

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

PROJECT: DANE COUNTY DRAINAGE DISTRICT 9 MAINTENANCE PROJECT

NOTICE: Sealed proposals for the District 9 Maintenance Project will be received by the Dane County Drainage Board at 6509 Olympic Drive Madison, WI 53075 until 5 p.m. on July 15, 2020, and opened on July 16, 2020.

Contractors shall bid for the following work: The clearing and disposal of trees, snags, logs, brush, shrubs, stumps, and rubbish as designated on the maintenance plans including tree removal from the ditch side slopes and 100' corridor from top of ditch bank. Material shall be cleared to a height not exceeding 12" above the ground surface. Areas with existing spoil banks that will not allow access for dredging equipment to reach the ditch bottom will need to be spread to a level that will allow dredging. Spoil banks shall be spread in the 100' corridor in accordance with the maintenance plans. Spoil to be spread to a depth of less than 6". Clearing of trees and brush from the flow area of a channel and snagging of obstructions from the channel and streambanks to maintain flow. All materials cleared from the designated areas shall be ground and spread or burned or buried with a minimum of 2' of earth fill at approved locations or removed from the site. Ditch dredging shall be completed in accordance with the maintenance plan to restore the ditch bottom to its proposed depth and width. The depth of excavation will vary. Finally, seeding shall be done to establishing vegetation on disturbed areas. Areas to be planted will be smoothed or shaped, if needed, to meet planting and landscaping purposes.

CONSTRUCTION PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS WILL BE AVAILABLE ON June 15, 2020.

Full Bidding Documents, Plans and Specifications may be obtained by mail or picked up at the office of Resource Engineering Associates, Inc. Middleton, Wisconsin for a NON-REFUNDABLE payment of \$25.00 (11"x17" plans) for each set of plans and specifications, payable to Resource Engineering Associates, Inc. (or 24"x36" plans \$75). Documents are also available at:

<https://www.dropbox.com/sh/hlm94a32rm472ne/AADwoGQLncQIkFoxSHFSsuIfa?dl=0>

START DATE: Anticipated start date of October 1, 2020, dependent on crop removal from fields. All work shall be completed April 1, 2021.

INSURANCE AND MISCELLANEOUS: Bids must be accompanied by proof of liability and workman compensation insurance, including the Board and its members being named as additional insureds. Credit references with proof of financial ability to do the work is required. Depending on the size of the bid Contractor may need to be bonded. One-year warranty for all work and any defects shall be fixed and repaired at contractor's cost. A bid may not be withdrawn for a period of 90 days after the Bid Deadline.

QUALIFICATIONS: If requested by the Board, the selected contractor may be required to submit evidence of qualifications to perform the work prior to award of contract.

RESERVATION OF RIGHTS: The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any informality in the bidding procedure. Prospective bidders are required to furnish a statement of experience and financial responsibility to the Board on or before the time for receiving bids.

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