

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed Bids: Sealed bids for construction of the project entitled “FY2023 LMIG Sidewalk Improvements” will be received until Thursday, October 19, 2023 at 2:00 PM at the City Manager’s Office, Vidalia City Hall, 302 E First Street Suite C, Vidalia, GA 30474 at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. No bid may be withdrawn after the closing time for the receipt of bids for a period of sixty (60) days.

Work To Be Done: The work shall generally consist of furnishing all products and performing all labor necessary to install the following (see Plans and Specifications for complete details and description):

Installation of approximately 575 SY of 4’ Wide Concrete Sidewalk, 13 ADA Ramps, 50 SY Concrete Driveway Apron, Demolition, Clearing & Grubbing, Traffic Control, Erosion Control, and other miscellaneous work.

Plans, Specifications and Contract Documents: Complete digital specifications and contract documents are available at www.QuestCDN.com. You may view the digital documents for free by entering the Quest project number 8697272 on the website’s project search page. The fee to download the digital documents is \$200 (non-refundable) payable through the website. A bidder’s proposal will not be considered by the Owner unless the Bidder is on record with Quest/ESG Engineering, Inc. as having purchased and received complete Bidding Documents. Please contact QuestCDN customer support at 952-233-1632 or info@questcdn.com for assistance in membership registration, downloading and working with digital project information. Any other questions can be directed to the issuing office, ESG Engineering, Inc. Margaret Hildebrand mhildebrand@esgengineering.com or 478-474-4996 ext. 239.

Contractor License: Any Contractor submitting a bid must be licensed by the State of Georgia. See Instructions to Bidders for additional bidding requirements.

Bonds: Bids shall be accompanied by a bid bond or certified cashier’s check in an amount not less than 5% of the base bid. All bonds shall be by a surety company licensed in Georgia with an “A” minimum rating of performance and a financial strength of at least five (5) times the contract price as listed in the most current publication of “Best’s Key Rating Guide Property Liability”. Performance and Payment Bonds, each in an amount equal to 100% of the contract price shall be required of the successful bidder if contract is awarded. Each Bond shall be accompanied by a “Power of Attorney” authorizing the attorney-in-fact to bind the surety and certified to include the date of the bond.

Funding: This project will be funded through a combination of LMIG Funds and local funds.

All permits required for the construction of this project are expected to be obtained before the bid date.

Acquisition of property for easements, right of way, etc. are expected to be obtained before the bid date.

Reservation of Rights: Owner reserves the right to reject any or all Bids, including without limitation, the rights to reject any or all nonconforming, nonresponsive, unbalanced or conditional Bids and to reject the Bid of any Bidder if Owner believes that it would not be in the best interest of the Project to make an award to that Bidder, whether because the Bid is not responsive or the Bidder is unqualified or of doubtful financial ability or fails to meet any other pertinent standard or criteria established by the Owner.

City of Vidalia
Represented By: Mr. Nick Overstreet
City Manager