

SECTION 00100
ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

1. **Sealed Bids:** Sealed bids for construction of the projects entitled **15th Avenue S.E. Sewer Replacement** will be received until **2:00 p.m. on Wednesday June 2, 2021** at the City of Utilities Department, Conference Room, 2701 1st Avenue SE, Moultrie, GA 31788, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. No bid may be withdrawn after the closing time for the receipt of bids for a period of sixty (60) days.

2. **Work to be Done:** The work shall generally consist of furnishing all products and performing all labor necessary to accomplish the following (see plans and specifications for complete details & description):

Installation of approximately 731 L.F. of 21” PVC sanitary sewer main, 45 V.F. of manholes, and include all erosion control measures, pavement replacement, curb & gutter replacement, concrete replacement, and all related work to complete the project per the plans and specifications. The City is purchasing the pipe, manhole, ring, and covers for the project directly separate from this Bid and will provide materials to awarded Bidder. The work will be awarded in one (1) contract.

This project is an emergency replacement of a collapsed sewer main that has compromised 15th Avenue S.E. The awarded Bidder should plan to start construction as soon as contracts are signed and materials are available.

3. **Specifications & Contract Documents:** Plans, Specifications and Contract Documents are on file at Carter & Sloope, Inc.’s Moultrie office and the City of Moultrie Utilities Department. Copies may be obtained from Carter & Sloope, Inc., 24 1st Avenue N.E., Moultrie, GA 31768, Phone: 229-668-0663, Fax: 229-668-0669, upon payment of \$300.00 per set. Payment for Specifications and Contract Documents is non-refundable.

4. **Bonds:** Bids shall be accompanied by a bid bond or certified cashier’s check in an amount not less than 10% of the base bid. All bonds shall be by a surety company licensed in Georgia with an “A” minimum rating of performance and a financial strength of at least five (5) times the contract price as listed in the most current publication of “Best’s Key Rating Guide Property Liability”. Performance and Payment Bonds, each in an amount equal to 100% of the contract price shall be required of the successful Bidder if contract is awarded. Each Bond shall be accompanied by a “Power of Attorney” authorizing the attorney-in-fact to bind the surety and certified to include the date of the Bond.

5. **Permits:** All necessary permits for this project are expected to be acquired prior to construction.

6. **Land Acquisition/Easements:** No land acquisition is expected to be required for this project.

7. **Reservation of Rights:** Owner reserves the right to reject any or all Bids, including without limitation, the rights to reject any or all nonconforming, nonresponsive, unbalanced or conditional Bids and to reject the Bid of any Bidder if Owner believes that it would not be in the best interest of the Project to make an award to that Bidder, whether because the Bid is not responsive or the Bidder is unqualified or of doubtful financial ability or fails to meet any other pertinent standard or criteria established by the Owner.

City of Moultrie
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