

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Bids will be received by the Loxahatchee River Environmental Control District (the "District,") via DemandStar until **2:00 p.m.** local time on **October 12, 2021**. Any Bids received after 2:00 p.m. local time on **October 12, 2021**, will not be accepted under any circumstances. Any uncertainty regarding the time a Bid is received will be resolved against the Bidder. The Bids will be publicly opened and read aloud on **October 14, 2021** at **2:00 p.m.** local time in the Governing Board room of the District, at the above address. The Work to be performed is located in the Town of Jupiter, within Palm Beach County, and consists of furnishing all labor, tools, materials, and equipment necessary for the rehabilitation of an existing wastewater pump station as shown on the Contract Plans and Specifications and as specified herein to include:

ITB #21-009-00108:

MASTER LIFT STATION TRAVELING BRIDGE CRANE

Purchase and installation of one (1) 2-ton traveling bridge crane system at Loxahatchee River District's Master Lift Station No. 1. The selected Contractor shall furnish and install a traveling bridge crane and appurtenances capable of lifting and moving each pump assembly or valve through one of the two openings in the ceiling, where an existing A-frame hoist will then be utilized to move the pump assembly or valve out of the building. The selected Contractor shall be responsible for making all necessary electrical modifications and connections necessary for completion of the work. The selected Contractor will be responsible for determining and performing all foundations and structural improvements necessary for work completion.

The District reserves the right to determine material elements of the Bid and to award the Contract, if at all, to the lowest, qualified, responsive, and responsible Bidder. The District further reserves the right to reject any and all Bids; to not proceed with the Project; and/or to waive any irregularities contained in a Bid.

A mandatory pre-bid conference will be held at **2:00 p.m.**, local time on **September 30, 2021** at the Master Lift Station located at 860 W Indiantown Road, Jupiter, FL 33458. A meeting invite will be distributed to all plan holders prior to the scheduled date and time. If a bidder downloads Bid Documents from the District's website the bidder must send a request to be included in the pre-bid conference meeting invite to **purchasing@lrecd.org**. All contractors planning to submit Bids on this Project are encouraged to attend.

Bid Documents may be downloaded at the District's website, <https://loxahatcheeriver.org/governance/purchasing-bids/> or from DemandStar. Bid Documents will be available on **September 13, 2021** after **8:00 a.m.** local time. The Bid Documents are made available on the above terms solely for the purpose of obtaining Bids and do not confer a license or grant for any other use.

Character and amount of security to be furnished by each Bidder are stated in the Instruction to Bidders. The Bidder shall hold its Bid open for acceptance by the District for a period of not less than ninety (90) calendar days following the date of the Bid opening.

This solicitation has been issued as an Electronic Bid with the same title on DemandStar. To submit a response for this bid electronically follow the instructions on DemandStar. Electronic responses are the only method allowed for Bidders to respond to this solicitation. Bids shall be submitted on or before the date and time specified.

LOXAHATCHEE RIVER ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROL DISTRICT

Gordon M. Boggie, Chairman