

**NOTICE OF LETTING
INVITATION TO BID
FULTON ROAD MEMBRANE FILTRATION FACILITY
FOR THE
FLOYD COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**

Notice is hereby given that Floyd County, Georgia (Owner), proposes to let a Contract to the lowest responsible, responsive bidder, upon sealed bids for Construction of the Fulton Road Membrane Filtration Facility.

Sealed bids will be received until 2:00 PM (local time), on Tuesday, May 27, 2014, at the office of the Floyd County Purchasing Director, located in the Floyd County Administration Building, 12 East Fourth Avenue, Suite 106, Rome, Georgia. Sealed bids will then and there be publicly opened and read aloud in the office of the Purchasing Director. Late bids will not be accepted.

ALL BIDS ARE TO BE CLEARLY MARKED AS "SEALED BID" ON OUTSIDE OF ENVELOPE OR PACKAGE WITH BID NAME, TIME AND DATE.

The Project consists of the following major elements:

The construction of a facility to house and the installation of 0.82 MGD membrane equipment previously procured and all additional equipment and facilities so noted on the Plans and Specifications necessary for a 0.82 MGD water treatment plant as specified herein.

Copies of the Contract Documents may be purchased at the Chattanooga office of the Engineer for \$200 for each set (nonrefundable) at:

CTI Engineers, Inc. (CTI)
1122 Riverfront Parkway
Chattanooga, TN 37402
Telephone: (423) 267-7613
Fax: (423) 267-0603

The Information for Bidders, Form of Bid, Form of Contract, Drawings, Specifications, and other Contract Documents may be examined at the following locations:

CTI, Dalton office (address below)
Floyd County Purchasing Office, 12 East 4th Ave., Suite 106, Rome, GA 30161
Telephone: (706) 291-5118; Fax: (706) 290-6099

All questions regarding the Contract Documents or Specifications must be submitted in writing no later than 5:00 p.m. EDT, Friday, May 9, 2014, to Al Pierce, Senior Project Manager, at

CTI Engineers, Inc.
243 N. Hamilton St. Suite 1
Dalton, GA 30720
Telephone: (706) 278-8110
Fax: (706) 278-8112

or electronically to apierce@ctiengr.com (hard copy of same must be received within 48 hours). Responses to questions will be issued in writing within 10 days in the form of an addendum to all Bidders.

Bids must be accompanied by a Bid Bond in an amount of not less than five percent (5%) of the base bid. All bonds must be signed or countersigned by a Georgia Resident Agent.

A faithful Performance Bond in the amount of one hundred percent (100%) of the amount of the bid, and a Labor Materials Payment Bond in the amount of not less than the amount of said Bid, one hundred percent (100%) as provided by Georgia Code Section 23-1704 and 23-1705, shall be furnished by the successful bidders.

Bidders must comply with the President's Executive Order Nos. 11246 and 11375, which prohibit discrimination in employment regarding race, creed, color, sex, or national origin.

Bidders must comply with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, the Anti-Kickback Act, and the Contract Work Hours Standard Act.

Bidders must certify that they do not, and will not, maintain or provide for their employees any facilities that are segregated on a basis of race, color, creed, or national origin.

Bidders will make positive efforts to use small and minority owned businesses.

Any certifications and compliance documents required by Floyd County must accompany each bid. Including, but not necessarily limited to, compliance with Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986 (IRCA), D.L. 99-603 and the Georgia Security and Immigration Compliance Act OCGA 13-10-90 et.seq. Contractor must complete and submit with Proposal, the Contractor Affidavit under OCGA 13-10-91(b)(1) included with contract documents. Be advised that bid will not be read or accepted if this document is not submitted at time of bid.

Floyd County reserves the right to award the Contract in any manner which the County determines to be in its own best interest, or to reject all bids.

Any contract awarded under this invitation to bid is expected to be funded with 100 percent local funds.

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

April 24, 2014
(Date)

Floyd County Purchasing
/s/ Nancy Lam, Purchasing Director