

CITY OF YUBA CITY
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT
NOTICE TO BIDDERS

**5TH STREET BRIDGE REPLACEMENT PROJECT
CONTRACT NO. 17-01**

Sealed bids for the work shown on the plans entitled:

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will be received at the City Clerk's Office, City of Yuba City, located at City Hall, 1201 Civic Center Boulevard, Yuba City, California, 95993, before 2:00 P.M. on June 22, 2017, and will be opened and publicly read aloud at about 2 o'clock p.m. of the same day in the City Clerk's Office.

Bid forms for this work are included in a separate book entitled:

**BOOK 1
BID BOOK
FOR
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No bid will be considered unless it is made on the bid form purchased from and furnished by the Public Works Department. Each bid must be accompanied by cash, cashier's check, certified check, or a bidder's bond executed by an admitted surety insurer made payable to the City of Yuba City for an amount equal to at least ten percent (10%) of the total bid amount, such guaranty to be forfeited should the bidder to whom the contract is awarded fail to enter into the contract.

The DBE Contract goal is 6 percent.

For the Federal training program, the number of trainees or apprentices is 32.

Federal-aid project no.: BRLS-5163(027)

Bids must be on a unit price basis.

Complete the work within 600 working days.

The estimated cost of the project is \$54,000,000.

The Plant Establishment Period is 1 year.

A mandatory prebid meeting is scheduled on June 1, 2017 at 10:00 AM in the Council Chambers, 1201 Civic Center Blvd, Yuba City, California.

THIS PROJECT IS SUBJECT TO THE "BUY AMERICA" PROVISIONS OF THE SURFACE TRANSPORTATION ASSISTANCE ACT OF 1982 AS AMENDED BY THE INTERMODAL SURFACE TRANSPORTATION EFFICIENCY ACT OF 1991.

Bids are required for the entire work described herein.

This contract is subject to state contract nondiscrimination and compliance requirements pursuant to Government Code, Section 12990.

Inquiries or questions based on alleged patent ambiguity of the plans, specifications or estimate must be communicated as a bidder inquiry prior to bid opening. Any such inquiries or questions, submitted after bid opening, will not be treated as a bid protest.

Each bid shall be in accordance with the plans, specifications, and other contract documents now on file. Plans, specifications, and proposal forms for bidding this project can be obtained at the office of the Public Works Director, City of Yuba City, 1201 Civic Center Boulevard, Yuba City, California, 95993, for a non-refundable deposit of \$185 per set. If a contractor elects to submit a bid, the proposal form shall be obtained from the City. An additional non-refundable deposit of \$25.00 for shipping and handling is required for those requesting delivery by U.S. mail. Deposit shall be in the form of a cashier's check, personal check, or business check.

The Contractor shall possess a valid **Class "A"** California Contractor's license at the time this contract is awarded.

Pursuant to Section 1773 of the Labor Code, the general prevailing wage rates in the county, or counties, in which the work is to be done have been determined by the Director of the California Department of Industrial Relations. These wages are set forth in the General Prevailing Wage Rates for this project, available at City Clerk's Office address and available from the California Department of Industrial Relations' Internet web site at <http://www.dir.ca.gov/DLSR/PWD>. The Federal minimum wage rates for this project as predetermined by the United States Secretary of Labor are set forth in the Bid book and in copies of this book that may be examined at the offices described above where project plans, special provisions, and bid forms may be seen. Addenda to modify the Federal minimum wage rates, if necessary, will be issued to holders of Bid book. Future effective general prevailing wage rates, which have been predetermined and are on file with the California Department of Industrial Relations are referenced but not printed in the general prevailing wage rates.

Attention is directed to the Federal minimum wage rate requirements in the Bid book. If there is a difference between the minimum wage rates predetermined by the Secretary of Labor and the general prevailing wage rates determined by the Director of the California Department of Industrial Relations for similar classifications of labor, the Contractor and subcontractors shall pay not less than the higher wage rate. The Department will not accept lower State wage rates not specifically included in the Federal minimum wage determinations. This includes "helper" (or other classifications based on hours of experience) or any other classification not appearing in the Federal wage determinations. Where Federal wage determinations do not contain the State wage rate determination otherwise available for use by the Contractor and subcontractors, the Contractor and subcontractors shall pay not less than the Federal minimum wage rate, which most closely approximates the duties of the employees in question.

The U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) provides a toll-free "hotline" service to report bid rigging activities. Bid rigging activities can be reported Mondays through Fridays, between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Eastern Time, Telephone No. 1-800-424-9071. Anyone with knowledge of possible bid rigging, bidder collusion, or other fraudulent activities should use the "hotline" to report these activities. The "hotline" is part of the DOT's continuing effort to identify and investigate highway construction contract fraud and abuse and is operated under the direction of the DOT Inspector General. All information will be treated confidentially and caller anonymity will be respected.

In its discretion, the City Council of Yuba City or its designee may reject any and all bids presented, may accept an item or group of items of any bid, may modify or cancel in whole or in part the notice inviting bids, and may determine to re-advertise for bids. Similarly, the City Council or its designee reserves the right to waive informalities and minor irregularities in any bids received.

Unit prices shall be shown on bids submitted as well as a total price for each item bid upon.

Please email questions to the Public Works Department, attention Kevin Bradford at kbradfor@yubacity.net.

PATRICIA BUCKLAND, CITY CLERK

CITY COUNCIL OF YUBA CITY