

BOONE COUNTY REGIONAL SEWER DISTRICT  
HILLCREEK SUBDIVISION N.I.D.  
SECTION 00100

**ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS**

**Bid # 45-25SEP08**

Sealed bids for the construction of the **Sanitary Pressure Sewer Collection System**, for the **Hillcreek Subdivision Neighborhood Improvement District**, will be received in the Boone County Purchasing Office, Boone County Johnson Building, Room 209, 601 East Walnut, Columbia, Missouri, 65201 until **1:15 PM on Thursday, September 25, 2008**. Any bids received after such date and time shall be returned unopened. Said bids shall be publicly opened and read aloud after 1:30 PM on Thursday, September 25, 2008 in the Boone County Government Center, Boone County Commission Chambers, 801 East Walnut, Columbia, Missouri, 65201. Vendors may view and download Bids, Bid Tabulations, and Bid Awards on the Boone County Web Page at <http://www.showmeboone.com>.

A Pre-Bid Conference is scheduled for **Thursday, September 4, 2008 at 1:15 PM** in the Boone County Purchasing Office, Boone County Johnson Building, Room 209, 601 East Walnut, Columbia, Missouri, 65201. All potential bidders are encouraged to attend this meeting.

The Information for Bidders, Form of Bid, Form of Contract, Plans and Specifications, Bid Bond, Performance Bond, Payment Bond and other Contract Documents may be obtained from **Docucopy, LLC, 3334 Brown Station Road, Columbia, Missouri, 65202, Telephone: 573.814.1700** upon payment of a **NON-REFUNDABLE fee of \$75.00. Fee must be presented in the form of a check or money order made payable to Boone County, Missouri.**

Major construction items are: 88 grinder pump units, 5,722 LF of 4-inch Class 200 PVC pipe, 6,850 LF of 3-inch Class 200 PVC pipe, 4,450 LF of 2-inch Class 200 PVC pipe, 4,689 LF of 1.5-inch Class 200 PVC pipe, 18,150 LF of 1.5-inch Polybutylene (PB) Pressure Tubing (Service Lines) and appurtenances.

Bidders are informed that only grinder pumps which have received pre-bid approval will be accepted. Refer to specification section 02539.

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Boone County Regional Sewer District, 1314 North 7<sup>th</sup> St., Columbia, MO 65201

MECO Engineering Co., 308 E. High St., Ste. 201, Jefferson City, MO 65101.

The Bid shall be accompanied by a certified or cashier's check drawn on a solvent Missouri bank or trust company made payable to the Boone County Commission, or a Bid Bond issued by a surety licensed to conduct business in the State of Missouri and appearing on the U.S. Treasury Department's most current list (Circular 570, as amended), in the amount of not less than five percent (5%) of the total bid. The Bid Bond may be retained by the Boone County Commission, as a guaranty that if the Bid is accepted, the bidder will execute the Contract and file an

acceptable Performance Bond and Payment Bond within fifteen (15) days after the award of the Contract.

Bidders on this Work will be required to comply with the Copeland (Anti-Kickback) Act, and the Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act, as indicated in the Contract Documents.

Any Contract or Contracts awarded under this Advertisement for Bids are expected to be financed through the Missouri State Revolving Fund, established by the sale of Missouri Water Pollution Control Bonds and Federal Capitalization Grants to Missouri. Neither the United States nor any of its departments, agencies, or employees is or will be a party to this Advertisement for Bids or any resulting Contract. Procurement will be subject to regulations contained in 40 CFR, Part 33 and Part 31.36(e). These regulations are contained in the Contract Documents.

The Contractor doing the work must pay for labor at rates not less than those certified pursuant to Section 290.210-.340, RSMo. (1986) by the Missouri Department of Labor and Industrial Relations as indicated by the schedule included in the Contract Documents. The Contractor shall forfeit as a penalty to the County, Ten and 00/100 Dollars (\$10.00) for each workman employed, for each calendar day, or portion thereof, such workman is paid less than the said stipulated rates for any work under said Contract by him or by any subcontractor under him. Section 290.250.

The Contractor should take special care to note that the Missouri Excessive Unemployment provision is in effect as noted in the Information for Bidders Section 1.13.

The Contractor shall also comply with the document entitled Labor Standards Provision for Federal and Federally Assisted Contracts, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Form 5720-4 (Rev. 5-87), which is included as part of the Contract Documents.

Bidders on this work will be required to comply with the President's Executive Order No. 11246. The requirements for Bidders and contractors under this order are explained in the Specifications.

The award of Contracts on this project shall be predicated upon competitive bidding, with award being made to the lowest responsive, responsible bidder. Said lowest Bidders shall be determined for each Contract by summarizing the applicable low base bids.

All manufactured goods or commodities used or supplied in the performance of this work, or any subcontract thereto, shall be manufactured, assembled, or produced in the United States unless obtaining American made products would increase the cost of the Contract by more than ten percent (10%).

Each bidder must fully comply with the requirements, terms and conditions of the EPA Region VII Minority Business Enterprise (MBE) and Women's Business Enterprise (WBE) requirements. The Bidder commits itself to the affirmative steps for MBE/WBE participation contained within the Specifications and all other requirements, terms and conditions of the MBE/WBE participation conditions when submitting a properly signed bid.

The prospective participants must certify by submittal of EPA form 5700-49 "Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension and Other Responsibility Matters" that, to the best of its

knowledge and belief, it and its principals are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any federal department or agency.

Any bidder or equipment supplier whose firm or affiliate is listed on the General Services Administration (GSA) publication entitled "Lists of Parties Excluded from Federal Procurement or Nonprocurement Programs" will be prohibited from the bidding process. Anyone submitting a bid who is so listed will be determined to be a nonresponsive bidder in accordance with 40 CFR 31.

A contractor's Suspension/Debarment Certification will be contained in the specifications; however, this certification should not preclude any interested party from ascertaining whether the certifying firm or person is actually on the list. The MDNR-WPCP will forward a copy of the list to grantees along with the first wage decision applicable to the project, and will maintain a copy of the most current list. To determine a person's and/or firm's eligibility for award in accordance with the Debarment, Suspension, and Voluntarily Excluded Regulation, 40 CFR 52.500(b), contact the grantee's authorized representative, or the WPC Financial and Technical Services Section at (573) 751-1300.

The Boone County Commission reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive all informalities in the bids. No bids may be withdrawn for a period of sixty (60) days subsequent to the specified time for receipt of bids.

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