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PHYSICAL LOCATION

Montgomery County
Administrative Building, Annex III
101 S. Lawrence Street
Montgomery, AL 36104

PURCHASING DEPARTMENT

P.O. BOX 1667
MONTGOMERY, ALABAMA 36102-1667

INVITATION TO BID
Fuel Management System

Bid Date: August 13, 2018	Mandatory Pre-Bid Meeting August 20, 2018 @10:00 A.M.	Bid Number: 51901-18B-023	Return Quotation By: August 29, 2018 10:00 a.m. CST
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Please submit a sealed price quotation on the items listed herein. (**Faxed bids will not be accepted.**) The submissions will be received at the Purchasing Department Office, 101 S. Lawrence Street until the date and time shown above, and publicly opened as soon thereafter as practicable. If unable to quote, write "NO BID" and return.

Complete specifications on items not fully described can be obtained on request. Brand names and catalog numbers are used to indicate levels of quality. If you are unable to furnish an item as specified and desire to furnish a substitute, give full description of the item. Final determination as to equal quality of substitution will be made by the Purchasing Agent.

The Montgomery County Commission reserves the right to award this bid on an all or none basis, to refuse all bids, and to waive technicalities.

Questions regarding this bid should be directed to Myrtle Singleton, Purchasing Manager, Purchasing Department, Montgomery County Administrative Building Annex III, 101 South Lawrence Street, Montgomery, Alabama, phone number (334) 832-1269.

Donald L. Mims
County Administrator and Purchasing Agent

GENERAL CONDITIONS AND INSTRUCTIONS

1. Bid Number 51901-18B-023 must appear on the outside of the bid envelope.
2. No oral, telephonic, facsimile, modifications or alternate bids will be considered. Bids from firms, individuals, or the same owners of separate companies submitting more than one bid will not be considered.
3. Three (3) no responses to invitation to bid will be reason for deletion of bidder's name from the bid list. Once deleted from bid list, bidder's name may be returned to bid list with a written request from the bidder.
4. Bidders must submit an original and one (1) copy of its bid. The attached bid form must be completed in its entirety, signed by an authorized agent of the company, and submitted with the bid response. **Bid forms that are not signed will be disqualified.**
5. All pricing shall be F.O.B., Montgomery, Alabama. Delivery will be to the office of the ordering department listed on the purchase order with all freight charges paid by the vendor. Freight cost will be included in the bid price.
6. Bidders must attach to bid a copy of a current City of Montgomery business license and Montgomery County business license, if required by law, and shall be current on payment of all city and county sales taxes. **If vendor is not required to have a City of Montgomery Business license or a Montgomery County business license, vendor must specify why license is not required.**
7. The successful bidder awarded the contract/purchase order must provide documentation of its enrollment in the e-verify program.

DISPUTE RESOLUTION

If a dispute arises out of or relates to this agreement or its breach, the parties shall endeavor to settle the dispute first through direct discussions and negotiations. If the dispute cannot be settled through direct discussions or negotiations, the parties shall endeavor to settle the dispute by non-binding mediation. The location of the mediation shall be Montgomery, Alabama. Either party may terminate the mediation at any time after the session, but the decision to terminate must be delivered in person to the other party and the mediator. Engaging in mediation is a condition precedent to any other form of binding dispute resolution. If the parties cannot agree on a mutual resolution, any disputes not resolved by mediation shall be decided in the Circuit Court of Montgomery County, Alabama, governed by the laws of the state of Alabama.

BID PROTEST PROCEDURE

A formal written protest shall be submitted to the Administrator/Purchasing Agent within five (5) working days before the bid opening or proposal due date or within five (5) working days after award. The formal written protest may be hand delivered to the Administrator or Administrator's Office of the Montgomery County Commission and/or mailed to the Administrator/Purchasing Agent by registered certified mail. The bidder and/or his authorized agent or legal representative must sign the formal written protest or it will not be accepted.

Failure to file the notice of protest within the time limit prescribed herein shall constitute a waiver of any protest to the bid and/or request for proposal process.

