Pre-Bid Conference Agenda

October 16, 2024 at 1:00pm PT

Location: 6425 W Bowles Ave, Raisin City, CA 93652, see parking instructions below.

Attendance at this meeting is not mandatory to bid.

Project Information:

Contract: 24-14-C

Project website: https://www.fresnocountyca.gov/Departments/Public-Works-and-Planning/Construction-Bidding-Opportunities/24-14-C-CSA-43W-Raisin-City-Groundwater-Well

Estimate Range: \$1,200,000 - \$1,300,000

Currently Bid Opening is Scheduled for: October 31, 2024 at 2:00 PM

All questions regarding this project shall be received by the County no later than 2:00 p.m. on the seventh (7th) calendar day before bid opening. Use the Request for Clarifications Form on the project website. Responses will be posted on the website under "Request for Clarification Responses."

Agenda

- 1. Introductions / Sign In
 - a. Staff Public Works & Planning
 - b. Consultants
 - c. Contractors Please state name, position, and firm
- 2. Description of the project as in the Notice to Bidders

The work to be done consists of, in general, furnishing all labor, materials and equipment necessary to drill and equip a water well at the location indicated on the plans and connect to the existing water distribution main in the community of Raisin City, CA, in accordance with the Plans and Specifications. Electrical work, grading, fence removal and installation and other appurtenant work as indicated on the plans and specifications is also part of the work.

- 3. Submission of Bids/and Bid Bonds & Bid Express Jackie Wongsing
 - a. Bid Openings are conducted over Zoom with bids submitted via Bid Express. Contractors are encouraged to set up their FREE Bid Express accounts in advance. Bids can be saved, withdrawn and updated up until the time of the bid opening so we encourage bidders to try out the software in advance and call (559) 353-4919 or email

<u>DesignServices@fresnocountyca.gov</u> if there are any questions about how the bidding software works.

- b. For any hardcopies, bid bonds or hardcopy bids, please let us know your plans to ensure we receive any physically delivered paperwork.
- c. Subcontractor details subcontractor information that is required at the time of bidding is explained on Proposal 8 of the bid book and full, complete details are due within 24 hours of the bid opening.
- d. CARB requirements bidders must submit valid Certificates of Reported Compliance issued by the California Air Resources Board with their bid. Their subcontractors' certificates are due five (5) calendar days after the bid opening.
- 4. Discussion of Project Richard Singleton/Nicholas Jacobson
- 5. Questions
- 6. Conclusion and sign in for late arrivals

Oral explanations or interpretations of plans and specifications are not binding. Any explanation, interpretation or clarification of plans and specifications will be in the form of a written addendum to the plans and specifications issued to the planholders of record.

It is the Contractor's responsibility to ask any questions they might have regarding this project. No allowance will be made after the bids have been received for any errors or omissions due to any misconceptions made by the Contractor.

Parking Instructions:

Parking for contractors is available on the west side of S. Ring Avenue and south side of W. Fike Avenue. See image below.

