

SECTION 00100

INVITATION TO BIDDERS

Sealed BIDS, in duplicate, will be received by the **TOWN OF BLADES**, Attn: PFOS & PFOA WTP Upgrades, 20 West Fourth Street, Blades, Delaware 19973 for the **PFOS & PFOA WTP Upgrades No. 0706A014**. Bids will be accepted by the Town of Blades until **October 8, 2020 at 2:00PM**, at which time they will be opened publicly and read aloud.

Work includes new pre-engineered metal water treatment building addition, installation of activated carbon filtration system, chemical feed systems, piping, new electrical work, mechanical, site work and miscellaneous work to include restoration.

Copies of the CONTRACT DOCUMENTS can be examined at **Davis, Bowen & Friedel, Inc.**, 601 E. Main Street, Suite 100, Salisbury, Maryland 21804 or **TOWN OF BLADES**, Attn: Route 13 Watermain Crossing Project, 20 West Fourth Street, Blades, Delaware 19973. Copies of the CONTRACT DOCUMENTS may be obtained at the office of Davis, Bowen & Friedel, Inc., 601 E. Main Street, Suite 100, Salisbury, Maryland 21804 (410) 543-9091 upon payment of \$150.00 for each non-refundable set. Checks should be made payable to Davis, Bowen & Friedel, Inc.

The right is reserved as the interest of the Town of Blades may appear, to reject any and all bids, to waive any informality or irregularity in bids received, and to accept or reject any items of any bid.

Interested bidders are required to attend the **MANDATORY** pre-bid meeting to be held on **September 10, 2020 at 10:00AM** at the TOWN OF BLADES Town Hall, Attn: PFOS & PFOA WTP Upgrades, 20 West Fourth Street, Blades, Delaware 19973.

Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (DBE), Minority Business Enterprises (MBE), and Women-Owned Business Enterprises (WBE) will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids on this contract and will not be subject to discrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin or sex in consideration of this award. All Contractors are required to adhere to the State of Delaware M/WBE requirements for M/WBE participation. All Bidders must use to the greatest extent feasible minority, women, and/or disadvantaged businesses and will not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, or sex in considering businesses for subcontracting and/or material/equipment supplies. This project is subject to State of Delaware Prevailing Wage Rates and Davis-Bacon Wage Rate requirements as stated in the CONTRACT DOCUMENTS.

COVID-19 Precautions for Pre-Bid Meeting: Bidders please limit attendance at the pre-bid meeting to one (1) representative. Bidders please wear a mask during the pre-bid meeting due to State mask requirements. Bidder please advise Davis, Bowen & Friedel, Inc. of the intent to attend the pre-bid meeting for planning purposes.

Town of Blades

By: John Reiss
Mayor

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