The formal written protest shall state with particularity the facts and law upon which the protest is based. Within 30 calendar days of receipt of the timely filed, formal written protest, the Administrator/Purchasing Agent shall issue a written decision with respect to the protest. Should the decision by the Administrator/Purchasing Agent be adverse to the bidder, the bidder may seek relief in accordance with the *Code of Alabama 41-16-31*.

HOLD HARMLESS

The selected vendor agrees to protect, defend, indemnify and hold the Montgomery County Commission and its employees, agents, officers and servants free and harmless from any and all losses, claims, liens, not limited to, the amounts of judgments, penalties, interests, court costs, legal fees, and all other expenses incurred by the County arising in favor of any party, including employees of the successful vendor, death or damages to property and without limitation by enumeration, all other claims or demands of every character but only on the proportion of and to the extent such losses, claims, liens, demands and causes of action arise out of the negligent acts or omissions of contractor, its employees, agents and officers. The successful vendor agrees to investigate, handle, respond to, provide defense for and defend any such claims, demand, or suite at its sole expense. The successful vendor also, agrees to bear all other costs and expense related thereto, even if the claim or claims alleged are groundless, false or fraudulent.

ALABAMA'S IMMIGRATION LAW

The contracting parties affirm, for the duration of the agreement, that they will not violate federal immigration law or knowingly employ, hire for employment, or continue to employ an unauthorized alien within the State of Alabama. Furthermore, a contracting party found to be in violation of this provision shall be deemed in breach of the agreement and shall be responsible for all damages resulting therefrom.

SCOPE OF WORK

Montgomery County Commission is soliciting bids for installation of a fuel management system at three Engineering Districts (1800 Terminal Road, Montgomery, AL; 2093 Meriwether Road, Pike Road, AL; and 5596 Hickory Drive, Ramer, AL) and software upgrades for the County's existing OPW Phoenix SQL fuel management system V4.18.117.16. (115 S. Perry Street, Montgomery, AL; MCSO Ramer Substation, 129 Main Street Ramer, AL; and MCSO K-9 Facility, 129 K-9 Way, Montgomery, Snowdown, AL)

Successful bidder shall furnish all labor, materials, and equipment to install fueling system and software updates. Installation and software updates are to be completed within ninety days of execution of contract.

A **mandatory** pre-bid meeting will be held on Monday, August 20, 2018 at 10:00 am at the following location, to be followed by visits to all installation sites:

Annex I
Information Systems Conference Room
100 S. Lawrence Street
Montgomery, AL 36104

Vendor Requirements:

1. Vendor must submit a complete turnkey solution with a project plan for all fuel sites to include a proposed schedule for installation and upgrades at each site and a test plan that documents successful operation of all systems. Project plan must minimize number of site visits that require presence of County personnel.
2. Install new electrical wiring as necessary for required fuel system devices.
3. Vendor's proposal must include options for **Annual Maintenance and Support Contract** for all fuel sites, including fuel pumps and FSC3000 fuel system hardware, and 24/7 support and repair options for critical emergencies as related to public safety and engineering departments. A minimum two-hour response time is required. The County may or may not elect to exercise any of the options.
4. Vendor must furnish Montgomery County Commission with certificates of coverage for a minimum of \$1,000,000.00 general liability to be kept in effect at all times.
5. Work sites must be left clean after each day, as acceptable by county personnel. Vendor will remove and properly dispose of removed equipment.

County Requirements:

1. County will install and terminate all network cabling to all fuel sites as required and perform any necessary server software patches and or software.

FUEL SYSTEM SPECIFICATIONS

The items specified shall be OPW FSC 3000 Control System or approved equal.

