## **Advertisement for Bids**

Sealed bids will be received until the hour of **2:00 P.M.**, local time, **Wednesday**, **May 16**, **2018**, at the office of the Director of Administration, City Hall, Covington, Louisiana, 317 N. Jefferson Avenue, Covington, LA 70433; for furnishing all labor, materials, supervision, etc., and performing all work necessary to complete the **WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT IMPROVEMENTS**, CCE Project No. 117-116, for the City of Covington, Louisiana. Bids will be opened and publicly read aloud after **2:00 P.M.** in the City Hall Conference Room, City Hall, Covington, Louisiana. Any bids received after **2:00 P.M.** will be returned unopened.

The Contractor shall hold a Louisiana Contractor's license in the Municipal and Public Works Construction Classification. The work consists of tank sludge removal, cleaning, blasting, equipment replacement, painting, and other incidental work as detailed on the Plans and stated in the Specifications. The contract will be for two hundred ten (210) days duration.

A <u>non-mandatory</u> pre-bid conference will be held Thursday, April 26, 2018. The meeting will be held at 2:00 p.m. at City of Covington, City Hall Conference Room, Covington, Louisiana, 317 N. Jefferson Avenue, Covington, LA 70433.

A complete set of Contract Documents may be secured from Professional Engineering Consultants Corporation, 7600 Innovation Park Drive, Baton Rouge, LA 70820; (225) 769-2810 by licensed Contractors upon payment of one hundred dollars (\$150.00) per set. This payment is refundable to bonafide bidders returning the Documents in good condition within ten (10) days after the Opening of Bids.

Each bid must be accompanied by a bid security in the form of certified check, cashier's check, or Bid Bond as prescribed by LA RS 38:2218.A.C, in the amount equal to at least five percent (5%) of the total amount bid and payable without conditions to the Owner as a guarantee that the Bidder, if awarded the Contract, will promptly execute a Contract in accordance with his proposal and all terms and conditions of the Contract Documents. The outside envelope in which the bid is placed must be clearly marked as follows:

Sealed Bid: WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT IMPROVEMENTS CCE Project No. 117-116

Bid Due Date and Time: Wednesday, May 16, 2018; 2:00 P.M.

INCLUDE: Contractor's name, address, and Louisiana state contractor's license number

It is requested, but not mandatory, that the entire bid package be submitted in duplicate. Duplicate copy can be a photocopy.

All applicable laws, ordinances, and the rules and regulations of all authorities having jurisdiction over construction of the project shall apply to the Contract throughout.

Mayor Mike Cooper City of Covington

**Publication Dates:** 

Wednesday, April 18, 2018 Wednesday, April 25, 2018 Wednesday, May 2, 2018