

CONTRACT No.:51/2018

DESCRIPTION:

DOC. FEE:R700

CLOSING DATE:20 December 2018

THE APPOINTMENT OF CONTRACTOR FOR THE UPGRADING AND REFURBISHMENT OF SEWER PUMP-STATIONS IN LESEDI, GAUTENG.

Bidders must note that certain works under this Bid may only be constructed using labour-based construction methods and must limit the utilization of their permanently employed personnel to Key Personnel and all other personnel and labourers must be recruited locally.

Bidders must be registered with the Construction Industry Development Board (CIDB) in a contractor grading designation determined in accordance with the sum tendered for a **6 ME** class of construction work. Enterprises who have a **5 ME PE** grading may not submit bids.

Acceptable bids will be evaluated by using a system that awards points on the basis of **80 points** for bid price and a maximum of **20 points** for the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment (B-BBEE) status level of contributor.

PLEASE NOTE THAT A VALID ORIGINAL OR COPY OF A COMPANY'S TAX CLEARANCE CERTIFICATE (OR IN THE CASE OF A JOINT VENTURE, OF ALL THE PARTNERS IN THE JOINT VENTURE) MUST BE SUBMITTED WITH THE BID DOCUMENT.

A compulsory site clarification meeting will be held at **10:00 am on Tuesday, 11 December 2018**. Prospective bidders are requested to meet on the said date and time at Infrastructure Services Boardroom of the Lesedi Local Municipality. Bid documentation will not be available at the compulsory site clarification meeting and the Employer's Agent will **not** be available for inspection purposes on any other date and time.

Bids are to be completed in accordance with the conditions and bid rules contained in the bid documents and supporting documents must be sealed and externally endorsed with the **CONTRACT NUMBER and DESCRIPTION** and placed in the **Tender Box**, at the Supply Chain Management Office, Municipal Building, c/o HF Verwoerd and Du Preez Street, Heidelberg, not later than **12:00pm on Thursday, 20 December 2018**. Bids will be opened immediately thereafter, in public, in the Infrastructure Services Boardroom Room, at above-mentioned address. **All bids shall be valid for 90 days as from the closing date of bids.**

Bids must be placed in the Tender Box situated at the Supply Chain Management, Municipal Building, c/o HF Verwoerd and Du Preez Street, Heidelberg, during office hours Monday to Friday from 07:30hrs till 1600hrs. The tender closes on 20 December 2018 at 12:00pm. No late, or e-mailed or faxed bids will be considered. All objections and complaints must be lodge within 14 days and in writing to the Municipal Manager's Office.

Bidder's attention is specifically drawn to the provisions of the rules which are included in the bid documents. The Lesedi Local Municipality (LLM) reserves the right not to award to the lowest priced proposal, it normally awards the contract to the tenderer who proves to be fully capable of handling the contract and whose proposal is technically acceptable, has meaningful empowerment credentials and/or is financially advantageous to the Lesedi Local Municipality. Bids completed in pencil will be regarded as invalid bids.

Only bidders who score 65 points or more for functionality will be further evaluated on Price and Preference Points.

The bid is expected to be below R50 Million and therefore the 80/20 preference procurement point system will apply and preference will be given to bidders who are able to demonstrate the following:

- a) Price 80 points
- b) B-BBEE Status Level of Contribution 20 points

All service providers must submit their B-BBEE Verification Certificate from Verification Agencies accredited by the South African National Accreditation Systems (SANAS) or a Registered Auditor approved by the Independent Regulatory Board of Auditors (IRBA) or an Accounting Officer as contemplated in the Close Corporation Act (CCA) in order to claim preference points.

It is a condition of bid that the taxes of the successful bidder must be in order, or that satisfactory arrangements have been made with South African Revenue Service (SARS) to meet the bidder's tax obligations. Additionally, no contract shall be concluded with any bidder, whose municipal rates and taxes and service charges are in arrears. All bidders must ensure that they are registered on the National Treasury Central Supplier Database via the following link: business.support@csd.gov.za. No business will be conducted with any person who is not registered on this database.

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