1. Provide Server Software Upgrades for Phoenix SQL and any necessary server software upgrade media or electronic download with required license keys for existing Phoenix SQL v4.18.117.16 (Installation to be performed by County IT Department)
2. Upgrade and install Proximity Reader Security at all existing OPW FSC3000 fuel site locations:

- MCSO Parking Lot @ 115 S. Perry St. Montgomery, AL
- MCSO Ramer Substation @ 129 Main Street Ramer, AL
- MCSO K-9 Facility @ 129 K-9 Way Snowden, AL

OPW MFG Part #	Quantity	Description
20-4124	3	Pocket Weather Shield
20-4282	3	Proximity Reader Option for K800 FIT – (HYBRID ONLY)
S08521	3	Hybrid Software Chip for Proximity Reader

3. Add new OPW FSC3000 fuel sites for existing fuel pumps to County's OPW Phoenix SQL Fuel System:

A. Fuel Site #1: Engineering District 1 @ 1800 Terminal Rd Montgomery, AL.

- 4 total pumping stations (1-Diesel, 1-Gasoline, 2-Bulk Fuel)

OPW MFG Part #	Quantity	Description
20-8057	1	External FSC3000
K800-FIT-4	1	Hybrid Fuel Island Terminal (HFIT) – 4 Hose (includes 4-Hose Pump Control, 2X16 LCD display, heater, and pedestal.)
20-4124	3	Pocket Weather Shield
20-4282	3	Proximity Reader Option for K800 FIT – (HYBRID ONLY)
S08521	3	Hybrid Software Chip for Proximity Reader

B. Fuel Site #2: Engineering District 2 @ 2093 Meriwether Rd Pike Road, AL:

- Total 2 pumping stations (1-Diesel, 1-Gasoline)

OPW MFG Part #	Quantity	Description
20-8057	1	External FSC3000
K800-FIT-4	1	Hybrid Fuel Island Terminal (HFIT) – 2 Hose

		(includes 2-Hose Pump Control, 2X16 LCD display, heater, and pedestal.)
20-4124	3	Pocket Weather Shield
20-4282	3	Proximity Reader Option for K800 FIT – (HYBRID ONLY)
S08521	3	Hybrid Software Chip for Proximity Reader

C. Fuel Site #3: Engineering District 3 @ 5596 Hickory Drive Ramer, AL:

- Total 2 pumping stations (1-Diesel, 1-Gasoline)

OPW MFG Part #	Quantity	Description
20-8057	1	External FSC3000
K800-FIT-4	1	Hybrid Fuel Island Terminal (HFIT) – 2 Hose (includes 2-Hose Pump Control, 2X16 LCD display, heater, and pedestal.)
20-4124	3	Pocket Weather Shield
20-4282	3	Proximity Reader Option for K800 FIT – (HYBRID ONLY)
S08521	3	Hybrid Software Chip for Proximity Reader

**Bid Amount for Upgrade and Installation
per Fuel System Specifications**

\$ _____

Annual Maintenance and Support Contract Options

Option 1:

Annual Maintenance for fuel pumps and
FSC3000 fuel system hardware

\$ _____

Option 2

24/7 support and repair option for critical emergencies
as related to public safety and engineering departments
with minimum two-hour response time

\$ _____

Option 3:

Annual Maintenance for fuel pumps and
FSC3000 fuel system hardware and **24/7 support and repair
option** for critical emergencies as related to public safety and
engineering departments with minimum two-hour response time

\$ _____

Please complete this form and return it with your bid proposal. Should you choose not to bid at this time, please complete this form and forward back to our office as soon as possible. It is necessary that you check all categories that apply to your company.

Vendor Name: _____

Address: _____

Email Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Fax Number: _____

Is the Company Minority Owned: _____ Yes _____ No

Is the Company Owned By: _____ Female _____ Male _____ Both

Is the Company Incorporated: _____ Yes _____ No

Ethnicity of Ownership:

_____ African American

_____ American Indian

_____ Asian American

_____ Disabled

_____ Hispanic

_____ Other (Please Specify) _____

Official Signature

Printed Name and Title

Date: _____

RESPONSE FORM TO BE ATTACHED TO BID

Company Name _____

Federal I.D. # _____

Mailing Address _____

Phone Number _____

Email Address _____

Quote F.O.B. _____

Terms of Payment _____

Delivery Date _____

Official Signature

Printed Name and Title