

**Henderson County
Athens, Texas
ARPA Water System Generators**

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed Bids for the construction of the **ARPA Water System Generators project** will be received, **from all prospective Bidders**, by **Henderson County**, at the office of the **County Auditor, 125 N. Prairieville Street, Suite 202, Athens, Texas 75751**, until **2:00 P.M.** local time on **Tuesday, September 24, 2024**, at which time the Bids received will be **publicly** opened and read. The Project consists of constructing **generators and associated electrical improvements at 25 water system facilities throughout Henderson County.**

Bids shall be on a lump sum and/or unit price basis, with additive alternate bid items as indicated in the Bid Form.

The Issuing Office for the Bidding Documents is: **KSA, 320 North Street, Suite 205, Nacogdoches, Texas 75961**. Prospective Bidders may examine the Bidding Documents at the Issuing Office on Mondays through Fridays between the hours of **8:00 A.M. and 5:00 P.M.**

Bidding Documents also may be examined at the office of the County Judge, on Mondays through Fridays between the hours of 8:00 A.M. and 5:00 P.M.

Contract documents including bid proposal forms, plan sheets, and specifications for the Project may be viewed and downloaded free of charge (with the option to purchase hard copies) at www.civcastusa.com. Scanned plans and specifications (PDF format) are available for pick-up only on CD for a non-refundable price of \$25.00 from KSA.

Please submit questions for this Project 72 hours prior to bid opening through www.civcastusa.com in the Q & A portal.

Addenda issued will be posted on www.civcastusa.com. You will be notified of addenda automatically through email if you downloaded your plans and specifications via [civcastusa.com](http://www.civcastusa.com).

A pre-bid conference will be held at 2:00 P.M. local time on September 12, 2024 at the Henderson County Annex, Commissioner' Courtroom located at 125 N. Prairieville Street in Athens, Texas. Attendance at the pre-bid conference is highly encouraged but is not mandatory.

Bidders will be allowed to modify or withdraw bids prior to the scheduled closing time for receipt of bids. No bid received after the scheduled closing time will be accepted or opened. No bid may be withdrawn after the scheduled closing time for receipt of bids for at least 60 calendar days.

The successful Bidder, or Bidders, will be required to furnish a Performance Bond and Payment Bond each in the amount of the contract written by a responsible surety company authorized to do business in the State of Texas and satisfactory to the Owner.

The award will be made on the basis of the lowest responsible bid. The Owner reserves the right to waive any informality in the bidding and to reject any or all bids.

This project is being supported, in whole or in part, by the U.S. Department of the Treasury, in utilizing the U.S. Department of The Treasury Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds (ARPA) program and is subject to all applicable Federal and State laws and regulations. Attention is called to the fact that not less than, the Texas Prevailing Wage rates, as issued by the Department of Labor, 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.

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.

Contractors who apply or bid for an award of \$100,000 or more shall provide the required certification that it will not and has not used Federal appropriated funds to pay any person or organization for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a member of Congress, officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a member of Congress in connection with obtaining any Federal contract, grant or any other award covered by 31 USC § 1352.

Minority Business Enterprises, Small Business Enterprises, Women Business Enterprises, and Historically Underutilized Business firms are encouraged to submit bids.

Bid security shall be furnished in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders.

Owner: **Henderson County**

By: **Wade McKinney**

Title: **County Judge**

Date: **1st Advertisement - August 31, 2024**

2nd Advertisement - September 7, 2024

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