

**ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS**

PART 1 GENERAL

1.1 Receipt of Bids

- A. Sealed proposals will be received by the Fox River Water Reclamation District for the project entitled “ADP WRF Building 10 GBT Polymer System Upgrades” until April 12, 2022 at 2:00 PM at the Office of the Fox River Water Reclamation District (FRWRD), 1957 North LaFox Street, South Elgin, IL 60177. The sealed bids will be publicly opened and read aloud at the FRWRD Offices immediately afterwards. Sealed bids shall be addressed to the Fox River Water Reclamation District (FRWRD) 1957 North LaFox Street, South Elgin, IL 60177 and shall be labeled “Bid for ADP WRF Building 10 GBT Polymer System Upgrades.”
- B. Bidders will be required to comply with the President's Executive Order No. 11246, as amended. The requirements for bidders and contractors under this order are explained in 41 CFR 60-4.

1.2 Work Description

- A. The proposed work consists of removal of the existing polymer system, piping, and appurtenances and installation of new polymer blending and feed skids (Polymer Feed Units), interconnecting water and polymer piping, electrical system and integration in to the existing control panels and SCADA system. The work also includes installation of a protected water fill tank and pump skid, and a filter on the treated effluent supply (W3).

1.3 Document Inspection and Procurements

- A. The Contract Documents may be inspected at the following locations.

- 1. FRWRD  
1957 North LaFox Street  
South Elgin, IL 60177  
847/742-2068
- 2. Trotter and Associates, Inc.  
40W201 Wasco Road, Suite D  
St. Charles, Illinois 60175  
630/587-0470

B. Copies of the Contract Documents may be purchased from:

Trotter and Associates, Inc.  
40W201 Wasco Road Suite D  
St. Charles, Illinois 60175  
630/587-0470

Payment for Contract Documents is non-refundable and shall be payable to Trotter and Associates, Inc. in the form of cash, certified check or money order. No partial sets of specifications or drawings will be issued. The non-refundable cost for hard-copies of drawings and specifications is \$100.00. The non-refundable cost for electronic (PDF) copies of drawings and specifications is \$50.00. Addenda will be issued only to plan holders. Questions should be directed to Jillian Kiss, P.E. (630) 587-0470, [j.kiss@trotter-inc.com](mailto:j.kiss@trotter-inc.com).

1.4 Bonds

- A. Each bid shall be accompanied by a bid bond, cashier's check, or certified check payable to the order of the FRWRD, South Elgin, Illinois, in an amount not less than ten (10) percent of the amount of the bid, as a guaranty that the bidder will execute the contract, if it is awarded, in conformity with the bid form.
- B. The successful bidder will be required to furnish Performance and Payment Bonds on forms provided in the Specifications and Contract Documents, each in an amount equal to 100 percent of the contract price.

1.5 Pre-Bid Conference

- A. A non-mandatory pre-bid meeting will be held at 10:00 AM March 29, 2022 at the Fox River Water Reclamation District Office 1957 North LaFox Street, South Elgin, IL 60177

1.6 Wage Rates

- A. Prevailing Wage Rates as defined by the Illinois Department of Labor for Kane County shall apply to this contract.
- B. Rates can be obtained online at <http://www.state.il.us/agency/idol/rates/ODDMO/KANE9999.htm>

## 1.7 Rejection of Bids

- A. The Owner expressly reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to accept the bid, which appears to be in the best interest of the Owner. The Owner expressly reserves the right to waive any informalities or technical irregularities in a bid if to do so is in the best interest of the Owner.

Dated this March 11, 2022

Fox River Water Reclamation District, Elgin IL

Mr. Benjamin P. Bernal  
President

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