#### OFFICIAL NOTICE TO BIDDERS

## WAUKESHA RETURN FLOW PUMP STATION, ADVANCED PHOSPHORUS, WITH FACILITIES ENHANCEMENT FOR CLEAN WATER PLANT

### CITY OF WAUKESHA, WISCONSIN

#### Bids Close: Friday, May 15, 2020, at 11:00 a.m.

Sealed Bids must be received by and will be opened on **Friday, May 15, 2020**, at 11:00 a.m., local time, at the Office of the Director of Public Works in the City Hall Annex located at 130 Delafield St., Waukesha, Wisconsin 53188, for the following project:

# WAUKESHA RETURN FLOW PUMP STATION, ADVANCED PHOSPHORUS, WITH FACILITIES ENHANCEMENT FOR CLEAN WATER PLANT (Quest No. 6959556)

Return Flow Pump Station (Building 325) Connected to the UV Disinfection Building (Building 320)

Modifications to Existing Tertiary Clarifiers (Structure 300)

Modifications to Existing Filter Building (Building 310)

Modifications to Existing Chemical Feed and Storage Building (Building 250)

Replacement of Primary Influent Pumps and Slide Gates

Installation of Electric Actuators and MCC Replacement in the Preliminary Treatment Building (Building 140)

Replacement of Primary Effluent Pumps and Concrete Bases and MCC Replacement in

Primary Effluent Pump Building (Building 140)

Replacement of MCC in Second Stage Pumping Station (Building 150)

Replacement of Fine Bubble Diffusers in Three Aeration Tanks (Structure 210)

Overhead Door Replacement in the Following Buildings:
Building 510 – Generator Building
Building 330 – Pretreatment Building
Building 430 – Dewatering Building
Building 440 – Sludge Storage Building and Drying Pad
Building 530 – Service Building

Repainting Piping in the Following Buildings:
Building 240 – RAS/WAS Building
Building 400 – Sludge Thickening Building
Repainting Stilling Well in Final Clarifier No. 1 – Structure 230
Addition of Sludge Blanket Finders in Clarifier No. 1 through 4
Addition of Handrail on Top of Building 410 – Primary Digester Complex
Replacement of Asphalt Pavement Inside Facility Parallel to Sentry Drive
New Pavement at Return Flow Pump Station (Building 325)

Contract documents, which include Project Plans and Specifications, may be digitally downloaded beginning **April 3, 2020**, from Quest for a cost of \$25.00. The City of Waukesha will no longer be offering paper copies of plans. Please go to <a href="http://www.waukesha-wi.gov/1135/Official-Notices">http://www.waukesha-wi.gov/1135/Official-Notices</a> for more information on how to view and download plans or go directly to:

http://qap.questcdn.com/qap/projects/prj browse/ipp prj browse.html?group=1037286&provider=1037286

If there are any questions regarding downloading Project Plans and Specifications, please contact: Jeff Harenda (262)524-3629. E-mail contact: <a href="mailto:jharenda@waukesha-wi.gov">jharenda@waukesha-wi.gov</a>

PRE-BID CONFERENCE: A mandatory prebid conference call for all Bidders planning on submitting a bid will be held at 10:00 a.m. local time on April 17, 2020. The prebid conference call will be held via Skype for Business. See instruction to bidders for further details.

A Bidder's Prequalification Statement must be filed with the City of Waukesha by April 24, 2020. If the contractor's current prequalification on record with the City of Waukesha does not pertain to the specific type of work in this specification, a new Prequalification must be filed. To check the status of Contractor's prequalification, please call (262)524-3600.

USE OF AMERICAN IRON AND STEEL: This project is being partially funded by the Clean Water State Revolving Fund which requires that all "iron and steel products" used for a project for the construction, alteration, maintenance, or repair of a public water system or treatment works are produced in the United States. "Iron and Steel products" means the following products made primarily of iron or steel: lined or unlined pipes and fittings, manhole covers and other municipal castings, hydrants, tanks, flanges, pipe clamps and restraints, valves, structural steel, conduit, reinforced precast concrete, and construction materials.

WAGE RATES: This Contract is Federally assisted through the Water Infrastructure Finance and Innovation Act (WIFIA) program and the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (WDNR) Safe Drinking Water Loan (SDWL) Program. All federal regulations, policies, guidelines and requirements as they relate to the acceptance of federal funds for this Project shall be complied with by Bidders. Neither the EPA or State of Wisconsin nor any of its departments, agencies, or employees is or will be a party to this Notice to Bidders or any resulting Contract.

Bidder must comply with the Davis-Bacon Act wage rules, Anti-Kickback Act and the Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act, Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and Executive Orders 11246 and 11375. All laborers and mechanics employed by contractors and subcontractors on projects shall be paid wages at rates not less than those prevailing on projects of a character similar in the locality as determined by the Secretary of Labor in accordance with Subchapter IV of Chapter 31 of Title 40, United State Code.

Each Bid shall be accompanied by a Bid Deposit in the form of a Bid Bond or certified check payable to the City of Waukesha in the amount of 5 percent of the Bid.

Bids may be withdrawn only pursuant to relevant provisions of Wisconsin law. Otherwise all Bids must be offered for a period extending sixty (60) days beyond the Bid opening.

AWARD OF CONTRACT: Any Contract or Contracts awarded under this Official Notice to Bidders are expected to be funded in part by a loan from the Wisconsin Clean Water Fund. Neither the United States EPA, the Wisconsin DNR, nor agencies or employees is or will be a party to this Official Notice to Bidders or any resulting contract.

Any contract(s) awarded under this Official Notice to Bidders must demonstrate positive efforts to utilize small, women owned, and minority owned businesses. The City encourages disadvantaged business enterprises to submit bids

The letting of the work described herein is subject to the provisions of Sec. 62.15, 66.0901, 779.14, 779.15, Wisconsin Statutes, and all other relevant provisions of federal, state and local law.

The City of Waukesha reserves the right to reject any and all Bids.

S. Kassens - C. O'Donnell - K. Michalowski - J. Pieper - E. Payne