

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

CITY OF DECHERD

METER REPLACEMENT AND AMR SYSTEM IMPROVEMENTS INCLUDING SERVICE MATERIAL INVENTORY

Sealed bids for the Meter Replacement and AMR System Improvements Including Service Material Inventory Project will be received at the Decherd City Hall located at 1301 W Main Street, Decherd, TN 37324, until Thursday, January 9, 2025 at 2:00 P.M. local time at which time the Bids received will be publicly opened and read. Any person with disability requiring special accommodations must contact the City of Decherd no later than 7 days prior to the bid opening.

The Project includes the following Work: Furnish and install approx. 1900 Radio Read Meters, AMR meter reading system, water service line inventory and all related appurtenances.

This project is being supported with American Rescue Plan Act, Coronavirus State and Local Recovery Fund grant funding. Therefore, certain restrictions and other federal requirements attach to this opportunity.

The Issuing Office for the Bidding Documents is Goodwyn Mills Cawood, LLC, 2400 5th Avenue South, Suite 200, Birmingham, AL 35233, Attn: Clara Posala (clara.posala@gmcnetwork.com).

Information for the Project can be found at the following designated website: <https://www.gmcnetwork.com/bids/>

Bidding Documents may be downloaded from the designated website free of charge. Hard copies may be obtained from the Issuing Office upon payment of \$100.00 for each set. Said cost represents the cost of printing, reproduction, handling, and distribution, therefore no refund will be granted. Checks for Bidding Documents shall be payable to "GMC." Prospective bidders are required to register with the Issuing Office as a plan holder. Partial sets of Bidding Documents will not be available from the Issuing Office. Neither Owner nor Engineer will be responsible for full or partial sets of Bidding Documents, including Addenda if any, obtained from sources other than the Issuing Office.

The City of Decherd hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively ensure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, sex, or national origin in consideration for an award. The City of Decherd is an Equal Opportunity Employer. Any contract that uses federal funds to pay for construction work is a "federally assisted construction contract" and must include the equal opportunity clause found in 2 C.F.R Part 200, unless otherwise stated in 41 C.F.R. Part 60. We encourage all small and minority owned firms and women's business enterprises to participate. No bidder may withdraw his bid within (60) days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

PLEASE NOTE: Official plan holders list will only be the list maintained by Goodwyn Mills Cawood, LLC. It is the sole responsibility of all plan holders, whether they have received digital downloads or paper copies of the plans and specifications, to periodically check for Addenda which may have been posted on <https://www.gmcnetwork.com/bids/>

The Copeland "Anti-Kickback" Act is also applicable, which prohibits workers on construction contracts from giving up wages that they are owed. Contractor's must not appear on Sam.gov disbarment list.

A detailed listing of all subcontractors shall be provided by the Bidder. In accordance with the Contract Documents, documentation that the prospective General Contractor and its subcontractors meet minimum qualifications shall be provided and submitted. Subcontractors must also not appear on Sam.gov disbarment list. Mark-ups on subcontractor work or Cost Plus Overhead will be disallowed for reimbursement.

A bid bond or certified check for five percent (5%) of the total bid amount must accompany each bid. The successful bidder will be required to furnish a performance bond in the amount of his bid and shall, before entering on the work of said contract, be licensed as a contractor of the State of Tennessee.

All bids shall be submitted in a sealed envelope bearing on the outside the name of the Bidder and name of the project. Envelopes containing bids must be addressed as follows, and delivered to Honorable Mary Nell Hess, Mayor, City of Decherd, 1301 W Main Street, Decherd, TN 37324: "Meter Replacement and AMR System Improvements Including Service Material Inventory."

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

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Owner: City of Decherd

By: Mary Nell Hess

Title: Mayor



Plans and Specs Order Form

Project Name: Water Meter Replacement and AMR System Improvements

Plan Deposit: \$100.00 (hard copy)

Bid Opening: January 9, 2025 @ 2:00 P.M.

GMC Project No.: CNAS240011

Requester Information (check one):

Contractor Sub-Contractor Supplier/Mfr. Plan Room

Contact Name: _____

Company: _____

Address (No PO Box): _____

City, State Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

License # (if applicable): _____

Choose one or more of the following:

Printed set mailed (via UPS)

Digital set (GMC's website)

Make check payable to:

GMC

2400 5th Avenue South, Suite 200

Birmingham, AL 35233

Additional comments or requests: _____

***Return completed form with a scanned copy of plan deposit check to**

clara.posala@gmcnetwork.com