## City of La Feria Advertisement and Invitation for Bids Unit 4C: AN-47 Drainage Improvements Mid-Way GLO Contract #12-211-000-5511/DRS210089

The City of La Feria will receive sealed bids for Unit 4C: AN-47 Drainage Improvements Mid-Way until Thursday, July 2, 2015 at 115 E. Commercial Ave., La Feria, Texas (City Hall). The bids will be publicly opened and read aloud at 2:00 PM on Thursday, July 2, 2015 at City Hall.

**Scope of Work:** The proposed project involves construction and installation of RCP with rubber gasket joints of various sizes from 18" up to 60", storm drainage curb inlets and storm drainage junction boxes, various reinforced concrete structures, and roadway paving improvements. Work will be completed within the City of La Feria city limits including a crossing at Business Hwy 83 and the Union Pacific Railroad.

Bid/Contract Documents, including Drawings and Technical Specifications are on file at 611 Bill Summers Intl., Blvd., Weslaco, TX 78596, (956) 968-2194. Copies of the Bid/Contract Documents may be obtained by depositing \$100.00 with 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 10 days following the bid opening. Bidders must be registered with the Engineer of record to obtain any addenda which may be issued for these plans.

A bid bond in the amount of 5 percent (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.

The City of La Feria strongly recommends bidders attend the pre-bid conference scheduled for 2:00 PM on Wednesday, June 17, 2015 at La Feria City Hall.

The City of La Feria Section 3 Policy seeks to ensure that to the greatest extent feasible, training, employment and contracting opportunities created by the City's receipt of federal housing and community development funds are made available to "Section 3 Residents" and "Section 3 Businesses". The awarded construction contractor will be responsible for meeting the requirements of this policy. The City's Section 3 Policy is included in the bid documents.

Attention is called to the fact that not less than, the federally determined prevailing wage rate (Davis-Bacon and Related Acts), as issued by the U.S. Department of Labor 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. The City of La Feria is an Equal Opportunity Provider and Employer.

The City of La Feria reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any informality in the bidding. Bids may be held by the City of La Feria for ninety (90) 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 5/28/2015