

February 14, 2022

INVITATION TO BIDDERS FOR PREQUALIFICATION FORM COMPLETION

RE: 2022 DOG RIVER PIPELINE CONSTRUCTION PROJECT CONTRACT NO. 2022 - 001

Dear Contractor,

The City of The Dalles, Department of Public Works, will be soliciting bids for the upcoming 2022 Dog River Pipeline and Construction Project, Contract No. 2022-00. This work includes approximately 20,000 feet of 30inch HDPE Pipe, and a pipeline and culvert crossing of Brooks Meadow Creek. It is anticipated that the project will advertise for bids on or near March 25, 2022. Note that the fish screen and fish passage systems will not be included in this first bid package, but will be bid separately later in 2022. A mandatory pre-bid meeting for the project was held on the project site on October 14, 2021. Only Contractors that were present at that mandatory pre-bid meeting will be allowed to submit a bid as a Prime Contractor for this project. Because of the size of the project and the requirement of attendance at the mandatory pre-bid meeting, the City is seeking completion of the Pre-qualification Form for the project in advance of the Advertisement for Bids to determine what Prime Contractors will be qualified and eligible to submit a bid for the project. As an attendee at the October 14, 2021 mandatory pre-bid meeting your firm is invited and encouraged to submit a pre-qualification response. The project is expected to require 2 construction seasons to complete, with anticipated final completion in November 2023. This pre-qualification process is intended to pre-qualify firms for both the pipeline construction package, and the fish screen/fish passage systems contracts.

Electronic copies of the pre-qualification form for the 2022 Dog River Pipeline Construction Project, Contract No. 2022-001 can be downloaded from the city's website at:

http://www.ci.the-dalles.or.us/current_job_openings.htm. Bidder will be responsible for checking the website regularly for additional information on the project and actual Bid advertisement.

Bidders must be prequalified in accordance with the laws of the State of Oregon. Prequalification forms shall be sent via email to <u>danderson@ci.the-dalles.or.us</u> and must be received by <u>March 9, 2022 at 4:00 p.m. Pacific</u> <u>Standard Time. The City anticipates making determination of pre-qualified bidders within 2 weeks of the closing date for this invitation for prequalification.</u>

Questions or comments regarding the project pre-qualification form must be submitted by email directed to Dave Anderson, Project Manager at <u>danderson@ci.the-dalles.or.us</u>.

Sincerely,

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Dave Anderson, Public Works Director/Project Manager City of The Dalles Invitation to Bidders 2022 Dog River

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