

CLASSIFIEDS / BIDS RELIGION

Notice To Contractors

Sealed bids for the construction of the **Wastewater Rehabilitation & Replacement of the South Side Collection System** for the City of Powers, Coos County, Oregon, will be received by the City of Powers until **bid closing time of 2:00 P.M. Pacific Time, on Tuesday March 30, 2004**. A two-hour period shall follow in which all bidders shall follow in which all bidders shall submit it the City of Powers, a subcontractor Disclosure Form, identifying any first-tier subcontractor that will be furnishing labor or labor and material on the Contract. Refer to Disclosure Form and Instruction to Bidders within the Contract Documents. The bids opening will be conducted in the Powers City Hall Council Chambers where the bids will be publicly opened and read aloud. Bids submitted prior to bid opening date are to be delivered to the City Recorder, City of Powers, P.O. Box 250, or 275 Fir Street, Powers, Oregon 97466.

The project may be generally described as follows:

- 12" Sanitary Sewer.....10 linear feet
- 8" Sanitary Sewer.....3,815 linear feet
- 6" Sanitary Sewer.....590 linear feet
- 8" Sanitary Sewer Cleaning TV Insp., Lining.....2,270 linear feet
- 12" Sanitary Sewer Cleaning, TV Insp., Lining.....1,180 linear feet
- 4" Service Laterals
- 6" Service Laterals
- 23" Standard Manholes
- 2 Standard Cleanouts
- Miscellaneous Installation Materials and Appurtenances

Plans and specifications may be seen at the Office of HGE INC., Architects, Engineers, Surveyors & Planners, 375 Park Avenue, Coos Bay, Oregon 97420, and at the following locations:

- City of Powers.....Powers Oregon
- Bay Area Plan Exchange..... Coos Bay, Oregon
- Daily Journal of Commerce Plan Center..... Portland, Oregon
- Douglas County Plan Center.....Roseburg, Oregon
- Eugene Builders Exchange.....Eugene, Oregon
- Grants Pass Builder Exchange.....Grant Pass, Oregon
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- McGraw-Hill Construction/Dodge Plan Center...Portland, Oregon
- Medford Builders Exchange.....Portland, Oregon
- Oregon Contractor Plan Center.....Clackamas, Oregon
- Reed Construction Data.....Portland, Oregon
- Salem Contractor Exchange.....Salem, Oregon

One copy of the Contract Documents may be obtained by prospective bidders upon receipt of cash or check in the amount of \$100.00 made payable to the Engineer. Deposit made upon procurement of drawing, specifications, and forms of contact documents will be non-refundable. Individual sheets and specification pages may be purchased for the cost of reproduction: Drawings \$2.00 per sheet; Specifications \$0.25 per sheet.

Bidders must prequalify with Owner under ORS 279.039 (1), on Standard Oregon Review Board Prequalification forms, ten (10) day prior to bid opening. Prequalification forms may be obtained from the Engineer and should be submitted to the Owner via the Engineer. If prequalification form is on file with the Engineer and is not over one year old, refiling is not necessary unless there has been a substantial change in Contractor's status.

No bids will be considered unless fully completed in the manner provided in the "Instructions to Bidders" upon the bid form provided by the Engineer and accompanied by a bid bond executed in favor of the City of Powers. In an amount not less than ten percent (10%) of the total amount of the bid. Bid bond is to be forfeited as a fixed and liquidated damage should the bidder neglect or refuse to enter into a contract and provide suitable bond for the faithful performance of work in the event the contract is awarded them. Funds for the improvements are available, and monthly payments will be made by check.

The successful Bidder must be registered with the Construction Contractor's Board. Bidder is not required to be licensed under ORS 468A. 720.

Contracts awarded under this Notice of Contractors will be financed with a grant from the United States and the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) through the Oregon Community Development Block Grant Program (OCD), administered by the Economic and Community Development Department (OECDD) of the State of Oregon. Neither the United States nor any of its departments, agencies, or employees is or will be party to this Notice to Contractors of any resulting contract. This procurement will be subject to regulations contained in Part 33 Procurement Under Assistance Agreement. Contracts are subject to 40 CFR regulations.

Work included in this project is for public work subject to the Oregon Prevailing Wage Rate Laws (ORS 279.348 to 279.313). Bidders attention is directed to the requirements of employment and minimum wage rates to be paid. No bid will be considered or received by City of Powers unless the bid contains a statements by the signer as part of his bid that the provisions required by ORS 279.350 are to be complied with. Requirements for bidders and contractors under this order are detailed in the Contract Documents.

Bidders on this work will be required to comply with the provisions of the President's Executive Order No. 11246 concerning equal employment opportunity, including all amendments and requirements issued thereunder. The requirements for Bidders and Contractors under this Order are explained in the Contract Documents.

The attention of Bidders is directed to the requirements and conditions of employment to be observed and minimum rates to be paid under the Contract. The Bidder shall comply with provisions of the Davis-Bacon Act (40 U.S.C. 27 6a) for this public work project.

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Claudina Serrano, Laura Gomez-Navarro, Patricia Paniagua, Matilde Flores, Catherine Fleischman and Maria Avila are part of a new team working to build healthier communities through a church-based program.

Parishes Promote Healthy Communities

The Parish Health Promoter Program, a Hispanic health outreach project sponsored by Catholic Charities El Programa Hispano and Providence Portland Medical Center, has graduated 40 new Parish Health Promoters serving St. Anne, St. Peter and Ascension Catholic churches in Portland.

The goal is building healthier communities through parish-based outreach.

These volunteers, or "promotores," as they are known in Spanish, serve as a link between their community and the health care system. The most recent graduates attended more than 50 hours of

training over a five-month period to help parishioners access health care and deal with health issues ranging from high blood pressure and heart disease to basic first aid, CPR, and counseling.

In collaboration with University of Portland School of Nursing, the Portland Archdiocese, the

Multnomah County Health Division, and OSU Extension, the promotores are participating in annual health fairs, teaching wellness classes, performing door-to-door outreach in low-income areas, offering sports physicals for Latino youth and producing Spanish language radio programs on health.

Union Gospel Mission Shoe Drive

Union Gospel Mission and Foot Solutions is partnering to bring a much-needed basic item to the community's homeless and needy: Shoes.

"A lot of people think of donating coats and clothes, but shoes are

really needed as well. We have people coming to our door everyday that need shoes and the shoes are always in short supply. A lot of homeless people are on their feet all day and walking a lot," says John Parsons.

In addition to working on over-

coming his addiction as a member of the mission's LifeChange recovery community, John Parsons oversees the activities of the group's homeless services.

For information, call 503-274-4483 or visit www.ugmportland.org.

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2 Corinthians 4:17-18



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Cascade Campus Expansion

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He said he came to Oregon, "for the adrenaline rush. I was young at the time and came up to work, do something new," he said.

"The biggest thrill is taking nothing and turning it into something," Romero added. "You can do whatever you want to do in this line of work. There are no limits here."

Eventually, Romero would like to be his own boss and use the knowledge he has gained from working as an apprentice. But for now, Romero said working on the PCC-Cascade projects has given him a sense of pride that he is help-

ing a community.

"As I stand in line at the café in the Student Center Building, I can see the difference being made in the faces of the students. They are trying to get educated and hopefully they can make it out of college and make a difference in the world," Romero said. "From the bottom up, it's exciting to be a part of the construction of a structure that will be here years from now being used by students and the community."

Romero's participation in the construction at PCC reflects the college's commitment to include women and minority workers in the project.



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