

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

**SCOUTMASTER LIFT STATION REPLACEMENT
PROJECT NO. 06-B8**

**COUNTY OF BUTLER
BUTLER COUNTY GOVERNMENT SERVICES CENTER
315 HIGH STREET
HAMILTON, OHIO 45011**

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Board of County Commissioners of Butler County, Ohio on the 6th Floor of the Butler County Government Services Center, 315 High Street, Hamilton, Ohio until 10:30 a.m. local time on Tuesday, June 14, 2011, and will be opened and read aloud at 10:45 a.m. or shortly thereafter in the Commissioners' Conference Room on the Sixth Floor in the Government Services Center, for the furnishing of all labor and materials required for the above lift station construction.

Work includes installation of in-ground concrete wet well, valve vault and two manholes, piping, submersible pumps, valves, generator, automatic transfer switch, paving, chain link fencing, electrical equipment, instrumentation, demolition of existing lift station.

Plans and Specifications are on file at the office of Butler County Water and Sewer Department, Butler County Administrative Center, 130 High Street, 5th Floor, Hamilton, Ohio. Copies of the Contract Documents, Plans and Specifications may be obtained at ARC Cincinnati, 2863 E. Sharon Road, Cincinnati, Ohio, 45241, on the web at their "Online Planroom" at www.qcrepro.com or at Phone # (513) 326-2300, Toll Free # 1-800-966-2260 or Fax # (513) 326-2312. Plans and Specifications will be provided to prospective bidders at cost (including shipping and handling), such cost to be determined once the plans and specifications are assembled and duplicated. PAYMENT CAN BE MADE TO ARC CINCINNATI.

Each proposal shall contain the full name and street address of the Bidder and every person or company interested in same. Each Bidder must submit evidence of its experience on projects of similar size and complexity. Each Bidder is required to complete the "Non Collusion Affidavit" and "Personal Property Tax Affidavit" and submit same with the proposal. Each proposal shall be accompanied by a Bid Guaranty and Contract Bond in accordance with Section 153.54 of the Ohio Revised Code (issued by a Surety Company or Corporation licensed in the State of Ohio to provide said surety) or Certified Check upon a solvent bank for the sum of ten (10%) of the amount of the bid submitted and made payable to "Butler County, Ohio, Board of County Commissioners," as a guarantee that if the bid is accepted, a contract will be entered into and performance properly secured by a contract bond in the amount of one hundred percent (100%) of the amount of the contract.

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Bids shall be sealed and shall be clearly marked on the outside of the package "BIDS FOR SCOUTMASTER LIFT STATION REPLACEMENT FOR THE WATER AND SEWER DEPARTMENT." Failure to submit bid proposals in conformance with the Contract Documents will result in "rejection of the bid as non-responsive."

All contractors and subcontractors involved with the project will, to the extent practicable, use Ohio products, materials, services and labor in the implementation of their project. Additionally, contractor compliance with the Equal Employment Opportunity Requirements of the Ohio Administrative Code Chapter 123, the Governor's Executive Order of 1972, and the Governor's Executive Order 84-9 shall be required. Attention of Bidders is called to all requirements contained in the Contract Documents, particularly to the State of Ohio Equal Employment Opportunity Requirements and Bid Conditions of OPWC-Assisted Construction Projects. Bidders must comply with the prevailing wage rates on Public Improvements in Butler County, Ohio, as determined by the Ohio Bureau of Employment Services, Wage & Hour Division, (614) 644-2239.

DOMESTIC STEEL USE REQUIREMENTS AS SPECIFIED IN SECTION 153.001 OF THE OHIO REVISED CODE APPLY TO THIS PROJECT. COPIES OF SECTION 153.001 OF THE REVISED CODE CAN BE OBTAINED FROM THE BUTLER COUNTY WATER AND SEWER DEPARTMENT.

The Owner intends and requires that this project be completed no later than 180 calendar days from the Notice to Proceed date, or approximately January 20, 2012.

Estimated cost is \$805,000.00 (eight hundred five thousand dollars).

The right is reserved by the County to reject any or all Bids, to waive formalities, to accept the lowest and best Bid and to hold Bids for a period of sixty (60) days after the bid opening for evaluating both the Proposals and Bidders. The award of the contract may be made at any time during that period.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF
COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
BUTLER COUNTY, OHIO

FLORA BUTLER, CLERK

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