TOWN OF ACCIDENT GARRETT COUNTY, MARYLAND CONTRACT #1 – WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT UPGRADES

THRASHER PROJECT # 101-020-1339

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed Bids for the construction of the Contract #1 – Wastewater Treatment Plant Upgrades will be received, by the Town of Accident located at the Municipal Building, 104 South North Street, Accident, Garrett County, Maryland, 21520, until 2:00 pm local time on Thursday, July 19, 2018, at which time the Bids received will be publicly opened and read.

The approximate quantities of work to be bid upon are described as follows:

1 LS Wastewater Treatment Plant Upgrade to include: 1 LS Mobilization/Demobilization, 1 LS To provide all labor, equipment, materials, and services to finish and install the upgrades to the existing Town of Accident Wastewater Treatment Plant including but not limited to, modifications to existing screening equipment; new 0.120 MGD SBR basins and equipment including blowers, pumps, valves, piping, and valve vaults; new tertiary filter equipment including new 312 SF filter building; replacement of existing UV system; installation of emergency standby generator; site piping; site work; painting; site work; pavement restoration; mechanical and electrical work; demolition work; sediment and erosion control and all other associated work. The Contractor shall maintain uninterrupted wastewater treatment capabilities to the existing plant during construction of the improvements to the wastewater treatment system.

The Work will be substantially completed within 310 calendar days after the date when the Contract Times commence to run, and completed and ready for final payment within 365 days after the date when the Contract Times commence to run. Liquidated damages shall be \$500 per day.

The Issuing Office for the Bidding Documents is: The Thrasher Group, Inc., 600 White Oaks Blvd., Bridgeport, WV 26330. Prospective Bidders may examine the Bidding Documents at the Issuing Office on Mondays through Fridays between the hours of 8:00 am to 5:00 pm, and may obtain copies of the Bidding Documents from the Issuing Office as described below.

Complete sets of Bidding Documents may be obtained from the office of Thrasher, 600 White Oaks Boulevard, P. O. Box 940, Bridgeport, WV 26330, for the following costs:

- Bidding Documents issued as hard copy drawings and hard copy specifications are available for \$100.00 per set.
- Bidding Documents issued as hard copy drawings and digital Specifications on a C.D., are available for \$75.00 per set.
- Bidding Documents issued as digital drawings and digital specifications on a C.D., are available for \$25.00 per set.

Amounts paid are not subject to refund.

Partial sets of Bidding Documents will not be available from the Issuing Office. Neither Owner nor Engineer will be responsible for full or partial sets of Bidding Documents, including Addenda if any, obtained from sources other than the Issuing Office.

Bidding Documents also may be examined at

Town of Accident The Thrasher Group, Inc. 104 South North Street 600 White Oaks Boulevard Accident, MD 21520-0190 Bridgeport, WV 26330

Contractor's Association of WV
2114 Kanawha Boulevard East
Charleston, WV 25311

Dodge Data and Analytics
4300 Beltway Place, Suite 180
Arlington, TX 76018

A two envelope system will be used.

Envelope No. 1 must have the following information presented on the front:

Name and address of Bidder Bid on Contract #1 - Wastewater Treatment Plan and Upgrades Received by the Town of Accident

Envelope No. 2 labeled "Bid Proposal" shall also be placed inside of Envelope #1.

Envelope No. 1 will be opened first and the Bid Opening Requirement items checked for compliance as outlined on the Bid Opening Checklist on page BOR - 1 of these contract documents. If such documents are found to be in order, Envelope No. 2 "Bid Proposal", will then be opened and will be publicly read aloud. If the documents required to be contained in Envelope No. 1 are not in order, Envelope No. 2 "Bid Proposal" will not be opened and the Bid will be considered non-responsive and will be returned to the Bidder.

A bidder may not withdraw his bid for a period of ninety (90) days after the date set for the opening of bids.

Bids shall be accompanied by a certified check or bid bond payable to the Town of Accident in an amount equal to five percent (5%) of the base bid.

<u>Nondiscrimination in Employment</u> - Bidders on this work will be required to comply with the President's Executive Order Number 11246 and the provisions of Executive Order No. 10925 as included therein. The requirements for bidders and contractors under this order are explained in the specifications.

<u>Suspension and Debarment</u> – Recipient shall not entertain the use of businesses that are listed on the "System for Award Management" (SAM) at <u>www.Sam.gov</u> in accordance with 2 CFR Part 1532 and Subpart B and C of 2 CFR Part 180.

Prospective Bidders should note that this Contract will include the following critical requirements as identified in the Contract Documents.

- 1. Affirmative Action Program Requirements and Goals
- 2. Certificate of Non-Segregated Facilities
- 3. Specific Labor Standard Provisions

<u>Notice of Federal Wage Requirements</u> – Contractors are required to comply with all laws pertaining to prevailing wage rates for the federal wages rates issued in accordance with the Davis Bacon Act.

Bids received after the scheduled closing time for the reception of bids will be returned unopened to the bidders.

The Town of Accident reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

A pre-bid conference will be held at 10:00 am local time on Tuesday, June 26, 2018, at the Town of Accident Municipal Building located at 104 South North Street, Accident, MD. Attendance at the pre-bid conference is highly encouraged but is not mandatory.

Richard W. Carlson, Mayor Town of Accident

The Thrasher Group, Inc. 600 White Oaks Boulevard Bridgeport, WV 26330

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