

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed Bids for the construction of the Huntington WWTP Improvements, HWEI Project No. 2014075A will be received, by City of Huntington, Arkansas, at the office of the Hawkins-Weir Engineers, Inc. at 110 South 7th, Van Buren, Arkansas, 72956 until **2:00 p.m. local time on March 5, 2019**, at which time the Bids received will be publicly opened and read. The Project consists of constructing improvements at the Huntington Wastewater Treatment Plant, including replacing aeration equipment in an existing oxidation ditch, and construction of a new 20-ft secondary clarifier and an ultraviolet (UV) disinfection system. The project also includes installation of 933 ft of 8-in. cured-in-place pipe (CIPP) liner, 400 ft of 8-in. PVC sewer, spot repairs, and manhole rehabilitation.

Bids will be received for a single prime Contract. Bids shall be on a lump sum and unit price basis, with deductive alternate bid items as indicated in the Bid Form.

The Issuing Office for the Bidding Documents is: Hawkins-Weir Engineers, Inc. 110 South 7th Street, Van Buren, Arkansas 72956. The contact person is Joshua S. Durham, P.E., telephone (479) 474-1227. Prospective Bidders may examine and obtain Bidding Documents at the Issuing Office on Mondays through Fridays between the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. and 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Bidding Documents also may be examined at the office of the City of Huntington, 223 E. Broadway, Huntington, Arkansas, 72940, on Mondays through Fridays between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.

Printed copies of the Bidding Documents may be obtained from the Issuing Office, during the hours indicated above, upon payment of a deposit of \$225.00 for each set. Checks for Bidding Documents shall be payable to "Hawkins-Weir Engineers, Inc.", and the deposit is non-refundable. Full sets of documents for Bidders include one (1) full set of drawings, a 2-volume set of contract documents and specifications, one (1) unbound copy of the Bid Form, and an electronic copy of all documents. Suppliers and subcontractors may obtain an electronic copy of plans and specifications on CD upon payment of \$30.00. Upon request and receipt of the document deposit indicated above plus a non-refundable shipping charge, the Issuing Office will transmit the Bidding Documents via express delivery service. The shipping charge amount will depend on the shipping method selected by the prospective Bidder. The date that the Bidding Documents are transmitted by the Issuing Office will be considered the Bidder's date of receipt of the Bidding Documents. Partial sets of Bidding Documents will not be available from the Issuing Office, and bids will only be accepted from registered Bidders holding forms issued by the Issuing Office. Neither Owner nor Engineer will be responsible for full or partial sets of Bidding Documents, including Addenda if any, obtained from sources other than the Issuing Office.

A pre-bid conference will be held at 10:00 a.m. local time on February 21, 2019 at the office of the City of Huntington at 223 E. Broadway, Huntington, Arkansas. Attendance at the pre-bid conference is mandatory. A tour of the project site will immediately follow the pre-bid conference.

Bid security shall be furnished in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders.

Section 746 of Title VII of the Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2017 (Division A – Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2017) and subsequent statutes mandating domestic preference applies an American Iron and Steel requirement to this project. All listed iron and steel products used in this project must be produced in the United States. The term “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, reinforced precast concrete, and construction materials. The de minimis and minor components waiver apply to this contract.

Owner: City of Huntington, Arkansas

By: Gary Lawrence

Title: Mayor

Date: February 7, 2018