

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS
MASON COUNTY PUBLIC SERVICE DISTRICT
MASON COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA
CONTRACT #1 - J2Y35 DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM IMPROVEMENTS
CONTRACT #2 - J2Y35 WATER TANK REPLACEMENT

General Notice

Mason County Public Service District (Owner) is requesting Bids for the construction of the following Project:

J2Y35 Water System Improvements Project
010-10151

Bids for the construction of the Project will be received at the Mason County Public Service District Office located at 101 Camden Avenue, Point Pleasant, WV 25550 until December 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:

Contract #1

The Contract is a waterline extension to extend water service to the former J2Y35 Water Association water distribution system. The extension will consist of approximately 9,700 linear feet of 8” PVC water line, 2,320 linear feet of polyethylene service tubing, ten 8” gatevalves, six fire hydrants, 16 connections to existing water lines, reconnecting 72 water meters to the new water line, one booster station, restoration, and all appurtenances for a complete project.

Contract #2

This Contract consists of a 156,000 gallon above-ground storage tank including site work, piping, water storage tank, electrical, fencing, and restoration for a complete project.

Separate Bids will be received for the following Contracts:

Contract No.	Description of Contract
1	Contract #1 - J2Y35 Distribution System Improvements
2	Contract #2 - J2Y35 Water Tank Replacement

The Work will be substantially completed within 180 calendar days for Contract #1 and 270 calendar days for Contract #2 after the date when the Contract Times commence to run, and completed and ready for final payment within 210 days for Contract #1 and 300 days for Contract #2 after the date when the Contract Times commence to run. Liquidated damages shall be \$1,000.00 per day.

Obtaining the Bidding Documents

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

QuestCDN: <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.
300 Association Drive
Charleston, WV 25311

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.

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 **\$100.00** per set.
- Bidding Documents issued as digital drawings and digital specifications, are available for **\$30.00** per set via the following link:

QuestCDN: <https://tinyurl.com/zu5z8553>

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

Mason County Public Service District
101 Camden Ave

The Thrasher Group, Inc.
300 Association Drive

Point Pleasant, WV 25550

Charleston, WV 25311

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

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 - J2Y35 Distribution System Improvements and
Contract #2 - J2Y35 Water Tank Replacement
Received by the Mason County Public Service District

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.

"DBE REQUIREMENTS"

Each Bidder must fully comply with the requirements, terms, and conditions as set forth in the contract documents to achieve Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) participation during the performance of this contract. The bidder commits itself to the program for DBE participation and all other requirements, terms, and conditions of the bid conditions by submitting a properly signed bid.

The bidder agrees to make "good faith efforts" to sub-contract a portion of the total value of the contract to disadvantaged businesses. This shall be done in compliance with the six (6) affirmative steps as outlined in 40 CFR 31.36(e). Failure to demonstrate positive efforts to do so may lead to rejection of bids. For the purpose of this program, the term "subcontractor" includes all construction, modification, and service work contracted for by the bidder in the execution of the work under this contract.

"NONDISCRIMINATION IN EMPLOYMENT"

"Bidders on this work will be required to comply with the President's Executive Order No. 11246. The requirements for bidders and contractors under this order are explained in the specifications."

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 Mason County Public Service District in an amount equal to five percent (5%) of the base bid.

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 §30-42-12 of the West Virginia Code.

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

The Mason County Public Service District reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Pre-bid Conference

A mandatory pre-bid conference for the Project will be held on November 10, 2022 at 10:00 am at the Mason County Public Service District Office, located at 101 Camden Avenue, Point Pleasant, WV 25550. Attendance at the pre-bid conference is mandatory.

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.

This Advertisement is issued by:

Owner: **Mason County Public Service District**

By: **Brent Clark**

Title: **General Manager**

Date: **October 24, 2022**