ALBEMARLE COUNTY SERVICE AUTHORITY
CAMELOT WATER MAIN REPLACEMENT PROJECT
ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

The Albemarle County Service Authority (ACSA) is seeking proposals from qualified contractors to furnish and install approximately 7,010 linear feet 4", 6" and 8" diameter ductile iron pipe; a pressure reducing valve (PRV) and concrete vault; and associated interconnections, hydrants, water services, appurtenances, and abandonment of existing water mains, and restoration of the associated roads and surfaces disturbed during construction. Proposals will be received at the office of the Albemarle County Service Authority, 168 Spotnap Road, Charlottesville, Virginia 22911 until 2:00 p.m., local prevailing time, on April 1, 2020. At that time the bids will be opened and read aloud.

A non-mandatory Pre-Bid Conference will be held at the office of the Albemarle County Service Authority, 168 Spotnap Road, Charlottesville, Virginia 22911 at 10:00 a.m., local prevailing time, on March 18, 2020. The purpose of the conference is for bidders to familiarize themselves with the project and to ask questions pertaining to the Contract Documents. Bidders are reminded that no oral interpretations of meaning of drawings and specifications can be made. Conflicts in the Contract Documents, if any, will be resolved by written Addendum.

It is the bidder’s responsibility to visit the site to determine the scope of work necessary and to include all incidental work in the unit prices offered in this contract. Actual measured quantities shall be the basis for final payment made. Unit quantities in the Proposal Form are approximate only and for the purpose of comparing bids.

The Authority reserves the right to reject any or all proposals and to waive any irregularities or informalities in the proposals. Each proposal shall be accompanied by a bid guarantee in an amount equal to at least 5% (five percent) of the amount bid. At the option of the bidder, the guarantee may be certified check, bank draft, or bid guarantee. The bid guarantee shall ensure the execution of the contract as required by the specifications. The contract is to be awarded on the basis of the bidder’s qualifications and the total estimated cost on a unit price basis as stated in the Proposal.

Drawings and Project Manual for the above project may be obtained from the office of the Albemarle County Service Authority, 168 Spotnap Road, Charlottesville, Virginia 22911. No partial sets of the drawings and/or Project Manual will be issued. Contract Documents may be obtained upon a non-refundable payment of $50.00 per set. Prospective bidders shall furnish their complete street address with zip code, mailing address with zip code, and telephone and facsimile numbers. Contract Documents will be shipped via UPS ground service. Bidders requesting shipment by other carriers shall include a separate non-refundable check to provide for charges, or a valid account number with the designated carrier. Free pdf files of the Contract Documents can be obtained in lieu of hard copies.
Bidders must be licensed contractors in Virginia in accordance with Title 54.1, Chapter 11, of the Code of Virginia.

The bidder and its subcontractors must comply with the provisions of Executive Orders 11246, as amended, and 11375, which prohibit discrimination in employment regarding race, creed, color, sex, or national origin.

Bidders must certify that they do not, and will not, maintain or provide for their employees any facilities that are segregated on a basis of race, color, creed, or national origin.

Questions concerning the project should be addressed to Mr. Richard Nelson, Project Manager of the Albemarle County Service Authority at the above address and must be received no later than 5 days preceding the date of "Bid Opening."

Albemarle County Service Authority

Gary O'Connell, Executive Director