JEFFERSON COUNTY PURCHASING DEPARTMENT

Deborah L. Clark, Purchasing Agent

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May 3, 2010 Legal Notice Invitation for Bids

Dear Bidders:

You are invited to submit Bids in accordance with specifications packet, Invitation for Bid IFB 10-034/KJS Airport West Ditch Project at the Jack Brooks Regional Airport. All bids must be submitted with an original and three (3) copies to the Jefferson County Purchasing Agent, 1149 Pearl Street, 1st Floor, Beaumont, Texas 77701, no later than 11:00 AM, May 25, 2010. Bids will be opened at that time

Specifications and plans are available for purchase at a cost of \$125.00. Contact Arceneaux & Gates Consulting Engineers, Inc. Located at 3501 Turtle Creek Dr. Suite102, Port Arthur, TX 77642. Or call 409-724-7888.

The County shall require the bidder to furnish a bid security in the amount of five percent (5%) of the total contract cost. The bid bond must be executed with a surety company authorized to do business in the State of Texas. Within ten (10) days after the date of the signing of a contract, the bidder shall furnish a performance bond to the County for the full amount of the contract, if the contract exceeds one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000). If the contract is for one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) or less, the County may provide that no money be paid to the contractor until completion and acceptance of the work or the fulfillment of the purchase obligation to the County.

A Mandatory Pre-Bid Conference will be held on Thursday May 13, 2010 at 10:00 AM CST. The conference will be held at: Jack Brooks Regional Airport, Jerry Ware Terminal. Located at5000 Jerry Ware Dr., Beaumont, TX 77705

Any questions relating to these requirements should be directed to Karen J. Smith, MBA, Assistant Purchasing Agent, at 409-835-8593.

All Bids shall be submitted to the Jefferson County Purchasing Agent in a sealed envelope marked:

BID NAME: Airport West Ditch Project at the Jack Brooks Regional

Airport

BID NO: 10-034/KJS

DUE DATE/TIME: 11:00 AM, May 25, 2010

MAIL OR DELIVER TO: Jefferson County Purchasing Division

1149 Pearl Street, 1st Floor Beaumont, Texas 77701

Your consideration of this proposal request is appreciated. Sincerely,

Deborah L. Clark Purchasing Agent

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