

ADVERTISEMENT AND INVITATION FOR BIDS

Sealed bids in duplicate will be received by City of Arcola, Fort Bend County, Texas for furnishing all plant, labor, material, and equipment, and for performing all work required for construction of:

**CDBG-DR 2016 FLOOD ALLOCATION FOR
DRAINAGE IMPROVEMENTS ALONG WEST FORK OF CHOCOLATE BAYOU,
NORTH PINE ROAD, SOUTH PINE STREET, AND COEN ROAD TO SERVE
CITY OF ARCOLA, FORT BEND COUNTY, TEXAS
GENERAL LAND OFFICE CONTRACT NO. 19-076-001-B350**

Bids must be addressed to Mayor Fred A. Burton. Bids will be received until 10:00 a.m., Tuesday, April 21, 2020 at the City of Arcola City Hall, located at 13222 Highway 6, Arcola, Texas 77583. The bids will be publicly opened and read aloud at 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, April 21, 2020.

Install drainage pipe, regrade ditches, replace culverts, repair pavement and complete associated appurtenances. Improvements total approximately 6,900 linear feet.

Major items of work include :

- (1) 1-1/2" Thick Hot Mix Hot Laid Asphalt
- (2) Limestone Base
- (3) 48", 30" and 24" Reinforced Concrete Storm Sewer Pipe
- (4) Driveway Replacement
- (5) Earthwork, Ditch Grading, Cleaning

Copies of the Bid/Contract Documents, including drawings and technical specifications may be obtained from www.CivcastUSA.com. Bidders must register on this website in order to view and/or download specifications and plans for this project. There is NO charge to view or download documents.

Said documents may be examined without charge in the office of the Project Engineer, Kaluza, Inc., 3014 Avenue I, Rosenberg, Texas 77471.

A pre-bid conference for bidders will be held at 10:00 a.m., Tuesday, April 14, 2020, at the City of Arcola City Hall, located at 13222 Highway 6, Arcola, Texas 77583. It is recommended that all bidders attend the pre-bid conference; however, attendance is not mandatory.

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 City of Arcola or negotiable U.S. Government Bonds (as par value) may be submitted in lieu of the Bid Bond.

The project to be constructed will be financed with assistance from the General Land Office (GLO) under the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development Community Development Block Grant – Disaster Recover (CDBG-DR) program and is subject to all applicable Federal and State laws and regulations. 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 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, sexual orientation, gender identity, or national origin. Adherence to the City of Arcola Section 3 Policy is required for contracts and subcontracts in excess of \$100,000.00.

All contractors and subcontractors must be cleared (not suspended or debarred) prior to any formal action authorizing the award of a contract to the contractor. Minority Business Enterprises, Small Business Enterprises, Women Business Enterprises, and labor surplus area firms are encouraged to submit bids.

City of Arcola reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any informalities in the bidding. The award will be made to the responsible bidder submitting the lowest acceptable bid.

Bids may be held by City of Arcola for a period not to exceed sixty (60) 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.

City of Arcola is an equal opportunity employer.

City of Arcola, Fred A. Burton, Mayor