

**SECTION 00100
ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS
CULVERT REPLACEMENTS
HOWE, LEE AND GILMORE STREETS
2016 LOCAL MAINTENANCE IMPROVEMENT GRANT (LMIG)
WAYCROSS, GEORGIA**

OWNER

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ENGINEER

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The City of Waycross (OWNER) will receive sealed bids for all material, labor and equipment necessary for the construction of ***Culvert Replacements, Howe, Lee and Gilmore Streets - 2016 Local Maintenance Improvement Grant (LMIG)*** at the OWNER's address listed above until **2:00 p.m.** prevailing local time on Wednesday, **December 14 2016**, at which time and place bids will be opened and read. Proposals may be mailed or delivered to the attention of **Jessica King Deal, City Engineer** at the OWNER's address. Proposals received after the designated date and time will not be considered. No bid may be withdrawn after the closing time for receipt of bids for a period of sixty (60) days. Detailed instructions for the preparation and submission of a bid may be found in the **Specification Section 00200 - Instructions to Bidders**.

Bidders are encouraged to examine the site of the work and to inform themselves fully as to the conditions present at the site. A **pre-bid conference** will be held at the Waycross City Hall on Tuesday, **November 29, 2016** at 2:00 P.M. Attendance is **not mandatory**, however all Bidders are encouraged to attend. The work of this contract consists of three divisions as follows:

Division One – Howe Street Culvert Replacement

Work includes, but is not limited to, mobilization/demobilization; excavation, backfill and compaction; flow diversion and/or by-pass pumping; demolition, removal and disposal of existing culvert and conflicting pavements, curb and gutter sections, etc.; associated utility relocations and improvements; concrete work; installation of new subgrade, base and asphalt pavement; traffic control; erosion control; complete surface restoration; and all other work and appurtenances required.

Division Two – Lee Avenue Culvert Replacement and Resurfacing

Work includes, but is not limited to, mobilization/demobilization; excavation, backfill and compaction; flow diversion and/or by-pass pumping; demolition, removal and disposal of existing culvert and conflicting pavements, curb and gutter sections, etc.; associated utility relocations and improvements; concrete work; installation of new subgrade, base and asphalt pavement; asphalt milling and resurfacing of approximately 1,300 LF of Lee Avenue between Marion Street and Congress Street; grade adjustments at affected sanitary sewer manhole and valve covers; street centerline markings and stop bars; traffic control; erosion control; complete surface restoration; and all other work and appurtenances required.

Division Three – Gilmore Street Culvert Replacement

Work includes, but is not limited to, mobilization/demobilization; excavation, backfill and compaction; flow diversion and/or by-pass pumping; demolition, removal and disposal of existing culvert and conflicting pavements; associated utility relocations and improvements; concrete work; installation of new subgrade, base and asphalt pavement; traffic control; erosion control; complete surface restoration; and all other work and appurtenances required.

The City of Waycross, Georgia reserves the right to delete one or more Bid Items for the purpose of making an award; **the right to award multiple contracts**, and the right to reject any or all bids including without limitation, the right to reject any or all nonconforming, nonresponsive, unbalanced or conditional Bids; and to make an award in the best interest of the City of Waycross.

All work must be completed within the following number of consecutive calendar days from receipt of written Notice to Proceed:

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| For award of a single Division | 90 | Days |
| For award of two Divisions | 150 | Days |
| For award of three Divisions | 210 | days |

This project is advertised in the legal organ of the Owner. The advertisement may also be viewed on the City of Waycross’s website www.waycrossgaga.com. Click the DEPARTMENTS tab, then ENGINEERING DIVISION and then **Culvert Replacements, Howe, Lee and Gilmore Streets - 2016 Local Maintenance Improvement Grant (LMIG)**.

Copies of the specifications and bidding documents may be obtained from Coastal Engineering Consultants, Inc., P.O. Box 20306, St. Simons Island, Georgia 31522 (Phone: 912-223-0647; E-mail: JohnH@cec-ga.com) upon payment of a non-refundable **\$350.00** for each set of full printed bidding documents and specifications requested. The documents are also available electronically upon payment of a non-refundable **\$150.00**.

Bids must be accompanied by a bid bond or certified cashier’s check in an amount not less than 5% of the base bid. Performance and Payment Bonds, each in an amount equal to 100% of the contract amount, shall be required of the successful bidder, if contract is awarded. All bonds shall be by a surety licensed in the State of Georgia with an “A” minimum rating of performance and a financial strength of at least five (5) times the contract price. Each bond shall be accompanied by a “Power of Attorney” authorizing the attorney-in-fact to bind the surety and certified to include the date of the bond. The bid bond shall be forfeited to the City of Waycross as liquidated damages if successful bidder fails to execute a Contract and provide Performance and Payment bonds within ten (10) days after being notified of contract award.

The City of Waycross provides equal opportunity for all businesses and does not discriminate against any person or business because of race, color, religion, sex, national origin, and handicap or veterans status.

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