

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS
MASON COUNTY PUBLIC SERVICE DISTRICT
MASON COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA
CONTRACT #6 – APPLE GROVE WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT
SBR EQUIPMENT (VENDOR BID)

General Notice

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

Contract #6 – Apple Grove Wastewater Treatment Plant SBR Equipment (Vendor Bid)
Thrasher Project #020-01631

Bids for the construction of the Project will be received at The Thrasher Group, Inc. office located at 1000 Corporate Landing, Charleston, Kanawha County, West Virginia until Tuesday, July 11, 2023 at 2:00 PM local time. At that time the Bids received will be publicly opened and read.

The Project includes the following Work:

To provide all materials, operational equipment, and startup services for two (2) 30' x 30' Sequencing Batch Reactor (SBR) Basins, one (1) 15' x 30' Post Equalization Basin, and one (1) 13.5' x 30' Aerobic Digester Basin at the Apple Grove Wastewater Treatment Plant.

Bids are requested for the following Contract: **Contract #6 – Apple Grove Wastewater Treatment Plant SBR Equipment (Vendor Bid)**

The materials will be purchased and stored at a location designated by the Mason County Public Service District.

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.
1000 Corporate Landing
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.

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 specifications, are available for **\$50.00** per set.
- Bidding Documents issued as digital specifications, are available for **\$40.00** 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 Avenue
Point Pleasant, WV 25550

The Thrasher Group, Inc.
1000 Corporate Landing
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 – Contract #6 – Apple Grove Wastewater Treatment Plant SBR Equipment Vendor Bid
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.

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.

Drug Free Workplace - West Virginia Code 21-1D-5 provides that any solicitation for a public improvement construction contract requires each vendor that submits a bid for the work to submit at the same time an affidavit of compliance with the bid. The enclosed drug-free workplace affidavit must be signed and submitted in the first envelope as evidence of the vendor's compliance with the provisions of Article 1D, Chapter 21 of the West Virginia code. Failure to submit the signed drug-free workplace affidavit in the first envelope shall result in disqualification of such bid.

DBE Requirements - Each Bidder must fully Comply with the Disadvantaged Business Enterprises, and Affirmative Action Requirements, as identified in the contract documents.

The Bidder agrees to make "positive efforts" to subcontract a portion of the total value of the contract to Disadvantaged Business Enterprises. This shall be done in compliance with the six (6) affirmative steps as outlined in 40 CFR 33.240. Failure to demonstrate positive efforts to do so may lead to rejection of bids. For this program, the term "subcontract" includes all construction, modification, and service work contracted for by the bidder in the execution of the work under this contract.

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 pre-bid conference will not be held for this project.

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: Tuesday, June 6, 2023 and
Tuesday, June 13, 2023