

JEFFERSON COUNTY PURCHASING DEPARTMENT

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LEGAL NOTICE Advertisement for Invitation for Bids

April 22, 2013

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be accepted by the Jefferson County Purchasing Department for IFB 13-007/JW, Bridge Replacement on Lawhon Road at Green Pond Gully. Bids are to be addressed to the Purchasing Agent with the bid number and name marked on the outside of the envelope. Bidders shall forward an original and two (2) copies of their bid to the address shown below. Late bids will be rejected as non-responsive. Bids will be publicly opened and read aloud in the Jefferson County Commissioners' Courtroom at the time and date below. Bidders are invited to attend the sealed bid opening.

Specifications and plans are available for a non-refundable fee of \$25.00 from the Jefferson County Engineering Department, 1149 Pearl Street, 5th Floor, Beaumont, Texas. Contact Donald Rao at 409-835-8584. For questions or addendums, see http://www.co.jefferson.tx.us/Purchasing/main.htm or call Jamey West, Contract Specialist at 409-835-8593.

A mandatory Pre-Bid Conference will be held on May 7, 2013 at 10:00 AM. The conference will be held in the Jefferson County Engineering Department Conference Room located on the fifth floor of the Jefferson County Courthouse, 1149 Pearl Street, Beaumont, Texas 77701.

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.

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

BID NAME: Bridge Replacement on Lawhon Road at Green Pond Gully

BID NO: IFB 13-007/JW

DUE DATE/TIME: 11:00 AM, Tuesday, May 21, 2013

MAIL OR DELIVER TO: Jefferson County Purchasing Department

1149 Pearl Street, 1st Floor Beaumont, Texas 77701

All interested firms are invited to submit a bid in accordance with the terms and conditions stated in this bid.

RESPONDENTS ARE STRONGLY ENCOURAGED TO CAREFULLY READ THE ENTIRE INVITATION.

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