CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTION DISCLOSURE FORM

Pursuant to Chapter 81, Laws of 2006, any prospective contractor seeking to enter into a contract with any state agency or local public body must file this form with that state agency or local public body. The prospective contractor must disclose whether they, a family member or a representative of the prospective contractor has made a campaign contribution to an applicable public official of the state or a local public body during the two years prior to the date on which the contractor submits a proposal or, in the case of a sole source or small purchase contract, the two years prior to the date the contractor signs the contract, if the aggregate total of contributions given by the prospective contractor, a family member or a representative of the prospective contractor to the public official exceeds two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250) over the two year period.

THIS FORM MUST BE FILED BY ANY PROSPECTIVE CONTRACTOR WHETHER OR NOT THEY, THEIR FAMILY MEMBER, OR THEIR REPRESENTATIVE HAS MADE ANY CONTRIBUTIONS SUBJECT TO DISCLOSURE.

The following definitions apply:

"Applicable public official" means a person elected to an office or a person appointed to complete a term of an elected office, who has the authority to award or influence the award of the contract for which the prospective contractor is submitting a competitive sealed proposal or who has the authority to negotiate a sole source or small purchase contract that may be awarded without submission of a sealed competitive proposal.

"Campaign Contribution" means a gift, subscription, loan, advance or deposit of money or other thing of value, including the estimated value of an in-kind contribution, that is made to or received by an applicable public official or any person authorized to raise, collect or expend contributions on that official's behalf for the purpose of electing the official to either statewide or local office. "Campaign Contribution" includes the payment of a debt incurred in an election campaign, but does not include the value of services provided without compensation or unreimbursed travel or other personal expenses of individuals who volunteer a portion or all of their time on behalf of a candidate or political committee, nor does it include the administrative or solicitation expenses of a political committee that are paid by an organization that sponsors the committee.

"Contract" means any agreement for the procurement of items of tangible personal property, services, professional services, or construction.

"Family member" means spouse, father, mother, child, father-in-law, mother-in-law, daughter-in-law or son-in-law.

"Pendency of the procurement process" means the time period commencing with the public notice of the request for proposals and ending with the award of the contract or the cancellation of the request for proposals.

"Person" means any corporation, partnership, individual, joint venture, association or any other private legal entity.

"Prospective contractor" means a person who is subject to the competitive sealed

proposal process set forth in the Procurement Code or is not required to submit a competitive sealed proposal because that person qualifies for a sole source or a small purchase contract.

"Representative of a prospective contractor" means an officer or director of a corporation, a member or manager of a limited liability corporation, a partner of a partnership or a trustee of a trust of the prospective contractor.

DISCLOSURE OF CONTRIBUTIONS:

Contribution Made By: _____

Relation to Prospective Contractor: _____

Name of Applicable Public Official: _____

Date Contribution(s) Made: _____

Amount(s) of Contribution(s) _____

Nature of Contribution(s) _____

Purpose of Contribution(s) _____

(The above fields are unlimited in size) _____

Signature

Date

Title (position)

-OR-

NO CONTRIBUTIONS IN THE AGGREGATE TOTAL OVER TWO HUNDRED FIFTY DOLLARS (\$250) WERE MADE to an applicable public official by me, a family member or representative.

Signature

Date

Title (Position)

BID FORM

PROJECT IDENTIFICATION: East Waterline Loop – Segment A

ARTICLE 1 – BID RECIPIENT

1.01 This Bid is submitted to: City of Las Vegas
1700 N. Grand Avenue
Las Vegas, New Mexico 87701

1.02 The undersigned Bidder proposes and agrees, if this Bid is accepted, to enter into an Agreement with Owner in the form included in the Bidding Documents to perform all Work as specified or indicated in the Bidding Documents for the prices and within the times indicated in this Bid and in accordance with the other terms and conditions of the Bidding Documents.

