

NOTICE INVITING BIDS

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at the Office of the City Clerk, City Hall, 117 Macneil Street, San Fernando, California until **11:00 AM on Thursday, December 7, 2023**. Questions regarding the project are due by end of business on **Wednesday, November 29, 2023** and must be submitted by email only to Manuel Fabian at mfabian@sfcity.org. Bids will be publicly opened and declared for performing work on the following project:

FISCAL YEAR 2023-2024 PHASE 3, ANNUAL STREET RESURFACING PROJECT JOB NO. 7621, PLAN NO. P-743

The City of San Fernando is inviting you to submit a bid for the fiscal year 2023-2024 phase 3 annual street resurfacing project. This project primarily consists of improving streets with a "3-step" process. This process consists of applying Microsurfacing, followed by ARAM, and covered by a slurry seal on top. The 3-step process covers approximately **388,183 SF**. The project also includes localized concrete replacement and pavement dig-outs. The City is also considering performing the 3-step process on approximately 227,639 SF of additional streets.

The work to be performed includes, but is not limited to furnishing all materials, equipment, tools, notifications, labor, and incidentals as required by the plans, specifications, and contract documents for the improvements at various locations throughout the City of San Fernando. The work includes but not limited to: Saw-cutting; excavation, removal, and disposal of the AC pavement; replacement and compaction of subsurface material; replacement of concrete curb and gutter; setup and maintenance of traffic control system; placement of AC pavement material; micro milling; microsurfacing; placement of ARAM and slurry seal materials; replacement of traffic striping and pavement markings; and clean-up of the project area.

The bid items, corresponding estimated quantities, and time allowed to complete the work are listed in the Contractor's Proposal. The definitions of bid items are described in the Technical Provisions.

The contract time for the project is NINETY (90) working days.

It is the policy of the City, as directed by City Council, to encourage the use of local area businesses in construction contracts including vendors, suppliers, labor, etc.

The City reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any minor irregularities in the bid documents. Bidders may not withdraw their bid for a period of ninety (90) days after date set for opening thereof.

The Contractor must follow the procedures as set forth in the Instructions to Bidders for acceptance of bids. Bids will be accepted only if submitted on a proposal form furnished by the City. Each bid must be accompanied by cash, certified check, cashier's check, or bidder's bond made payable to the City of San Fernando or issued by a surety admitted to do business in California, for an amount equal to at least ten percent (10%) of the amount bid. Such guaranty to be forfeited to the City should the bidder to whom the contract is awarded fail to enter into the contract.

Bids will be accepted only from contractors licensed in accordance with the provisions of the Business and Professional Code of the State of California. Prior to contract execution, the contractor and his/her subcontractors shall obtain a City business license. Prior to beginning

work, the prime contractor or valve-raising subcontractor must possess a valid California **Class A** or **C-34** licenses for projects that require adjustment of valves. Contractor shall be licensed with a valid **C-12** and **C-32**, or a **valid A** license as issued by the State of California.

AB44 EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2014. If a bidder submits a bid that includes a subcontractor who would be performing work in amount in excess of ½ of 1% of the bidder's total bid or in the case of bids for the construction of streets or highways, including bridges, in excess of ½ of 1% of the bidder's total bid or \$10,000, whichever is greater, then in addition to the subcontractor's name and business address, the subcontractor's State contractor's license number must be included as part of the information submitted for that proposed subcontractor. Failure to provide the subcontractor's license number shall render the bid non-responsive.

SB854 EFFECTIVE MARCH 1, 2015. Contractors and Subcontractors wishing to work on a public works project must be registered with the State of California, Department of Industrial Relations. All public works projects with bids submitted after March 1, 2015, or awarded on or after April 1, 2015, shall use only registered contractors and subcontractors. No bid will be accepted nor any contract entered into without proof of the Bidder's and its subcontractors' current registration with the Department of Industrial Relations. If awarded a contract, the Bidder and its subcontractors of every tier shall maintain active registration with the Department of Industrial Relations for the duration of the Project.

The State General Prevailing Wage Rate Determination as established by the California Department of Industrial Relations is available at <http://www.dir.ca.gov/DLSR/PWD/index.htm> and in the Public Works Department at City Hall.

At the request and expense of the Contractor, securities equivalent to the five percent (5%) to be withheld from progress payments pursuant to the City's Standard General Conditions shall be deposited with the City Clerk or a state or federally chartered bank as the escrow agent, who shall pay such monies to the contractor upon satisfactory completion of the contract. Securities eligible for investment shall include those listed in Section 16430 of the Government Code or bank or savings and loan certificates of deposit. The contractor shall be the beneficial owner of any securities substituted for monies withheld and shall receive any interest thereof.

Copies of the plans and specifications, including the approved proposal form, are available on the City website, www.sfcity.org, for downloading at no charge. **In order to be eligible to submit a bid for the project, you MUST contact Manuel Fabian, Civil Engineering Assistant II, via e-mail at mfabian@sfcity.org to be placed on the plan holders list.**

Addenda, if any, will NOT be distributed to the plan holders, and will ONLY be posted on the City website. **It shall be the Bidder's responsibility to check the City website for any addenda.**

City of San Fernando

Date: 11/09/23

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Management Analyst

Thursday
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