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ADVERTISEMENT TO BID

FOX METRO WATER RECLAMATION DISTRICT
OSWEGO, ILLINOIS
NORTH AURORA WATER MAIN EXTENSION
CONTRACT 3-2023

Fox Metro Water Reclamation District (OWNER) is requesting Bids for the construction of the following Project:

North Aurora Water Main Extension
Contract 3-2023

Bids for the construction of the Project will be received at the Fox Metro Water Reclamation District, W.J. Baines Administrative Building office located at 682 Illinois Route 31, Oswego, IL 60543, until Wednesday, December 13, 2023, at 10 A.M., local time. At that time the Bids received will be publicly opened and read aloud.

The Project includes the following Work: Installation of approximately 420 linear feet of 6-inch water main, water services, fire hydrant with auxiliary valve, and landscaping.

Complete digital Project Bidding Documents are available at www.strand.com or at www.questcdn.com. Download the digital Bidding Documents for \$75 by inputting Quest project number 8838989 on the website's project search page. Please contact QuestCDN.com at (952) 233-1632 or info@questcdn.com for assistance with free membership registration, downloading, and working with this digital Project information.

Paper copies may be obtained from the Issuing Office, which is Strand Associates, Inc.[®], 1170 Houbolt Road, Joliet, IL 60431. A nonrefundable fee of \$350 will be required (shipping and handling fees included). Overnight mailing of Bidding Documents will not be provided.

All Bidders submitting a sealed Bid shall obtain the Bidding Documents from QuestCDN.com or from Strand Associates, Inc.[®]

Bidders who submit a Bid must be a Plan Holder of record at the Issuing Office. Bids from Bidders who are not on the Plan Holders List may be returned as not being responsive.

Plan Holders are requested to provide an e-mail address if they wish to receive addenda and other information electronically. Plan Holders are requested to designate whether they are a prime contractor, subcontractor, or supplier if they want this information posted on the Project Plan Holders List.

The Bid must be accompanied by Bid security made payable to OWNER in an amount of 10% of the Bidder's maximum Bid price.

Bidders will be required to comply with all laws, including those relating to the employment of labor and the payment of the general prevailing rate of hourly wages in the locality in which the work is to be performed for each craft or type of worker or mechanic needed to execute the contract or perform such work, also the general prevailing rate for legal holiday and overtime work (including, but not necessarily

limited to 820 ILCS 130/1-12 the "Prevailing Wage Act") as ascertained by the Illinois Department of Labor for Kane County, Illinois shall be paid for each craft or type of worker needed to execute the contract or to perform such work.

If at the time this Contract is executed, or if during the term of this Contract, there is excessive unemployment in Illinois as defined in the Employment of Illinois Workers on Public Works Act, 30 ILCS 570, as two consecutive months of unemployment exceeding 5%, CONTRACTOR agrees to employ a work force that consists of at least 90% Illinois laborers. An "Illinois laborer" is defined as any person who has resided in Illinois for at least 30 days and intends to become or remain an Illinois resident. The Bidder shall require all subcontractors (if any) to conform with said laws, and any rules or regulations now and thereafter issued pursuant to said laws by Bidder, his subcontractors, and/or anyone working through or on behalf of Bidder or Bidder's subcontractors.

Fox Metro Water Reclamation District reserves the right to reject any or all Bids, to waive any technicality, and to accept any Bid which it deems advantageous. All Bids shall remain subject to acceptance for 85 days after the time set for receiving Bids.

Contract award shall be made based on the lowest responsive and responsible Bidder.

A pre-bid conference will be held at 10 A.M., local time, on December 5, 2023, at the Fox Metro Water Reclamation Field Operations Facility, 1135 South Lake Street, Montgomery, IL 60538. Bidders are required to attend and participate in the conference. Bids submitted by Bidders who do not attend the pre-bid conference may be considered unresponsive and may not be opened.

The Strand Associates, Inc.[®] project manager is Michael G. Ott, P.E., who can be contacted at Strand Associates, Inc.[®], 1170 Houbolt Road, Joliet, IL 60431, (815) 744-4200 regarding the Project.

For all further requirements regarding Bid submittal, qualifications, procedures, and Contract Award, refer to the Instructions to Bidders that are included in the Bidding Documents.

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District
David Krahn, District Clerk

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