

## Advertisement and Invitation for Bids

The City of Lumberton will receive bids for the City of Lumberton American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Candlestick Drainage Rehabilitation until **2:00 pm on Tuesday, May 21, 2024**, at the City of Lumberton, 836 North Main Street, Lumberton, Texas 77657. The Bids will be publicly opened and read aloud in the City of Lumberton Council Room at City Hall the same day.

Bids are invited for items and quantity of work as follows:

1. Rehabilitation of drainage system along West Candlestick Drive.

The Contract Documents, Specifications, and Plans may be examined at the following location: A complete set of the bidding documents are on file at [www.civcastusa.com](http://www.civcastusa.com). There is no cost to view the plans, and printing can be done through the website. Sets of hard copies of bidding Documents will not be sold. Complete sets of bidding Documents shall be used in preparing Bids; neither Owner nor Engineer assumes any responsibility for errors or misinterpretations resulting from the use of incomplete sets of bidding Documents. Owner and Engineer, in making copies of Bidding Documents available on the above terms, do so only for the purpose of obtaining Bids for the Work and do not confer a license or grant for any other use. Also, plans can be viewed at the City of Lumberton, 836 North Main Street, Lumberton, Texas 77657 and at Schaumburg & Polk, 8865 College Street, Beaumont, Texas 77707.

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 or bank draft payable to the City of Lumberton or negotiable U.S. Government Bonds (at 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 Texas 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 identity, gender identity, or national origin.

Any contract or contracts awarded under this Invitation for Bids are expected to be funded by Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds (SLFRF) allocated under the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA).

A **Non-Mandatory** Pre-Bid Conference will be held to review the scope of work. The Pre-Bid Conference will be held at **10:00 am on Tuesday, May 7, 2024**, at the City of Lumberton, 836 North Main Street, Lumberton, Texas. All interested parties are requested to attend. All questions shall be received in writing through CIVCAST or via email until **May 14, 2024 at 5:00 am** and addressed by Addendum.

The City of Lumberton reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any informalities in the bidding. Bids may be held by City of Lumberton 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.

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.

**The City of Lumberton is an affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer. Minority Business Enterprises, Small Business Enterprises, Women Business Enterprises, and Labor Surplus Area firms are encouraged to submit bids.**

Don Surratt, MAYOR      Ad1: April 28, 2024      Ad2: May 5, 2024