INVITATION TO BID

Calhoun County will receive bids for a County funded project for:

Magnolia Beach (21st Street) & Indianola Fishing Piers Hurricane Nicholas Rehabilitation Project

Bids are invited for items and quantities of work generally as follows: partial reconstruction of Magnolia Beach Pier including replacement of handrail, replacement of light poles, and miscellaneous decking and tightening of screws and bolts; demolition and rebuilding of Indianola Pier T-Head and miscellaneous deck repairs and tightening of screws and bolts.

The Instructions for Bidders, Bid Form, Specifications, and other Contract Documents may be examined at G&W Engineers, Inc. at 205 W. Live Oak, Port Lavaca, TX 77979 and obtained from www.CivcastUSA.com. There is no charge to view or download the documents. Addendums and other announcements will be distributed via CivCastUSA to all plan holders.

A **pre-bid conference** shall be held at **10:00 AM on Thursday, August 18, 2022** at the Magnolia Beach (21st Street) Pier in Magnolia Beach, Texas. Potential bidders are strongly urged to attend.

A bid bond in the amount of 5 percent of the bid issued by an acceptable surety shall be submitted with each bid. A certified check, payable to Calhoun County, may be submitted in lieu of the bid bond.

Sealed Bids are Due Before 2:00:00 PM on Thursday, September 1, 2022 at the County Judge's Office in the Calhoun County Courthouse, 211 S. Ann Street, 3rd Floor, Suite 301, Port Lavaca TX 77979. At that time, all bids will be publicly opened and read aloud.

All bids (one original and three copies) must be delivered to the office of the Calhoun County Judge in a sealed 9 x 12 or larger envelope and clearly marked **Magnolia Beach (21st Street) & Indianola Fishing Piers Hurricane Nicholas Rehabilitation Project**.

Calhoun County does not accept faxed or emailed bids. Any bids received after the due date and time will be returned unopened.

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, national origin, handicapped status or limited English proficiency.

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.

Calhoun County reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any informalities in the bidding. 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 bidder's qualifications prior to the contract award.

Calhoun County, Texas is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer. The County does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, religion, age, handicapped status or limited English proficiency in employment or the provision of services. Minority Business Enterprises, Small Business Enterprises, Women Business Enterprises, Section 3 Businesses, and labor surplus area firms are encouraged to submit bids.

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