ARTICLE 2 – BIDDER’S ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

2.01 Bidder accepts all of the terms and conditions of the Instructions to Bidders, including without limitation those dealing with the disposition of Bid security. This Bid will remain subject to acceptance for 60 days after the Bid opening, or for such longer period of time that Bidder may agree to in writing upon request of Owner. Bidder will sign and submit the Agreement and the Bonds and other documents required by the Bidding Requirements within ten days after the date of Owner’s Notice of Award.

ARTICLE 3 – BIDDER’S REPRESENTATIONS

3.01 In submitting this Bid, Bidder represents that:
A. Bidder has examined and carefully studied the Bidding Documents, other related data identified in the Bidding Documents, and the following Addenda, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged:

<u>Addendum No.</u>	<u>Addendum Date</u>
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

B. Bidder has visited the Site and become familiar with and is satisfied as to the general, local, and Site conditions that may affect cost, progress, and performance of the Work.
C. Bidder is familiar with and is satisfied as to all Laws and Regulations that may affect cost, progress, and performance of the Work.

- D. Bidder has carefully studied all: (1) reports of explorations and tests of subsurface conditions at or contiguous to the Site and all drawings of physical conditions relating to existing surface or subsurface structures at the Site (except Underground Facilities) that have been identified in SC-4.02, and (2) reports and drawings of Hazardous Environmental Conditions, if any, at the Site that have been identified in SC-4.06.
- E. Bidder has considered the information known to Bidder; information commonly known to contractors doing business in the locality of the Site; information and observations obtained from visits to the Site; the Bidding Documents; and the Site-related reports and drawings identified in the Bidding Documents, with respect to the effect of such information, observations, and documents on (1) the cost, progress, and performance of the Work; (2) the means, methods, techniques, sequences, and procedures of construction to be employed by Bidder, including applying the specific means, methods, techniques, sequences, and procedures of construction expressly required by the Bidding Documents; and (3) Bidder's safety precautions and programs.
- F. Based on the information and observations referred to in Paragraph 3.01.E above, Bidder does not consider that further examinations, investigations, explorations, tests, studies, or data are necessary for the determination of this Bid for performance of the Work at the price(s) bid and within the times required, and in accordance with the other terms and conditions of the Bidding Documents.
- G. Bidder is aware of the general nature of work to be performed by Owner and others at the Site that relates to the Work as indicated in the Bidding Documents.
- H. Bidder has given Engineer written notice of all conflicts, errors, ambiguities, or discrepancies that Bidder has discovered in the Bidding Documents, and the written resolution thereof by Engineer is acceptable to Bidder.
 - 1. The Bidding Documents are generally sufficient to indicate and convey understanding of all terms and conditions for the performance of the Work for which this Bid is submitted.

ARTICLE 4 – BIDDER'S CERTIFICATION

4.01 Bidder certifies that:

- A. This Bid is genuine and not made in the interest of or on behalf of any undisclosed individual or entity and is not submitted in conformity with any collusive agreement or rules of any group, association, organization, or corporation;
- B. Bidder has not directly or indirectly induced or solicited any other Bidder to submit a false or sham Bid;
- C. Bidder has not solicited or induced any individual or entity to refrain from bidding; and
- D. Bidder has not engaged in corrupt, fraudulent, collusive, or coercive practices in competing for the Contract. For the purposes of this Paragraph 4.01.D:

1. "corrupt practice" means the offering, giving, receiving, or soliciting of any thing of value likely to influence the action of a public official in the bidding process;
2. "fraudulent practice" means an intentional misrepresentation of facts made (a) to influence the bidding process to the detriment of Owner, (b) to establish bid prices at artificial non-competitive levels, or (c) to deprive Owner of the benefits of free and open competition;
3. "collusive practice" means a scheme or arrangement between two or more Bidders, with or without the knowledge of Owner, a purpose of which is to establish bid prices at artificial, non-competitive levels; and
4. "coercive practice" means harming or threatening to harm, directly or indirectly, persons or their property to influence their participation in the bidding process or affect the execution of the Contract.

