

BIDDING PROPOSAL – DUBUQUE COUNTY

Type of Work: Pond Construction

Project No. Ringneck Ridge Wildlife Area Pond

Letting Date: March 23, 2017 - 1:00 P.M. Dubuque County Conservation Nature Center. Proposals must be received no later than 1:00 P.M., Thursday, March 23, 2017 at the Dubuque County Conservation Nature Center, 13606 Swiss Valley Rd., Peosta, IA 52068

Location/Description: Construct a 3 acre pond at the Ringneck Ridge Wildlife Area in Dubuque County in Section 5 of Cascade Township, T87N-R2W.

Special Provisions: None.

NOTE: Dubuque County is a designated exempt entity as authorized by Iowa Code 422.42(15)(16) and 422.47(5). The Contractor is eligible to receive an exemption from the State of Iowa Sales Tax and Local Option Tax. Dubuque County expects the Contractor to obtain the sales tax exemption. State of Iowa Sales Tax shall not be included in the bid. The Contractor will be provided with a Certificate and "authorized letter" which may be used to purchase materials used on the specific contract without paying sales tax. Unit bids must be typed or shown in ink or the bid will be rejected.

Completion Date: August 31, 2017

Total Project Cost Bid = \$ _____

The bidder hereby certifies that no other principal is involved in or has an interest in this proposal; that the bidder has thoroughly examined the plans and specifications and this proposal form and is aware of the special provisions contained herein; that the bidder has examined the site of the work and understands that the quantities of work required by the plans and specifications are approximate only and are subject to increases and decreases; that the bidder understands that all quantities of work actually required must be performed and that payment therefore shall be at the unit prices stipulated herein; that the bidder proposes to timely furnish the specified materials in the quantities required and to furnish the machinery, equipment, labor and expertise necessary to competently complete this project by the time specified; that no state or county official or employee has a direct or indirect interest in the contract which would cause violation of Iowa Code Section 314.2; that the bidder has made no agreement with any supplier of motor fuel or special fuel which will result in a violation of Iowa Code Section 452A.17(8),

Acceptance of a bid by the county is subject to confirmation and review and no contract enforceable by the bidder is created until execution of a written contract by all parties. If this bid is accepted, bidder agrees: to execute a formal contract within thirty days of the date of approval for award and furnish a performance bond in an amount equal to the contract award as security for the full and complete performance of the contract in accordance with the plans and specifications or forfeit the proposal guaranty furnished herewith. Upon execution of a written contract by all parties, the contractor agrees to begin work in accordance with the contract documents and to either complete the work within the contract period or pay liquidated damages, which shall accrue at the daily rate specified above, for each additional working day the work remains uncompleted; to perform all "extra work" required to complete the project at unit prices or lump sums to be agreed upon in writing prior to commencement of such "extra work" or, if prior agreement cannot be reached, to perform the work on a "force-account basis" as provided in the specifications.

By virtue of statutory authority preference will be given to products and provisions grown and coal produced within the State of Iowa where applicable.

The signing of this Bid document shall serve as an unsworn declaration that I (the owner, partner, President, other corporate officer, or an authorized representative) hereby certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States and the State of Iowa that I have read, understand, and accept the Bidding Certifications and other provisions contained in the proposal notice/notice to bidders and the DBE contract provisions (if a DBE goal has been set).

Proposal of _____ Name of Bidder _____ Phone _____

_____ Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

_____ Email _____ Cell Phone _____ Fax _____

Signatures are to be by authorized agent; if joint venture, each should sign.

_____ Signature _____ Date _____ Signature _____ Date _____