INVITATION TO BID

Pursuant to N.C.G.S. 143-129, sealed bid proposals endorsed "French Broad River Intake & Pumping Station" for the furnishing of materials, labor, and equipment for the construction of French Broad River Intake & Pumping Station project will be received by the City of Hendersonville at the City Operations Center, 305 Williams Street, Hendersonville, NC 28792 in the large assembly room no later than **2:00pm September 15, 2021**. Electronic bids and electronic bid bonds shall not be accepted. It is the bidder's responsibility to ensure that bids are received by the specified time/date, bidders may contact Brent Detwiler, (828) 697-3060 to confirm receipt of bid.

The City of Hendersonville will open sealed formal Bids by Bidders at **2:00pm September 15**, **2021** in the large assembly room of the City Operations Center, 305 Williams Street, Hendersonville, NC 28792. For the convenience of bidders, the opening shall be streamed or made available through a Microsoft Teams meeting. The virtual bid opening conference may be accessed via the following link or call in number. The link will also be posted on the City's website and emailed to the pre-qualified bidders. Other interested parties may contact Ashley Tucker, TuckerA@bv.com, to request a link to the virtual meeting.

Join Microsoft Teams Meeting

+1 980-272-0984 Call-in Number (United States, Charlotte)
When prompted enter the Conference ID: 453 554 102#

Only Bids submitted by prequalified Bidders will be considered and accepted. The proposed project consists of construction of raw water supply facilities including raw water intake structure with three fixed mechanically cleaned trash racks; raw water pumping station with three vertical diffusion vane pumps, surge tank and compressor, and a traveling bridge crane; standby power; and site work.

Complete digital project bidding documents are available at through the <u>City's website</u> or <u>www.questcdn.com</u>. You may download the digital plan documents for \$15 by inputting Quest project #7437284 on the website's Project Search page. Please contact QuestCDN.com at 952-233-1632 or <u>info@questcdn.com</u> for assistance in free membership registration, downloading, and working with this digital project information.

A pre-bid conference will be held virtually at 2:00pm on Thursday August 26th, 2021 via Microsoft Teams. The virtual Pre-Bid conference may be accessed in via the following link or call in number. The link will also be posted on the City's website and emailed to the pre-qualified bidders. Other interested parties may contact Ashley Tucker, <u>TuckerA@bv.com</u>, to request a link to the virtual meeting.

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+1 913-278-0791 Call-in Number (United States, Kansas City (Toll)) When prompted enter the Conference ID: 608 376 71#

Interested parties are invited to attend this meeting to review the plans, ask for additional information or clarifications, or visit the project site. Attendance at the pre-bid conference is highly encouraged but is not mandatory.

Consideration will be given only to Prime Contractors listed below who were selected as a result of a prequalification process by the City of Hendersonville. Each Bidder must be licensed under Chapter 87 of the North Carolina General Statute. All bids must include a non-collusion affidavit.

- Adams Robinson Enterprises, Inc.
- Crowder Construction Company
- Haren Construction Company, Inc.
- Harper Corporation
- Kiewit Infrastructure South Co.
- Morgan Contracting, Inc.
- Shook Construction
- Ulliman Schutte Construction, LLC
- Wharton-Smith, Inc.
- Ruby Collins
- PC Construction

Each proposal shall be accompanied by a bid deposit in the amount of not less than five percent (5%) of the amount of the bid in the form and subject to the conditions provided in the Instruction to Bidders. The City reserves the right to waive any informality, to reject any and all proposals, and to award a contract which, in its judgment, is in the best interest of the City of Hendersonville. It is the policy of the City to award public building contracts without regard to race, religion, color, creed, national origin, sex, age or disabling condition.

City of Hendersonville, NC Brent Detwiler, PE City Engineer