

Advertisement for Bids City of Mercer Island

Project Title: 21-11 Reservoir Improvements

Project No.: 21-11

Engineers Estimated Cost (range): \$60,000 - \$85,000

Sealed bids will be received, not sent, electronically by the City until **2:00 PM on March 2, 2021**. Due to the Covid-19 pandemic and the temporary closure of the City Hall building, bidders shall submit their bids in PDF format to the City Clerk at cityclerk@mercerisland.gov. Upon receipt of e-bid, the City Clerk will send a Zoom link to the same email that sent the bid (no exceptions).

A Virtual Bid Opening is scheduled for **March 4, 2021 at 10:00 AM**. Bid results will be posted on the City's website, after the Virtual Bid Opening, at <https://www.mercerisland.gov/rfps>.

Work to be performed under this contract includes, but is not limited to: installation of a new reservoir vent, replacement of access hatch gaskets, installation of new screens on reservoir overflow and drain lines, sealing a small hole in the North Reservoir, pressure washing the South Reservoir, and touchup recoating in areas of work.

The City reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive minor irregularities.

Plans, specifications, addenda, and bidders list are available on-line through Builders Exchange of Washington, Inc. at <http://www.bxwa.com>. Click on "Posted Projects", "Public Works", "City of Mercer Island", "Projects Bidding". Builders Exchange manages the official bidders list. Bidders are encouraged to register in order to receive automatic email notification of future addenda and to be placed on the official bidders list.

Plans and specifications are also available at the City of Mercer Island website <https://www.mercerisland.gov/rfps>. Addenda may not be available or updated on this website.

A bid deposit in the amount of five percent (5%) of the bid total price must accompany each bid.

Bidder questions are to be directed to Maya Giddings, CIP Project Manager, by email only at maya.giddings@mercerisland.gov. The City will receive questions until **12:00pm on February 23, 2020**. Questions received after this date will not be answered. All questions and responses will be posted by **February 25, 2021** to the Builders Exchange site.

The City of Mercer Island, in accordance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, 78 Stat. 252, 42 U.S.C. 2000d to 2000d-4 and Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Department of Transportation, Subtitle A, Office of the Secretary, Part 21, Nondiscrimination in Federally-assisted programs of the Department of Transportation issued pursuant to such Act, hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively ensure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, disadvantaged business enterprises as defined at 49 CFR Part 23 will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, national origin, or sex in consideration for an award.

Deborah Estrada, MMC, City Clerk

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