ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

TOWN OF TUNNELTON MUNICIPAL SEWER WORKS PRESTON COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA PHASE II – 0.04 MGD WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT AND COLLECTION SYSTEM UPGRADES

General Notice

Town of Tunnelton Municipal Sewer Works (Owner) is requesting Bids for the construction of the following Project:

Phase II – 0.04 MGD Wastewater Treatment Plant and Collection System Upgrades 020-10033

Bids for the construction of the Project will be received at the **Tunnelton Town Hall** located at **459 Gibson Street, Tunnelton, Preston County, West Virginia 26444**, until **Thursday, September 1, 2022** at **2:00 pm** local time. At that time the Bids received will be publicly opened and read.

The Project includes the following Work:

1 LS Mobilization/Demobilization, 1 LS Video Taping of Project Areas, 1 Allowance To provide WCS equipment and materials including Bio-Domes, self-sinking airlines, shoreline distribution manifolds and boxes, and delivery to WWTP site., 1 LS Wastewater Treatment Plant Upgrades: To provide all labor, equipment, materials and services to upgrade the existing wastewater treatment plant including new dual channel headworks, gravity and force main piping, manhole, all site work required, blowers with VFD, blower pavilion, air piping to shoreline distribution manifolds, all site electrical and controls. Bio-dome installation, baffle curtains, floating cover, remove and replace mechanical aerators in Pond A, new DO/pH meter, erosion and sedimentation controls, and other items needed to provide a complete fully tested and operable system as shown in the plans and specifications., 1 LS Dewatering and By-pass Pumping, 50 Dry Tons Sludge Removal and Disposal, 1 LS Existing Pump Station #2 Upgrades, 12 EA Remove and Replace Manhole Lid & Frame, 1 EA Remove and Replace Manhole Lid & Frame and Repair Leaking Joint, 2 EA Cap Existing Sewer Line, 1 LS Install Spiral Screen in New Dual-channel Headworks.

Bids are requested for the following Contract: Phase II – 0.04 MGD Wastewater Treatment Plant and Collection System Upgrades

The Work will be substantially completed within $\underline{150}$ calendar days after the date when the Contract Times commence to run, and completed and ready for final payment within $\underline{180}$ days after the date when the Contract Times commence to run. Liquidated damages shall be $\underline{\$1,000}$ per day.

Obtaining the Bidding Documents

Information and Bidding Documents for the Project can be found at the following designated website:

https://tinyurl.com/zu5z8553

OR

www.thethrashergroup.com

Bidding Documents may be downloaded from the designated website. Prospective Bidders are urged to register with the designated website as a plan holder, even if Bidding Documents are obtained from a plan room or source other than the designated website in either electronic or paper format. The designated website will be updated periodically with addenda, lists of registered plan holders, reports, and other

information relevant to submitting a Bid for the Project. All official notifications, addenda, and other Bidding Documents will be offered only through the designated website. Neither Owner nor Engineer will be responsible for Bidding Documents, including addenda, if any, obtained from sources other than the designated website.

The Issuing Office for the Bidding Documents is:

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

Prospective Bidders may obtain or examine the Bidding Documents at the Issuing Office on Monday through Friday 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. 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.

Printed copies of the Bidding Documents may be obtained from the Issuing Office by paying the amount of each set listed below.

Bidding Documents may be purchased from the Issuing Office during the hours indicated above. Cost does not include shipping charges. Upon Issuing Office's receipt of payment, printed Bidding Documents or electronic documents will be transmitted to the prospective Bidder. The shipping charge amount will depend on the shipping method requested. Bidding Documents are available for purchase in the following formats:

- Bidding Documents issued as hard copy full-size drawings and hard copy specifications, are available for **\$250.00** per set.
- Bidding Documents issued as digital drawings and digital specifications, are available for **\$30.00** per set via the following link:

https://tinyurl.com/zu5z8553

Amounts paid are not subject to refund.

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Bidding Documents also may be examined at

Town of Tunnelton Municipal Sewer Works 459 Gibson Street Tunnelton, WV 26444

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

A two envelope system will be used.

The Thrasher Group, Inc. 600 White Oaks Boulevard Bridgeport, WV 26330 Envelope No. 1 must have the following information presented on the front:

Name and address of Bidder Bid on Contract – Phase II – 0.04 MGD Wastewater Treatment Plant and Collection System Upgrades Received by the Town of Tunnelton Municipal Sewer Works

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 **Town of Tunnelton Municipal Sewer Works** 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.

Contractor is required to provide the Drug Free Workplace Certification in accordance with WV Code 21-1D-5.

All Bidders are required to have a West Virginia Contractor's License per Section §21-11-11 of the West Virginia Code.

Pre-bid Conference

A pre-bid conference for the Project will be held on **Thursday**, **August 18**, **2022** at 10:00 am at the **Tunnelton Town Hall** located at **459 Gibson Street**, **Tunnelton**, **Preston County**, **West Virginia 26444.** Attendance at the pre-bid conference is encouraged but not required.

Instructions to Bidders.

For all further requirements regarding bid submittal, qualifications, procedures, and contract award, refer to the Instructions to Bidders that are included in the Bidding Documents.

American Iron and Steel

Section 746 of Title VII of the Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2017 (Division A - Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2017) and subsequent statutes mandating domestic preference applies an American Iron and Steel requirement to this project. All iron and steel products used in this project must be produced in the United States. The term "iron and steel products" means the following products made primarily of iron or steel: lined or unlined pipes and fittings, manhole covers and other municipal castings, hydrants, tanks, flanges, pipe clamps and restraints, valves, structural steel, reinforced precast concrete, and Construction Materials. The following waivers apply to this Contract: *De Minimis*, Minor Components, Pig iron and direct reduced iron.

This Advertisement is issued by:

Owner: Town of Tunnelton Municipal Sewer Works

- By: Hailey Chipman
- Title: Mayor
- Date: Friday, July 29, 2022 and Friday, August 5, 2022