

## City of Tacoma Environmental Services

## REQUEST FOR BIDS ES23-0069F SW Sewer Pipe Repl. N 8<sup>th</sup> & Pine

Submittal Deadline: 11:00 a.m., Pacific Time, Tuesday, March 5th, 2024

Submittals must be received by the City's Procurement and Payables Division prior to 11:00 a.m. Pacific Time.

For electronic submittals, the City of Tacoma will designate the time of receipt recorded by our email, <a href="mailto:sendbid@cityoftacoma.org">sendbid@cityoftacoma.org</a>, as the official time of receipt. This clock will be used as the official time of receipt of all parts of electronic bid submittals. For in person submittals, the City of Tacoma will designate the time of receipt recorded by the timestamp located at the lobby security desk, as the official time of receipt. Late submittals will be returned unopened and rejected as non-responsive.

**Submittal Delivery:** Sealed submittals will be received as follows:

## By Email:

sendbid@cityoftacoma.org

Maximum file size: 35 MB. Multiple emails may be sent for each submittal

## In Person:

Tacoma Public Utilities Administration Building North, Main Floor, Lobby Security Desk 3628 South 35<sup>th</sup> Street Tacoma, WA 98409 Monday – Friday 8:00 am to 4:30 pm

**Bid Opening:** Submittals must be received by the City's Procurement and Payables Division prior to 11:00 a.m. Pacific Time. Sealed submittals in response to a RFB will be opened Tuesday's at 11:15 AM by a purchasing representative and read aloud during a public bid opening held at the Tacoma Public Utilities Administrative Building North, 3628 S. 35<sup>th</sup> Street, Tacoma, WA 98409, conference room M-1, located on the main floor. They will also be held virtually Tuesday's at 11:15 AM. Attend <u>via this link</u> or call 1 (253) 215 8782. Submittals in response to an RFP, RFQ or RFI will be recorded as received. As soon as possible, after 1:00 PM, on the day of submittal deadline, preliminary results will be posted to <u>www.TacomaPurchasing.org.</u>

**Solicitation Documents:** An electronic copy of the complete solicitation documents may be viewed and obtained at the City's plan distribution service provider, ARC, 632 Broadway, Tacoma, WA, or by going to <a href="http://www.e-arc.com/location/tacoma">http://www.e-arc.com/location/tacoma</a>. Prospective bidders will be required to pay reproduction costs. A list of vendors registered for this solicitation is also available at their website.

**Pre-Proposal Meeting:** A pre-proposal meeting will be held virtually from 10:30 am - 11:30 am on February 26th, 2024 to answer questions regarding the project in general as well as the Equity in Contracting (EIC) and Local Employment and Apprenticeship Training Program (LEAP) requirements included in the Contract. Prospective bidders are encouraged to attend this meeting. You can join the meeting by visiting the below link and entering the provided meeting ID and passcode.

https://www.microsoft.com/en-us/microsoft-teams/join-a-meeting

Meeting ID: 289 940 066 349 with Passcode: vMSRdo.

**Project Scope:** This Contract shall generally consist of removing and replacing existing storm sewer mains and manholes, pavement replacement and patching, curb ramp construction and landscape restoration, all in accordance with the Contract Plans, these Contract Provisions, and the Standard Specifications.

Estimate: 1.1 Million

**Paid Sick Leave:** The City of Tacoma requires all employers to provide paid sick leave in accordance with Washington State law.

Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA Information: The City of Tacoma, in accordance with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act (Section 504) and the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), commits to nondiscrimination on the basis of disability, in all of its programs and activities. Specification materials can be made available in an alternate format by emailing the contact listed below in the *Additional Information* section.

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**Title VI Information:** "The City of Tacoma" in accordance with provisions of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, (78 Stat. 252, 42 U.S.C. sections 2000d to 2000d-4) and the Regulations, hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively ensure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, disadvantaged business enterprises will be afforded full and fair opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, national origin in consideration of award.

**Additional Information:** Requests for information regarding the specifications may be obtained by contacting Dawn DeJarlais by email to ddejarlais@cityoftacoma.org.

**Protest Policy:** City of Tacoma protest policy, located at <a href="www.tacomapurchasing.org">www.tacomapurchasing.org</a>, specifies procedures for protests submitted prior to and after submittal deadline.



Meeting sites are accessible to persons with disabilities. Reasonable accommodations for persons with disabilities can be arranged with 48 hours advance notice by calling 253-502-8468.

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