

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Directors of the San Joaquin Area Flood Control Agency (SJAFCA), Stockton, California, will receive sealed bids as follows:

BID DATE: **March 12th, 2020**

SUBMIT BIDS TO: **ATTN: Juan Neira
22 E. Weber Ave,
3rd Floor Front Desk
Stockton, CA 95202
Until 2:00 P.M. (Local Time)**

FOR: **CONTRACT 20-01**

ESTIMATED CONSTRUCTION COST: **\$42,000,000 - \$48,000,000**

CONTRACTOR'S CALIFORNIA LICENSE AND/OR CLASS REQUIRED: **License Classification A,
General Engineering Contractor**

MANDATORY PRE-BID MEETING DATE; TIME; AND LOCATION: **January 28th, 2020 at 10:00 a.m.;
meet at 22 E. Weber Ave, Room
166 Stockton CA, 95202**

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: **The work performed under this Contract includes the furnishing of all labor, materials, equipment and supervision for:**

The Smith Canal Gate Project will include a fixed cellular sheetpile floodwall, miter gate structure including temporary in-water works and shoring, improvements to Dad's Point, and additional access improvements to the Stockton Golf and Country Club. Complete details and requirements for the improvements are provided in the Plans and Specifications.

A mandatory pre-bid meeting will be held for the purpose of reviewing and answering questions regarding this project. Any interested contractor or his/her agent may attend - attendance is mandatory. Contractors must ensure that their company name and company representative name is recorded on the sign-in sheet provided at the meeting. Representatives of SJAFCA will be present for questions.

An optional pre-bid inspection and walk-through will be held after the mandatory pre-bid meeting. Any interested contractor or his/her agent must coordinate their own access to the site.

Award of this contract requires the bidder to have a valid California contractor's license with the classifications identified above. These requirements shall be met at the time of the bid opening. Award of the contract also requires the bidder to demonstrate, to the satisfaction of SJAFCA, that the bidder possesses the experience required to perform the work specified in the contract. Bidders are required to submit Bid Form Attachment C - Bidders Experience Questionnaire with their bid.

Bidding Documents can be obtained from:
**ARC Document Solutions
1421 North El Dorado Street
Stockton, CA 95202
(209) 464-8724**

Prospective Bidders may examine the Bidding Documents. Alternatively, electronic copies of the Bidding Documents may be obtained during normal business hours or by ordering online with the Issuing Office via either:

- **Email:** stk.branch@e-arc.com or
- **PlanWell:** <http://www.e-arc.com/location/stockton/>
- Scroll down to "Planrooms" and click on "Order from PlanWell"
- Go to "Public Planroom" and click "Go"
- Search for: "Smith Canal Gate Project"

All Bidders must have a valid and active email address and have and/or create an online PlanWell account with ARC. There will be separate fees to be paid to ARC for electronic files and if bidder desires hard copy files or a combination of both.

Each bid must be submitted on the bid form provided in the Contract Documents. Each bid must also be accompanied by security for an amount not less than ten percent (10%) of the aggregate sum of the bid in the form of a bid bond issued by a corporate surety, a certified check or cashier's check payable to SJAFCA, or cash.

The successful bidder shall be required to execute a Material and Labor Payment Bond and a Performance Bond, issued by a corporate surety, acceptable to SJAFCA, each for not less than one hundred percent (100%) of the contract price.

SJAFCA encourages the submission of bids and sub-bids by veteran-owned, minority-owned and womenowned business enterprises.

This is a public works project in accordance with Section 1720 of the California Labor Code. No contractor or subcontractor may be listed on a bid proposal for a public works project unless registered with the Department of

Industrial Relations pursuant to Labor Code section 1725.5 [with limited exceptions from this requirement for bid purposes only under Labor Code section 1771.1(a)]. No contractor or subcontractor may be awarded a contract for public work on a public works project unless registered with the Department of Industrial Relations pursuant to Labor Code section 1725.5.

This is a construction project in accordance with Section 1771.5 of the California Labor Code. This contract is subject to: (1) Federal Labor Standards Provisions as required by the Davis-Bacon Act and other applicable Federal requirements, (2) Equal Employment Opportunity requirements pursuant to Executive Order 11246, and (3) Minority Business Enterprise (MBE) development pursuant to Executive Order 12432.

All labor on the project shall be paid no less than the minimum wage rates as established by the U.S. Secretary of Labor or as determined by the Director of the California Department of Industrial Relations.

The higher of the two rates will be paid in accordance with the following acts and codes:

- (1) The Davis-Bacon Act, and
- (2) Section 1770, and following, of the California Labor Code.

Copies of the minimum wage rates established by the Secretary of the U.S. Department of Labor (www.wdol.gov) and the prevailing rate of per diem wages as determined by the Director of the California Department of Industrial Relations (<http://www.dir.ca.gov/OPRL/PWD/index.htm>) are on file at the office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, San Joaquin County, 44 North San Joaquin Street, Sixth Floor, Suite 627, Stockton, CA 95202. These copies shall be made available to any interested party upon request.

The Agency will not accept lower State wage rates not specifically included in the Federal Minimum Wage Decision. This includes "helper" (or other classifications based on hours of experience) or any other classification not appearing in the Federal Wage Decision. Where the Federal Wage Decision does not contain the State wage rate determination otherwise available for use by the Contractor and subcontractors, the Contractor and subcontractors shall pay not less than the Federal minimum wage rate which most closely approximates the duties of the employees in question.

Pursuant to California Contract Code Section 22300, the contractor may, at its own expense, substitute securities for any money being withheld by SJAFCA to ensure performance under this contract. SJAFCA's Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to waive any informality in any bid, and to determine which bid, in the judgment of the Board, is the lowest responsive bid of a responsible bidder.

NOTE ALL QUESTIONS AND CORRESPONDENCE CONCERNING THIS NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS SHALL BE DIRECTED AS FOLLOWS:

Mr. David Carr Tel: (209) 946-0268
 dcarr@ksjinc.com
(Include "Contract No. 20-01" in subject line of e-mail correspondence.)

General and limited questions may be answered by telephone. More detailed questions shall be submitted in writing. Questions will be accepted until March 5th, 2020 at 2 p.m. Written responses to questions provided prior to March 5th, 2020 at 2 p.m. will be made by addendum.

By order of the Board of Directors of the San Joaquin Area Flood Control Agency at Stockton, California, Resolution No. 19-31 dated July 18, 2019.

CHRIS ELIAS, Executive Director
San Joaquin Area Flood Control Agency

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