## SECTION 00020 INVITATION FOR BIDS

The Town of Summerton will receive Sealed Bids for the **Goat Island Sewer System Improvements**, until 10:00 AM on May 21, 2025 at the Town of Summerton, 10 Main Street, Summerton, SC 29148, at which time and place all Bids will be publicly opened and read aloud.

**Base Bid Division** "A": Construction of 41,000-LF of 6" sewer forcemain via a combination of open cut, bore and jack, and horizontal directional drill. Project also includes air release valves, plug valves, fittings, connections, pavement repair, sediment and erosion control, landscape restoration, and all necessary appurtenances as specified and depicted in the Contract Documents.

## Base Bid Division "B":

- Decommissioning and demolition of the existing Goat Island WWTP including associated site work and restoration.
- Construction of three (3) new sewer pump stations. The pump stations include gravity sewer tie-ins, site work, duplex submersible pump stations, and associated piping, electrical, equipment, and all necessary appurtenances as specified and depicted in the Contract Documents.

Documents May Be Obtained From: American Engineering Consultants, Inc., c/o Laura Stritzinger lstritzinger@aec-sc.com 803-791-1400

Copies of the Contract Documents may be obtained upon registration with the Engineer. All Prime Bidders must be registered.

This project is being funded by a SCIIP Grant from the SC Rural Infrastructure Authority (RIA). Bidders must be aware of and must comply with all applicable state and federal requirements identified in the bid documents. The low bidder will be required to complete all required documentation and submit to the engineer within ten (10) days of the bid opening. RIA must review the information and approve the contractor prior to issuance of a Notice to Proceed. Reference is made to the information included in Sections 00815 and 00818.

No bid shall be considered unless the bidder is legally qualified under the provisions of the South Carolina Contractor's Licensing Law and has a classification of General Contractor-Public Utilities and a sub-classification of Water and Sewer Lines with the appropriate License Group Limitation for the Bid amount. No bidder may withdraw his Bid within 90 consecutive days after the actual date of opening.

A certified check or bank draft payable to the order of the OWNER, negotiable U. S. Government Bonds (at par value), or a satisfactory Bid Bond executed by the Bidder and an acceptable Surety in an amount equal to five percent (5%) of the total Bid shall be submitted with each Bid.

Attention is called to the fact that not less than the minimum salaries and wages as set forth in the Contract Documents must be paid on this project as applicable. The Contractor shall ensure that employees and applicants for employment are not discriminated against because of their race, color, religion, sex, or national origin.

OWNER reserves the right to reject any and/or all Bids or to waive any informality in the Bidding. Bids may be held by the OWNER for a period not to exceed ninety (90) days from the date of the opening of Bids for the purpose of reviewing the Bids and investigating the qualifications of Bidders, prior to awarding of the Contract.

**END OF SECTION** 



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## **BID DOCUMENT REGISTRATION FORM**

## Goat Island Sewer System Improvements TOWN OF SUMMERTON

AEC Project No. 24-023 SCIIP Grant No. A-23-R190

TO OBTAIN BID DOCUMENTS, PLEASE COMPLETE, SIGN AND RETURN THIS FORM to:

Laura Stritzinger at Istritzinger@aec-sc.com

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