

SECTION 00100

**ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS
BID NO. XEW31**

Owner: Whitman County Board of County Commissioners
400 N. Main Street
Colfax, WA 99111
Phone: (509) 397-6200 (main)
Mark Storey, PE (509) 397-5204

Project: Carothers Road Solid Waste Facility
Contact Water and Fire Suppression Water Holding Tanks Project

Engineer: Travis Pyle, PE
Great West Engineering, Inc.
3363 N. Lakeharbor Lane
Boise, ID 83703
(208) 576-6671

Sealed Bids for the Project will be received in paper copy form by Whitman County Board of County Commissioners, State of Washington, at its office in the Whitman County Courthouse in Colfax, WA, **until 11 am Pacific Time, on Monday, April 17, 2017**, at which time all bids will be opened and publicly read. Any Bids received after the specified time will not be considered. Whitman County is not liable for delayed mail service or other delays that may cause the Bidder's bid package to not arrive on time. It is the Bidder's responsibility to ensure that their Bid is received on time and at the correct location. Bids received after the date and time prescribed for the opening of bids, or not submitted at the correct location or in the designated manner, will not be accepted and will be returned to the Bidder unopened. Refer to the Instructions to Bidders for a list of items that are required in the bid.

Each bid shall be separately sealed in an envelope and addressed to the Whitman County Board of County Commissioners with the name of the Bidder and the project name clearly written or typed on the outside of the envelope. **NO FACSIMILIES OR EMAILS WILL BE ACCEPTED.**

Handicap access to the Whitman County Courthouse is available at the Mill Street Entrance.

The Project contemplated consists of improving the contact water collection and storage system and adding a fire suppression water holding tank at the Carothers Road Solid Waste Facility.

For information concerning this project, contact Mark Storey, Director/County Engineer at the Whitman County Department of Public Works – (509) 397-5204, or David Nails, Solid Waste & Recycling Director at the Carothers Road Solid Waste Facility – (509) 334-2400.

Notice to Proceed (NTP) will be granted no later than **August 14, 2017**. The Work shall be Substantially Complete within **90 calendar days** of NTP, and completed in all respects no later than **30 calendar days** after Substantial Completion is granted.

Once the contract is awarded, the Contractor is encouraged to receive submittal approval by the Engineer for tanks and lift stations and have them delivered to the site before receiving the NTP, based on known long lead times for these products. The County will work closely with the Contractor to provide an area for the Contractor's staging and material laydown before the NTP is granted.

Bidding Documents may be obtained from the *Issuing Office*: Whitman County Department of Public Works, 310 N. Main Street, Colfax, WA 99111 – (509) 397-6210, upon payment in the amount of \$40.00 for each set. Only half size drawings will be provided in the hardcopy form of the Bidding Documents. Bidding Documents are also available in electronic form by downloading from www.whitmancounty.org. Engineer's computer-aided engineering (CAE) surfaces are not available for bidding. Return of the documents is not required, and the amount paid for hardcopies of the Bidding Documents is nonrefundable.

To receive bidding documents by mail, make arrangements with the Whitman County Department of Public Works for purchase and applicable shipping charges. Include a check or money order in the amount noted above, plus the applicable shipping costs. Any cause of delay for the Contractor not receiving documents in time to bid the Project is not the responsibility of Whitman County.

Each Bid must be submitted on the prescribed (enclosed) Bid Form and accompanied by a Bid Security as stated in the Instruction to Bidders.

The successful Bidder will be required to furnish the additional bond(s) and insurance as required in the Bidding Documents.

In order to be eligible to submit a Bid on public work in the State of Washington, Bidders and their Subcontractor(s) shall hold such licenses and registrations as required in the Revised Code of Washington (RCW), and all federal and local Laws and Regulations.

Bidders are required to comply with the State of Washington RCW 39.30.060 requirements as they relate to identification of Subcontractors.

Each Bidder shall submit as part of their Bid, the names of all Subcontractors for the performance categories of Work designated on the list to be provided with the Bid or whose subcontract is more than 10% of the Contract Price with whom the Bidder, if awarded the Contract, will subcontract the Work. The Bidder shall indicate by naming itself for any categories of Work that the Contractor will self-perform. Failure to name such Subcontractors or itself will render the Bidder's Bid nonresponsive, and therefore, null and void.

A **mandatory** Pre-Bid Conference will be held at **10 am Pacific Time, on Thursday, April 6, 2017** at the Carothers Road Solid Waste Facility (252 Landfill Road, Pullman, WA 99163). Representatives of the Owner and Engineer will be present to discuss the Project. Bidders are required to have a company representative attend the meeting in-person. Refer to the Instructions to Bidders for additional information.

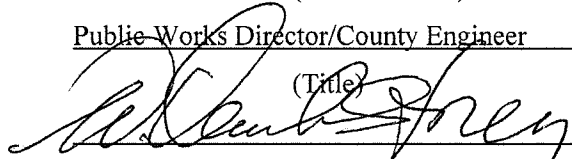
The Owner reserves the right to reject any and all Bids, or any Bid not conforming to the intent and purpose of the Bidding Documents. No Bidder may withdraw their Bid within 60 days after the actual Bid Opening.

Mark Storey, PE

(Printed Name)

Public Works Director/County Engineer

(Title)

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Mark Storey', is written over a horizontal line. The signature is fluid and cursive.

(Signature)

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