

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS
Bid No. 21-55-05

Bartow County, Georgia
(Owner)

Separate sealed Bids for furnishing of all materials, labor, tools, equipment, and appurtenances necessary for the construction of the Hamilton Crossing Waterline Relocation will be received by the Owner at the Bartow County Commissioner's Office, Attn. Kathy Gill, County Clerk, 135 West Cherokee Avenue, Suite 251, Cartersville, GA 30120 until 2:00 p.m., local time, on Thursday, August 26, 2021, and then at said office publicly opened and read aloud. Each sealed envelope containing a Bid must be plainly marked on the outside as,

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The Project consists of the following major elements: replacement of a 6-inch water line with a 12-inch water line in conjunction with a traffic circle being construction on Hwy 293 (Kingston Hwy NW) at Beavers Drive and extending southward towards Hamilton Crossing Road NW. The project will also include the replacement of water main between two developments along Hamilton Crossing Road NW.

A **Mandatory Pre-Bid Meeting** will be held at 3:00 p.m. on Thursday August 12, 2021 in the Commissioner's Conference Room located at 135 West Cherokee Avenue, Suite 251, Cartersville, GA 30120.

All questions must be submitted to CTI Engineers in writing. Questions must be submitted by Monday, August 16, 2021.

Copies of the Contract Documents and Specifications, including bidding documents and requirements and Contract Drawings may be examined at the offices of the Engineer, CTI Engineers, Inc., 243 N. Hamilton Street, Suite 1, Dalton, GA 30720 (phone 423/267-7613, www.ctiengr.com). Copies may be obtained upon payment of \$50.00 for each set. This payment is not refundable. Bidding Documents will also be available for review only at the office of Lori Cirami, P.E., Project Manager, Bartow County Water Department, 50 Nelson Street, Cartersville, GA 30120.

Bidders must be listed on Engineer's list of planholders who have purchased the Contract Documents, Specifications, and Drawings.

Engineer shall be provided with the following information: mailing address for U.S. Postal Service, physical delivery address, telephone number, FAX number, email address, and name of contact person.

A Bid Bond of 5% of the total project cost is to be included in the proposal package. The successful Bidder will be required to furnish performance and payment bonds with the executed Contract meeting the requirements of the Contract Documents and executed on the forms attached to the Contract. The terms and time for payment are set forth in the Contract.

Surety and insurance companies must have an AM Best rating of A-10 or greater, be listed in the Federal Registry of Companies holding Certificates of Authority and Acceptable Sureties on Federal Bonds and be licensed by the Georgia Insurance Department and the Georgia Secretary of State to do business in the State of Georgia.

Contractor must have minimum Worker's Comp and General Liability Insurance in full force and effect. No proposal will be considered unless it is accompanied by satisfactory evidence that the Bidder holds Georgia State Contractor's License of proper classification and in full force and effect, in compliance with the provisions of O.C.G.A. Sec. 43-14-2 et seq. Pursuant to O.C.G.A. § 13-10-91, all contractors and sub-contractors performing work within the State of Georgia on a contract with a public employer must register and participate in a federal work authorization. Bartow County will require certification for contractor that this requirement has been met. Each Respondent shall submit with its proposal a copy of current Business License and/or Occupational Tax Certificate issued in the state it resides. If bidder cannot provide this license, it will be required to obtain one from Bartow County if it is the Awarded Respondent. Qualifications of the Bidder will be reviewed before the Award of the Contract.

Bartow County reserves the right to accept or reject any and all proposals, to waive formalities, technicalities or irregularities and to re-advertise if necessary. The contract between Bartow County and the selected responder shall be subject to the payment agreement drawn up between Bartow County and the selected responder.

Date: July 23, 2021

Bartow County Water Department
/s/ Lamont Kiser, Director