NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The <u>Greater Texoma Utility Authority on behalf of the City of Whitewright, Texas</u> will receive bids for <u>TWDB CWSRF Wastewater System Improvements (TWDB Project No. 73715)</u> until <u>3:00 p.m.</u> on <u>Friday, December 9, 2016 at City Hall 206 W. Grand Ave, Whitewright, TX 75491)</u> at which time and place the sealed bids will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Bids are invited for several items and quantities of work as follows:

- 1. Installation of a lift station including site work, gravity sewer, pumps, force main, electrical components, valves, and fencing.
- 2. Installation a standby generator with automatic transfer switch at the wastewater treatment plant.

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. Printed copies of the Contract Documents may be viewed at the Engineer's office located at 8875 Synergy Drive, McKinney TX 75070, (972-542-2995).

Please submit questions for this project at least 5 business days prior to bid opening through www.civcastusa.com in the Q&A portal or to David Perkins, P.E. at dperkins@ksaeng.com. All addenda issued for this project will only be posted on www.civcastusa.com. 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 Greater Texoma Utility Authority or negotiable U.S. Government Bonds (as par value) may be submitted in lieu of the Bid Bond. The Greater Texoma Utility Authority reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any informalities in the bidding. Bids may be held Greater Texoma Utility Authority 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.

The <u>Greater Texoma Utility Authority on behalf of the City of Whitewright, Texas</u> reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any informality in the bidding. Award of this contract is contingent upon release of funds from the Water Development Board. Any Contract or Contracts awarded under this invitation for bids are expected to be funded in part by a loan or grant from the Texas Water Development Board, and a grant from the United States Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA). Nether the State of Texas, Or U.S. EPA nor any of its departments, agencies, or employees are or will be a party to this invitation for bids or any resulting contract.

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This project is subject to the American Iron and Steel (AIS) requirements of P.L. 113-76 Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2014. All iron and steel products for construction, alteration, maintenance, or repairs incorporated in these plans must be produced in the United States

Equal Opportunity in Employment - All qualified Applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, national origin, sex, religion, age, or handicap. The contractor shall carry out applicable requirements of 40 CFR Part 33 in the award and administration of contracts awarded under TWDB financial assistance agreements. Failure by the contractor to carry out these requirements is a material breach, which may result in the termination of the awarded financial assistance.

All laborers and mechanics working on the work site and employed by contractors and subcontractors on projects funded directly by or assisted in whole or in part by and through the Clean Water State Revolving Fund or Drinking Water State Revolving Fund shall by paid wages as described in the section, Mandatory Davis-Bacon Act Contract Conditions.

Any contracts in excess of \$2,000 for construction, alteration or repair (including painting and decorating and funded under the Clean Water State Revolving Fund and Drinking Water State Revolving Fund programs shall include the Mandatory Davis-Bacon Act Contract Conditions.

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