

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

SANDY SPRINGS WATER DISTRICT
6910 Highway 76
Pendleton, SC 29670

Sealed bids for the construction of Water System Improvements will be received by **SANDY SPRINGS WATER DISTRICT** (OWNER) located at **6910 Highway 76, Pendleton, SC 29670** until **2:00 PM** on **Thursday, February 15, 2024**, and then, at said place and time, publicly opened and read aloud.

Composition of work is as follows: Water System Improvements

SCIIP A-23-C174 WATER MAIN REPLACEMENT - DIVISION I & DIVISION II

Division I: Installation of 12,030 LF 16" water main, 7,860 LF 8" water main, 80 LF 6" water main, (16) fire hydrants, and related appurtenances to replace old lines in the service area, improve hydraulic characteristics of the system, and provide flow for fire protection.

Division II: Installation of 25,130 LF 16" water main, 160 LF 8" water main, 120 LF 3" water main, (18) fire hydrants, and related appurtenances to replace old lines in the service area, improve hydraulic characteristics of the system, and provide flow for fire protection.

The Contract Documents are open to public inspection and may be examined at:

SANDY SPRINGS WATER DISTRICT	or	Rosier Group
6910 Highway 76		110 West 1 st . Avenue, Suite D
Pendleton, SC 29670		Easley, SC 29640
864-646-7729		864-859-6900

A **highly encouraged non-mandatory** pre-bid conference will be held on **Thursday, February 8, 2024**, at **2:00 PM**.

Copies of the Contract Documents may also be obtained by prospective bidders and suppliers upon application to the Engineer, along with a non-refundable payment of \$200.00 per set. The set includes both Division I and Division II.

Should Division I be awarded in combination with Division II, then the award of the Contracts will be made to the lowest responsive and responsible bidder based on the combination cost of both Divisions. If the combination total of the lowest responsive received bids for the individual Divisions is less than a received responsive combination bid, the contract for the projects may be awarded to separate contractors.

Contractors shall complete and submit the Division of work corresponding to the award they are interested in perusing. Contractor is not required to bid on both Divisions to be eligible for award.

The SANDY SPRINGS WATER DISTRICT reserves the right to waive any irregularities and/or the right to reject any and/or all bids. The contract award will be evaluated based on the lowest responsible bid.

This project is being funded by a grant from ARPA and the South Carolina Rural Infrastructure Authority (RIA), and all Bidders must comply with all applicable state and federal requirements identified in the Contract documents. [SAM.GOV](https://sam.gov) registration will be used to verify debarment status as required. If a contractor cannot obtain SAM within 60 days, SANDY SPRINGS WATER DISTRICT would have the right to move forward with the second low bid.

Each Bidder must deposit with his bid, security in the amount, form and subject to the conditions provided for in the Information for Bidders.

No Bidder may withdraw his bid within ninety (90) days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

For work costing \$5,000 or more, the bidder must be qualified under the provisions of the South Carolina General & Mechanical Contracting Act of 2001, Chapter 11 – Title 40, as amended. Where a mechanical subcontract amounts to \$5,000 or more, the subcontractor shall be licensed under the same act.

January 8, 2024

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