

Advertisement and Invitation for Bids for Construction
TCDP Contract No. 729409

The City of La Feria will receive sealed bids for the **Proposed 12" Pressure Main for Improvements to the Lilac Avenue Lift Station** until **10:00 AM, October 26, 2010** at City Hall, 115 E. Commercial Avenue, La Feria, Texas, 78559, at which time the bids will be publicly opened and read aloud. The bids should be submitted to the attention of Sunny K. Philip, City Manager at the above address and should include the notation "Sealed Bid" as well as the date and time of the bid opening.

Bids are invited for several items and quantities of work as follows:

1. 12" C-900, Class 100 (DR 25) PVC Pressure Main	4,550 LF
2. Green Metallic Detection Tape	4,553 LF
3. Remove and dispose of existing 10" Cast Iron Pressure Main	4,550 LF
4. 12" AWWA Rubber Seated Gate Valves	4 Ea.
5. Compact Ductile Iron fittings - 10"-12"-16"	Various
6. Cutting & Replacing Caliche, Asphalt, & Concrete Driveways	105, 30, & 32 LF
7. 20" New, Welded Steel Casing Pipe, 3/8" wall thickness, installed By boring for the FM 506 Crossing	95 LF
8. 20" New Welded Steel Casing Pipe, 3/8" wall thickness to be Installed by open cut method at a Canal crossing	76 LF
9. Excavation Protection required at depths of 5ft. and greater	100 LF
10. 12" Magnetic flow meters & indicator/totalizer	1 Ea.
11. Odor Control Unit	1 Ea.
12. Electrical	LS
13. Refurbishing existing 6" horizontal self priming pumps	2 Ea.
14. SCADA Equipment	LS

Bid/Contract Documents, including Drawings and Technical Specifications are on file at Sigler, Winston, Greenwood & Assoc., SWG Engineering LLC, 611 Bill Summers International Blvd., Weslaco, Texas 78596.

Bid/Contract Documents may be obtained by depositing **Fifty (\$ 50.00) Dollars** with the engineer Sigler, Winston, Greenwood & Assoc., SWG Engineering LLC., for each set of documents obtained. The deposit will be refunded if the documents and drawings are returned in good condition within ten (10) days following the bid opening.

A bid bond in the amount of 5% of the bid issued by an acceptable surety shall be submitted with each bid. A certified check or bank draft payable to the City of La Feria, or negotiable U.S. Government Bonds (as par value) may be submitted in lieu of the Bid Bond.

Attention is called to the fact that not less than the federally determined prevailing (Davis-Bacon and Related Acts) wage rate, as issued by the Office of Rural Community Affairs and contained in the contract documents, must be paid on this project. In addition, the successful bidder must ensure that employees and applicants for employment are not discriminated against because of race, color, religion, sex, age, or national origin.

A non-mandatory pre-bid conference will be held on October 19, 2010 at 10:00 a.m. at City Hall, 115 E. Commercial Avenue, La Feria, TX 78559.

The City of La Feria reserves the right to reject any or all bids, or to waive any informalities in the bidding.

Bids may be held by the City of La Feria for a period not to exceed thirty (30) days from the date of the bid opening for the purpose of reviewing the bids and investigating the bidders' qualifications prior to the contract award.

All contractors/subcontractors that are debarred, suspended or otherwise excluded from or ineligible for participation on federal assistance programs may not undertake any activity in part or in full under this project.

Sunny K. Philip, City Manager
CITY OF LA FERIA