INVITATION TO BID
FOR
BID NO. 2026.18 – CALHOUN COUNTY
GREEN LAKE PARK – PHASE 2
CALHOUN COUNTY, TEXAS

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners Court of Calhoun County, Texas will receive bids for:

Bid No. 2026.18 – Calhoun County Green Lake Park – Phase 2

The project consists of improvements to Green Lake Park that include the construction of a timber fishing pier, observation pier, boat ramp, courtesy dock, picnic shelters, parking lots, and an entrance road.

Bidders are expected to inspect the site of the work and to inform themselves regarding all local conditions.

A **Pre-Bid Conference** will be held at **10:00 AM, Tuesday, November 17, 2026** at the Green Lake Park off State Highway 35 in Calhoun County, Texas. All Bidders and Plan Holders are strongly urged to attend.

Sealed Bids consisting of one USB flash drive and one original and two printed copies are due before 2:00:00 PM, on Thursday, December 3, 2026. At this time, all bids will be publicly opened and read aloud at the County Judge's office in the Calhoun County Courthouse, 211 South Ann Street, 3rd Floor, Suite 301, Port Lavaca, Texas.

All bids (one USB flash drive and original and two copies) must be delivered to the Office of the Calhoun County Judge in a sealed 9 x 12 or larger envelope and clearly marked **Bid No. 2026.18 – Calhoun County Green Lake Park – Phase 2**. Calhoun County does not accept faxed or emailed bids. Any bids received after the due date and time will be returned unopened.

Sealed Bids may be hand delivered or mailed to:
County Judge's Office
Calhoun County Courthouse
211 South Ann Street
3rd Floor, Suite 301
Port Lavaca, TX 77979

Bidders must submit with their bid a bid bond, cashier's or certified check payable without recourse to the order of Calhoun County, Texas in an amount not less than five percent (5%) of the bid submitted as a guarantee that the Bidder will enter into a contract and execute bonds and guarantee in the forms provided within fifteen (15) days after Notice of Award of contract to him. Bids submitted without the required security will not be considered.

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, Section 3 Businesses, and labor surplus area firms are encouraged to submit bids.

Calhoun County reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any informalities in the bidding and to award to the responsible bidder submitting the best qualified acceptable bid who, in the opinion of Calhoun County, offers the bid in the best interest of the County. Bids may be held by Calhoun County for a period not to exceed 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.

The successful Bidder will be required to purchase and furnish a Performance Bond and a Payment Bond, each in the amount of the contract, written by a responsible surety company, authorized to do business in the State of Texas, as required by Article 5160, V.A.T.C.S., as amended by H.B. 344, passed by the 56th Legislature, Regular Session, 1959.

Information for Bidders, proposal forms, specifications and plans are available for inspection during regular business hours at Urban Engineering, 2004 N. Commerce Street, Victoria, Texas 77901, (361) 578-9836.

Prospective Bidders may obtain complete copies of the plans, project manual and specifications from Urban Engineering. An electronic file copy is available at no charge or a printed copy is available for a non-refundable fee of $100.00 per copy. It is recommended that Bidders obtain a complete copy of the Bidding Documents from Urban Engineering to submit a bid.

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