

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed proposals will be received by the N.C. Department of Natural and Cultural Resources, Division of Parks and Recreation, in Henderson, NC, at the Kerr Lake State Recreation Area Visitors Center, 6254 Satterwhite Point Road, Henderson, NC 27537 up to 2:00 pm, October 29, 2024 and immediately thereafter publicly opened and read for the furnishing of labor, material and equipment entering into the construction of

Kerr Lake State Recreation Area – Water Improvements SCO ID# 23-26850-01A

The Project consists of the installation of approximately 5,100 linear feet of 8-inch waterline, 3,400 linear feet of 6-inch waterline, 3,900 linear feet of 4-inch waterline, connections to the existing park potable water distribution system, and disconnection of two (2) existing wells including all valving, hydrants, meters, and backflow prevention devices, plus all other work indicated in the contract documents.

Bids will be received for General Construction – Single Prime. All proposals shall be lump sum.

Pre-Bid Meeting

A mandatory pre-bid meeting will be held for all interested bidders at the Kerr Lake State Recreation Area Visitors Center on October 10, 2024 at 2:00 pm. The meeting will address project specific questions, issues, bidding procedures and bid forms.

Complete plans, specifications and contract documents will be open for inspection in the offices of Finch & Associates, 3010 Anderson Dr. Suite 170, Raleigh, NC 27609, and in the online plan rooms of Duncan Parnell and in Minority Plan Rooms as follows:

***East Coast Digital – Minority Plan Room Provider 703 SE Greenville Blvd, Greenville, NC
27858, 252-758-1616***

or may be obtained by those qualified as prime bidders, upon deposit of one-hundred and fifty dollars (\$ 150.00) in cash or certified check. The full plan deposit will be returned to those bidders provided all documents are returned in good, usable condition within ten (10) days after the bid date.

NOTE: The bidder shall include with the bid proposal the form *Identification of Minority Business Participation* identifying the minority business participation it will use on the project and shall include either *Affidavit A* or *Affidavit B* as applicable. Forms and instructions are included within the Proposal Form in the bid documents. Failure to complete these forms is grounds for rejection of the bid. (GS143-128.2c Effective 1/1/2002.)

All contractors are hereby notified that they must have proper license as required under the state laws governing their respective trades.

General contractors are notified that Chapter 87, Article 1, General Statutes of North Carolina, will be observed in receiving and awarding general contracts. General contractors submitting bids on this project must have license classification for **Public Utilities Contractor – Unlimited** (GS87-1.1 - Rules .0210).

Each proposal shall be accompanied by a cash deposit or a certified check drawn on some bank or trust company, insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, of an amount equal to not less than five percent (5%) of the proposal, or in lieu thereof a bidder may offer a bid bond of five percent (5%) of the bid executed by a surety company licensed under the laws of North Carolina to execute the contract in accordance with the bid bond. Said deposit shall be retained by the owner as liquidated damages in event of failure of the successful bidder to execute the contract within ten days after the award or to give satisfactory surety as required by law.

A performance bond and a payment bond will be required for one hundred percent (100%) of the contract price.

Payment will be made based on ninety-five percent (95%) of monthly estimates and final payment made upon completion and acceptance of work.

No bid may be withdrawn after the scheduled closing time for the receipt of bids for a period of 30 days.

The owner reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive informalities.

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