## OFFICIAL NOTICE TO BIDDERS

## GREEN BAY METROPOLITAN SEWERAGE DISTRICT DE PERE, WISCONSIN DE PERE FACILITY PUMPING AND HEADWORKS PROJECT CONTRACT 220013

Sealed Bids for the De Pere Facility Pumping and Headworks Project will be delivered to the Green Bay Metropolitan Sewerage District (GBMSD) (OWNER) by prequalified Bidders only through the Quest project site. Please contact QuestCDN.com at (952) 233-1632 or info@questcdn.com for any assistance or information related to Quest project number 9553525.

Electronic Bids for the construction of the Project will be received by OWNER until Tuesday, April 15, 2025, at 10 A.M., local time. At that time the Bids received will be publicly downloaded and read aloud via teleconference. The login information for the teleconference is as follows: (309) 205-3325, Conference ID 951 6979 5225.

The Project includes the following Work: Replace two mechanical screens and associated screenings wash presses, replace vertical shaft influent pumps, add vortex grit removal, replace grit pumps and grit washers, add scum removal tanks and equipment, add scum removal pumps, piping, associated demolition, structural, mechanical, and electrical work.

A mandatory pre-bid meeting will be held Tuesday, March 18, 2025, at the Green Bay Metropolitan Sewerage District De Pere Facility, 315 Leonard Street, De Pere, WI 54115, where a meeting and site tour will occur at 10 A.M. local time. Bids will not be accepted from Bidders that do not have a representative at the pre-bid conference.

Complete digital Project Bidding Documents are available at <a href="www.strand.com">www.questcdn.com</a>. Download the digital Bidding Documents for \$75 by inputting Quest project number 9553525 on the website's project search page. Please contact QuestCDN.com at (952) 233-1632 or <a href="mailto:info@questcdn.com">info@questcdn.com</a> for assistance with free membership registration, downloading, and working with this digital Project information. Paper sets of Project Documents will not be made available.

For this Project, Bids will <u>ONLY</u> be received and accepted via the online electronic Bid service through QuestCDN.com. To access the electronic Bid Form, download the Project Documents and click the Online Bidding button.

The Issuing Office is Strand Associates, Inc.®, 910 West Wingra Drive, Madison, WI 53715.

Bidders who submit a Bid must be a Plan Holder of record at the Issuing Office. Bids from Bidders who are not on the Plan Holders List may be returned as not being responsive.

Questions regarding the Project should be directed to Strand Associates, Inc.®, Attention: Glenn Tranowski, P.E., telephone: (608) 251-4843, e-mail: glenn.tranowski@strand.com.

PRE-BID QUALIFICATION: Bidders, general contractors, and electrical, mechanical, and system integrator subcontractors must be prequalified by GBMSD. Bids received from Bidders who have not been prequalified by GBMSD or prequalified Bidders listing subcontractors who have not been prequalified will not be considered and their bids will be considered unresponsive. It is mandatory that all contractors who intend to be listed: (a) fully complete the Prequalification Information Request; and (b)

be approved by GBMSD in order to be on the final qualified Bidders list. Bidders shall use the Prequalification Information Request form provided with the Bidding Document sets.

This Prequalification Information Request is exclusive to this De Pere Facility Pumping and Headworks Project. Prequalification for this project does not imply that the contractor will be prequalified for other current or future GBMSD projects.

Prequalification forms submitted by applicants are not public records and are not open to public inspection. All information provided will be kept confidential to the extent permitted by law. However, the contents may be disclosed to third parties for the purpose of verification or subsequent investigations.

Prequalification Information Requests must be received by 10 A.M., local time, Wednesday, March 19, 2025. Documents shall be directed to GBMSD securely sealed and endorsed upon the outside wrapper, "PREQUALIFICATION INFORMATION REQUEST FOR DE PERE FACILITY PUMPING AND HEADWORK PROJECT" and addressed to Tyler Biese, Staff Engineer, at GBMSD, 2231 North Quincy Street, Green Bay, WI 54302. Forms received after the specified time will not be considered.

Each application submitting a Prequalification Information Request will be notified individually of their prequalification status by Wednesday, March 26, 2025.

LEGAL PROVISIONS: The Contract letting shall be subject to the provisions of Sections 200.11, 66.0901, and 779.15 of the Wisconsin statutes.

CONTRACT SECURITY: The Bidder to whom a Contract is awarded shall furnish a Performance Bond and a Payment Bond each in an amount equal to the Contract Price.

BID REJECTION/ACCEPTANCE: OWNER reserves the right to reject any and all Bids, waive informalities in bidding, or to accept the Bid or Bids, which best serves the interests of OWNER.

BID WITHDRAWAL: No Bid shall be withdrawn for a period of 115 days after the scheduled opening of the Bids without the consent of OWNER.

BID SECURITY: The Bid must be accompanied by Bid security made payable to OWNER in an amount of 5% of the Bidder's maximum Bid price.

PROJECT FUNDING: Any Contract or Contracts to be awarded are expected to be funded with assistance from the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources Clean Water Fund Program and is subject to all applicable State and Federal laws and regulations. Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (DBEs), including Women's and Minority-owned businesses, are encouraged to submit Bids for this Project.

Bidders must demonstrate positive efforts to utilize DBEs. Failure to comply could result in disqualification of Bidder and termination of financial assistance or other sanctions. The successful Bidder will be required to conform to the wage requirements prescribed by the federal Davis-Bacon and Related Acts. All iron and steel products used on the project shall be produced in the United States and comply with the American Iron and Steel requirements. Bidders shall comply with President's Executive Order 11246, Equal Employment Opportunity as amended.

For further requirements regarding Bid submittal, qualifications, procedures, and Contract Award, refer to the Instructions to Bidders that are included in the Bidding Documents.

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