

Date: 10/31/2023

**INVITATION TO BIDDERS**

Sealed Bids, in duplicate, addressed to Galveston County Municipal Utility District No. 73, Attention: Cynthia Aldape, President, Board of Directors, will be received at the office of the Engineer, LJA Engineering, Inc., 1904 West Grand Parkway North, Suite 120, Katy, Texas 77449, until 2:00 p.m. Local Time, Tuesday, November 14, 2023, and then publicly opened and read for "Construction of the Water, Sanitary Sewer, and Drainage Facilities to Serve Samara Section 10 & Samara Way for Galveston County Municipal Utility District No. 73, Galveston County, Texas". Bidders may elect to submit bids electronically via <https://bids.lja.com>. Bidders must register and obtain bidding documents on this website for the required payment amount (if any) to submit an electronic bid. To attend the Bid Opening by telephone, dial +1 346.202.6170, Phone Conference ID: 592 682 339#.

Scope of Work of the Contract includes the construction of water, sanitary sewer, and drainage facilities.

Bids received after the closing time will be returned unopened. A non-mandatory pre-bid conference will be held on Tuesday, November 7, 2023, at 2:00 p.m. Local Time, at the office of the Engineer, LJA Engineering, Inc., 1904 West Grand Parkway North, Suite 120, Katy, Texas 77449. To attend the audio format non-mandatory pre-bid conference, dial +1 346.202.6170, Phone Conference ID: 793 316 768#.

Each Bid must be accompanied by a bid bond or a certified or cashier's check, acceptable to the Owner, in an amount not less than 5 percent of the total amount bid, as a guarantee that the successful bidder will enter into the Contract and execute the Bonds on the forms provided and provide the required insurance certificates within 7 days after the date Contract Documents are received by the Contractor.

Bidding documents may be examined at LJA Engineering, Inc., AGC of Texas, Construct Connect, and Amtek or may be obtained by prospective bidders or suppliers upon payment of one hundred dollars (\$100.00 non-refundable plus cost of delivery) (\$50.00 for electronic copy) for each set of documents at LJA Engineering, Inc., 1904 West Grand Parkway North, Suite 120, Katy, Texas 77449 or at <https://bids.lja.com>. Bidders must register on this website to download bidding documents.

The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all Bids and to waive all defects and irregularities in bidding or bidding process except time of submitting a Bid. The Successful Bidder, if any, will be the responsible Bidder which in the Board's judgment will be most advantageous to the District and result in the best and most economical completion of the Project.

Galveston County Municipal Utility District No. 73