## Construction

## **Advertisement and Invitation for Bids**

The <u>City of Wallis</u> will receive bids for <u>2022 TxCDBG Water Well 1 Rehab</u>, <u>Contract No. CDV21-0120</u> until <u>1:00 PM</u> on <u>Tuesday</u>, <u>May 21, 2024</u> at <u>City Hall</u>, <u>6810 Guyler</u>, <u>Bldg</u>. <u>B</u>, <u>Wallis</u>, <u>Texas 77485</u>. The bids will be publicly opened and read aloud at <u>1:00 PM</u> on <u>Tuesday</u>, <u>May 21, 2024</u> at <u>City Hall</u>, <u>6810 Guyler</u>, <u>Bldg</u>. <u>B</u>, <u>Wallis</u>, Texas 77485.

Bids are invited for several items and quantities of work as follows:

1. Water Well 1 Rehab

Bid/Contract Documents, including Drawings and Technical Specifications are on file at BEFCO Engineering, Inc., 485 N. Jefferson (PO Box 615), La Grange, Texas 78945 (979) 968-6474. Copies of the Bid/Contract Documents may be obtained by depositing \$100.00 with BEFCO Engineering, Inc. for each set of documents obtained. The deposit will not be refunded. Electronic copies may be obtained at no charge by request at (office@befcoengineering.com).

A bid bond in the amount of 5 percent of the bid issued by an acceptable surety shall be submitted with each bid [for those contracts that exceed \$100,000]. A certified check or bank draft payable to the <u>City of Wallis</u> or negotiable U.S. Government Bonds (as par value) may be submitted in lieu of the Bid Bond.

Attention is called to the fact that not less than, the federally determined prevailing (Davis-Bacon and Related Acts) wage rate, as issued by the Texas Department of Agriculture Office of Rural Affairs and contained in the contract documents, must be paid on this project. In addition, the successful bidder must ensure that employees and applicants for employment are not discriminated against because of race, color, religion, sex, sexual identity, gender identity, or national origin.

The <u>City of Wallis</u> reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any irregularities and informalities in the bidding.

Bids may be held by the <u>City of Wallis</u> for a period not to exceed seventy (70) days from the date of the bid opening for the purpose of reviewing the bids and investigating the bidder's qualifications prior to the contract award.

The work associated with this project will not be allowed to start until October 1, 2024 when Water Well 1 can be taken out of service. Work shall be complete by December 31, 2024.

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All contractors and subcontractors must be cleared (not suspended or debarred) prior to any formal action authorizing the award of a contract to the contractor. Minority Business Enterprises, Small Business Enterprises, Women Business Enterprises, and Section 3 Businesses are encouraged to submit bids.

Preston Little, Mayor