

**GREATER NEW HAVEN
WATER POLLUTION CONTROL AUTHORITY**

NOTICE OF REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL (RFP)
PROCESS AIR COMPRESSOR EQUIPMENT

**PROJECT NO. CWF 2019-04
PROCESS AIR COMPRESSOR SYSTEM
FOR LOW LEVEL NITROGEN REMOVAL
EAST SHORE WATER POLLUTION ABATEMENT FACILITY**

The Greater New Haven Water Pollution Control Authority intends to pre-select a single supplier to furnish process air compressor equipment and ancillary equipment, including all materials, equipment, or work required including commissioning, training, and performance testing to be incorporated into the Process Air Compressor System for Low Level Nitrogen Removal project at the East Shore Water Pollution Abatement Facility.

Proposals shall be received at the Office of Director of Finance and Administration of the Greater New Haven Water Pollution Control Authority located at 260 East Street, New Haven, Connecticut 06511, until 10:00 a.m., prevailing local time January 20, 2022. Proposals received after that time will not be accepted.

The bidders may be required to attend a virtual interview regarding the technical proposal.

The selected Proposer will be named as the preselected supplier of Process Air Compressor Equipment in the project specifications for the general construction of the Process Air Compressor System for Low Level Nitrogen Removal project. The Contractor shall be responsible for the purchase of the Process Air Compressor Equipment package from the Process Air Compressor Equipment Manufacturer as described herein and in the Proposal. In return, the Proposer must agree to enter into an agreement with the General Contractor who is selected by the Greater New Haven Water Pollution Control Authority to construct the Process Air Compressor System for Low Level Nitrogen Removal, and to provide the equipment and services as established in the Proposal.

The information for Bidders, Proposal, Form of Contract, Plans and Specifications may be examined at the web address <https://gnhwpc.com/doing-business-with-gnhwpc/vendor-portal/>. All Bidders must obtain the full "RFP" by contacting engineering@gnhwpc.com and referencing the project number CWF 2019-04.

All questions concerning this RFP must be submitted to the Authority via email in writing before 4:00 p.m. on January 7, 2022 (Email: engineering@gnhwpc.com and Karina.massey@jacobs.com). To be given consideration, questions must be received prior to the due date for questions indicated above. This office is the only point where information shall be disseminated. The Authority reserves the right to reject any and all proposals, and to waive informalities and irregularities in the preselection procedure.

All bidders are to note that this project is subject to the following requirements:

1. Any contract awarded under this RFP is expected to be funded in part by the State of Connecticut, Department of Energy and Environmental Protection. Neither the State of Connecticut nor any of its departments, agencies, or employees is or will be party to this RFP or any resulting contract. This procurement will be subject to the requirements contained in Title 22a, Section 22a-482-4, subsections (h), (j), and (o).

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2. Bidders are subject to affirmative action to ensure equal opportunity for employment, as noted in Governor's Executive Orders Three and Seventeen.
3. American Iron and Steel (AIS) requirements of Section 436 of Public Law (P.L.) 113-76, Consolidated Appropriations Acts, 2014.
4. State of Connecticut Wage Rates and Federal Minimum Wage Rates, as determined by the United States Department of Labor under the Davis-Bacon Act.
5. United States Environmental Protection Agency's Prohibition on Certain Telecommunications and Video Surveillance Services or Equipment implementing Section 889 of Public Law 115-232, effective August 13, 2020.

A certified check or bid bond in the amount of ten percent (10%) of the total bid amount must accompany the bid. Said checks or bid bonds will be returned to the unsuccessful bidders upon execution of a contract between the selected firm and the selected Contractor. If any bid is not accompanied by a bid bond or certified check at the specified time for receipt of proposals, the incomplete proposal will not be read and this action will constitute automatic rejection of the bid.

The successful bidder will be required to furnish a performance bond and a labor and materials payment bond to the Greater New Haven Water Pollution Control Authority and the selected Contractor for the amount of the total bid. A certified check cannot be substituted for either bond.

The Greater New Haven Water Pollution Control Authority reserves the right to alter quantities and accept or reject any or all bids or portions of any bids, for any or no reason, including unavailability of appropriated funds as it may deem to be in its best interests.

All bidders are to note that the award of this proposal is subject to the following conditions and contingencies:

1. The approval of such government agencies as may be required by law.
2. The appropriation of adequate funds by the proper agencies.
3. The Proposal Form as provided in these documents, submitted with all applicable certifications and documentation in accordance with the bid documents.

Greater New Haven Water Pollution Control Authority

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