ARTICLE 5 – BASIS OF BID

5.01 Bidder will complete the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents for the following price(s):

LOT NO. 1

Item No.	Description	Unit	Estimated Quantity	Bid Unit Price	Bid Price
1	Jack and Bore No. 1, including Steel Casing, 12-inch DIP, Casing Spacers, CIP	LS	1	\$	\$
2	Jack and Bore No. 2, including Steel Casing, 12-inch DIP, Casing Spacers, CIP	LS	1	\$	\$
3	Jack and Bore No. 5, including Steel Casing, 12-inch DIP, Casing Spacers, CIP	LS	1	\$	\$
4	12-inch PVC Water Line, including Trenching and Backfilling, CIP	LF	400	\$	\$
5	8" Gate Valve w/Box, CIP	EA	1	\$	\$
6	12" Gate Valve w/Box, CIP	EA	3	\$	\$
7	Relocation of Underground Utilities Allowance	ALLOW	1	\$20,000.00	\$20,000.00
8	Pre-authorized Construction Changes	ALLOW	1	\$20,000.00	\$20,000.00
9	Testing Allowance	ALLOW	1	\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00

Subtotal Lot No. 1 \$ _____
 Gross Receipts Tax @8.1458% \$ _____
SUBTOTAL LOT NO. 1 \$ _____

LOT NO. 2

Item No.	Description	Unit	Estimated Quantity	Bid Unit Price	Bid Price
1	Jack and Bore No. 3, including Steel Casing, 12-inch DIP, Casing Spacers, CIP	LS	1	\$	\$

Subtotal Lot No. 2 \$ _____
 Gross Receipts Tax @8.1458% \$ _____
SUBTOTAL LOT NO. 2 \$ _____

LOT NO. 3

Item No.	Description	Unit	Estimated Quantity	Bid Unit Price	Bid Price
1	Jack and Bore No. 4, including Steel Casing, 12-inch DIP, Casing Spacers, CIP	LS	1	\$	\$

Subtotal Lot No. 3 \$ _____

Gross Receipts Tax @8.1458% \$ _____

SUBTOTAL LOT NO. 3 \$ _____

LOT NO. 4

Item No.	Description	Unit	Estimated Quantity	Bid Unit Price	Bid Price
1	PRV Station, CIP	LS	1	\$	\$

Subtotal Lot No. 4 \$ _____

Gross Receipts Tax @8.1458% \$ _____

SUBTOTAL LOT NO. 4 \$ _____

TOTAL BID AMOUNT LOTS 1, 2, 3, AND 4 \$ _____

Unit Prices have been computed in accordance with Paragraph 11.03.B of the General Conditions.

Bidder acknowledges that estimated quantities are not guaranteed, and are solely for the purpose of comparison of Bids, and final payment for all unit price Bid items will be based on actual quantities, determined as provided in the Contract Documents.

5.02 If the lowest acceptable Bid exceeds available funds, the Owner retains the right to award Lot No. 1 and either all or a portion of Lot No. 2, Lot No. 3 and Lot No. 4, reject all Bids or negotiate a change of scope with the lowest responsive Bidder. If a change of scope is negotiated and effected, it will be in the form of a formal Change Order to the Contract.

5.03 This Contract includes two (2) preferences for the award of the Bid: (1) New Mexico Resident Contractor Preference and (2) Resident Veterans Preference Certification (see Page BID-9 for Resident Veterans Preference Certification form).

A. To receive a Resident Contractor preference pursuant to Section 13-4-2 NMSA 1978 or a Resident Veteran Contractor preference pursuant to Section 13-1-21 NMSA 1978, a Contractor shall submit with its Bid a copy of a valid Resident Contractor Certificate or Resident Veteran Contractor Certificate issued by the Taxation and Revenue Department. In addition, if the Contractor is seeking the Resident Veteran preference, the Contractor shall submit with its Bid the Resident Veterans Preference Certification form.

B. For the purpose of awarding, the following shall apply:

1. A Bid submitted by a Resident Contractor shall be deemed to be five percent (5%) lower than the Bid actually submitted.