

## ADVERTISEMENT AND INVITATION FOR BIDS

The City of Johnson City will receive sealed bids for furnishing all plant, labor, materials, and equipment and performing all work required for the Texas Department of Agriculture (TDA) 2018 Texas Community Development Block Grant (TxCDBG) Danz Water Plant Improvements until 10:00 A.M. on Thursday, August 22, 2019 at the City of Johnson City, 303 E. Pecan Drive, Johnson City, Texas 78636 after which the bids will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Bids are invited for construction of a 211,568-gallon powder-coated bolted steel ground storage tank, piping, valves, gauges, and appurtenances at the Danz Water Plant in Johnson City, Texas.

An alternate bid for a 200,000-gallon welded steel ground storage tank is included in the project.

Plans, specifications, and bidding documents are available at [www.civcastusa.com](http://www.civcastusa.com) or may be examined without charge or purchased at the office of Jones & Carter, Inc., 150 Venture Drive, Suite 100, College Station, Texas 77845 for a non-refundable fee of \$50.00 per set.

An original of the bid shall be submitted in a sealed envelope upon the blank form of proposal furnished. Sealed envelopes shall be marked in the upper left-hand corner as follows:

BID DOCUMENTS  
"DO NOT OPEN IN MAIL ROOM"  
BID FOR CITY OF JOHNSON CITY  
BLANCO COUNTY, TEXAS  
2018 TXCDBG DANZ WATER PLANT IMPROVEMENTS  
TDA CONTRACT NO. 7218249  
J|C NO. 0A830-0009-00  
TO BE OPENED: THURSDAY, AUGUST 22, 2019, AT 10:00 A.M.

A bid bond in the amount of five percent (5%) of the bid issued by an acceptable surety shall be submitted with each bid (for those contracts that exceed \$100,000). A certified check or bank draft payable to the City of Johnson City, Texas or negotiable U.S. Government Bonds (as par value) may be submitted in lieu of the Bid Bond.

Attention is called to the fact that not less than, the federally determined prevailing (Davis-Bacon and Related Acts) wage rate, as issued by the Texas Department of Agriculture Office of Rural Affairs and contained in the contract documents, must be paid on this project. In addition, the successful bidder must ensure that employees and applicants for employment are not discriminated against because of race, color, religion, sex, sexual identity, gender identity, or national origin. Adherence to the grant recipient's Section 3 Policy is required for contracts and subcontracts in excess of \$100,000.00.

The City of Johnson City reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any informalities in the bidding. Bids may be held by the City of Johnson City for a period not to exceed sixty (60) days from the date of the bid opening for the purpose of reviewing the bids and investigating the bidders' qualifications prior to the contract award.

All contractors/subcontractors that are debarred, suspended or otherwise excluded from or ineligible for participation on federal assistance programs may not undertake any activity in part or in full under this project.

The successful bidder must furnish performance and payment bonds upon the forms contained in the contract documents in the amount of one hundred percent (100%) of the contract price from a responsible surety company authorized to do business in the state of Texas and satisfactory to the City.