

**ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS  
WASTEWATER COLLECTION and TREATMENT SYSTEM  
CLARIFIER REHABILITATION TANK #1  
CITY OF FOND DU LAC  
2012**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that sealed bids will be received in the City Administrative office located on the fourth floor of the City-County Government Center, 160 South Macy Street, Fond du Lac, Wisconsin 54936-0150 on or before 2:00 PM Thursday, March 23, 2012 at which time bids will be publicly opened and read aloud in the City Manager's conference room. Telephone and Fax bids will not be accepted.

The work includes: 1) High pressure water clean concrete walls, bottom of concrete trough, outside of inner wall trough wall (inside tank proper) [all referred to as wall]; 2) Sound wall and continue removal of paste and aggregate until wall is determined sound by Engineer; 3) Continue removal of concrete until concrete registers a pH of 10.0; 4) Repair cracks identified by Engineer; 5) Resurface concrete and apply a fiber reinforced epoxy or, 6) Apply primer and polyurea system.

The SPECIFICATIONS/PLANS may be examined at the following locations:

Construction Association  
43636 Woodward Ave.  
Bloomfield Hills, MI 48302

Builders Exchange  
815 S. Pioneer Rd., P.O. Box 544  
Fond du Lac, WI 54936

Builders Exchange  
10400 Innovation Dr., Suite 210  
Milwaukee, WI 53226

At the OFFICE of the ENGINEER and at the OFFICE of John Leonhard.

Copies of the SPECIFICATIONS/PLANS and PROPOSAL FORMS may be obtained at the office of DIXON ENGINEERING, INC., 1104 Third Avenue, Lake Odessa, Michigan, 48849 upon payment of **\$60.00** (handling charge for each set). Payment for SPECIFICATIONS should be made to Dixon Engineering, Incorporated. **There will be no refund of handling charge for return of specification packages.** Each BIDDER must deposit with his BID, Security in the amount, form, and subject to the conditions provided in the INFORMATION FOR BIDDERS. The OWNER reserves the right to accept any PROPOSAL, to reject any or all PROPOSALS, and to waive any irregularities in any PROPOSAL. No BIDDER may withdraw his BID within sixty (60) days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

There will be a **mandatory** prebid meeting March 15, 2012 at 10:00 A.M.. The meeting will be held at: City of Fond du Lac, 700 Doty St., Fond du Lac, WI 54936.

All bids shall be prepared on the proposal forms provided in the specifications and shall remain attached thereto, and shall be addressed to The Department of Public Works, P.O. Box 150, Fond du Lac, Wisconsin. Each bid envelope shall be properly identified on the face thereof "**SEALED BID – WASTEWATER COLLECTION AND TREATMENT SYSTEM CLARIFIER REHABILITATION TANK #1**". No bid shall be withdrawn for a period of (30) thirty days after the opening of said bids, without the consent of the Director of Public Works. The City of Fond du Lac may reject any or all bids on any basis and without disclosure of any reason. The failure to make a disclosure shall not result in accrual of any right, claim or cause of action against the City. The City also reserves the right to waive any formalities or informalities in bidding, and to select the bid that, in its opinion, will best serve the interests of the City.

Late proposals will not be accepted under any circumstances. Any proposal(s) received after the scheduled time for closing will be returned to the proposing firm unopened. Sole responsibility rests with the proposing firm to see that their proposal is received on time.

No bid will be opened unless the "**Bidder's Proof of Responsibility**" for 2012 is filed at least five (5) days before the scheduled time for opening of bids. Reference is made to Section 66.0901(2) and (3) Wisconsin Statutes. The Director of Public Works decision as to qualifications shall be final.

Bidder's attention is called to the fact that this contract includes a "**Disclosure of Ownership**" form. Section 66.0903 (12)(d) and 103.49(7)(d) of Wisconsin Statutes requires that each bidder complete this form. No bid will be considered unless the prospective bidder has completed the form entitled "Disclosure of Ownership".

Each proposal shall be accompanied by a certified check, or bank draft, payable to the City of Fond du Lac, or satisfactory bid bond, in the amount of 10% of the gross bid as a guarantee that if the bid is accepted as the successful bid, such successful bidder will execute and file the proposed contract and performance bond within ten (10) days after notice of award of contract.

The City of Fond du Lac reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids and to accept the bid deemed most advantageous to the City.

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