

Greater New Haven
Water Pollution Control Authority

INVITATION
for Constructing

PROJECT: CWF - 2019-04

PROCESS AIR COMPRESSOR SYSTEM FOR LOW-LEVEL NITROGEN REMOVAL, EAST SHORE WATER POLLUTION ABATEMENT FACILITY

Sealed bids will be received at the Office of the Director of Finance and Administration of the Greater New Haven Water Pollution Control Authority located at 260 East Street, New Haven, Connecticut 06511 for **PROJECT: CWF 2019-04, PROCESS AIR COMPRESSOR SYSTEM FOR LOW-LEVEL NITROGEN REMOVAL, EAST SHORE WATER POLLUTION ABATEMENT FACILITY 11:00 AM Local Time on Wednesday, August 30, 2023** at which time and place said bids will be opened publicly or via video conference and read aloud.

The Project contemplated consists of providing all materials, equipment, labor, and supervision for the construction of a new process air compressor facility including, site civil work, relocation of underground utilities, abandonment of existing utilities, installing micropiles, construction of a new process air compressor building with an electrical room, installation of 6 process air compressor units, installation of process air piping and controls, demolition of existing process air piping and controls, construction of walk ways and sidewalks, repair to existing building masonry, repair to aeration basin construction joints, installation of site drainage, and paving of a new road. The process air compressor manufacturer and scope of supply have been preselected. Bidders will include the cost of the preselected equipment in their bid as shown on the Bid Form. The project duration is 750 calendar days.

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/>. The Plans and a "bid package" containing the Invitation; Labor Rates; Proposal; Special Specifications and Notes, can be obtained upon a non-refundable payment of Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00), payable by check made out to GNHWPCA. Anyone submitting a bid for this project must be listed with GNHWPCA as having purchased the "bid package" from GNHWPCA. Documents may be mailed or picked up By Appointment Only at 260 East Street, New Haven, Connecticut. Appointments to obtain the Standard Specifications, Plans, and Bid Package may be made by calling (203) 466-5280 ext. 346.

For clarification and to purchase Bidding Documents, contact both the Engineer and Owner electronically at the following email addresses:

Engineering@gnhwpca.com

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Address all emails to both email addresses.

A non-mandatory Pre-Bid Meeting will be held at 1:00 PM Local Time on Tuesday, August 8, 2023, at the East Shore Water Pollution Abatement Facility Operations Building, 345 East Shore Parkway (aka 10 Connecticut Ave) New Haven, CT.

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

1. Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) requirements, including Minority Business Enterprise (MBE) and Women Business Enterprise (WBE) participation in accordance with the most recent CT DEEP's CWF Memorandum which requires a compliance statement be submitted with the proposal, and submittal of the Clean Water Fund Subcontractor Verification Form with in (14) Calendar Days after bid opening to the municipality along with the corresponding DBE certification for each subcontractor.
2. Contractor and Subcontractor affirmative action to ensure equal opportunity for employment, as noted in the Governor's Executive Orders Three and Seventeen.
3. Any contract awarded under this invitation for bids 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 invitation for bids or any resulting contract. This procurement will be subject to the requirements contained in Title 22a, Section 22a-842-4, subsections (h), (j), and (o).
4. Bidders must hold a current State of Connecticut Department of Administrative Services (DAS) Sewer and Water Lines, Water Treatment Plants and General Building Construction (Group C) Prequalification Certificates.
5. American Iron and Steel (AIS) requirements of Section 436 of Public Law (P.L.) 113-76, Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2014.
6. State of Connecticut Wage Rates and Federal Minimum Wage Rates, as determined by the United States Department of Labor under the Davis-Bacon Act.

Each Bid must be submitted on the prescribed Bid Form and 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 Award of the Contract to the selected firm and execution of the Agreement. If any bid is not accompanied by a bid bond or check at the specified time for the bid opening, the incomplete bid 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 in the form as attached to the Bid Documents 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 to accept or reject any or all bids or any portion 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 Contract is subject to the following conditions and contingencies:

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

Gabriel Varca
Director of Finance