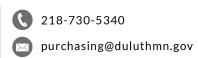


## Purchasing Division

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## \*\*\*\*\*\*\*ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

## BIDS DUE: 2:00PM LOCAL TIME, WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 2021

BID NUMBER: 21-0193; PRE-INSULATED PVF & ACCESSORIES - Second St Phase 2

The City of Duluth, Minnesota requests sealed bids for pre-insulated pipe, valves, fittings and accessories for Phase 2 of the Second Street steam to hot water conversion project.

Due to the closure of City Hall due to the COVID-19 pandemic, all bids must be submitted electronically through Bid Express® at <a href="www.bidexpress.com">www.bidexpress.com</a>. E-MAIL BIDS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED. The City Purchasing Agent or her designee will conduct a virtual public bid opening immediately after the deadline for receiving bids. Bidders may view the opening by going to the Purchasing web page (https://www.duluthmn.gov/bids-request-for-proposals/) and selecting the appropriate link.

Questions pertaining to this project should be directed to <a href="mailto:purchasing@duluthmn.gov">purchasing@duluthmn.gov</a>.

Specifications may be viewed and downloaded at no cost at <a href="www.bidexpress.com">www.bidexpress.com</a>. Bidders must create a free account with Bid Express®; and login to search for city projects (search by "City of Duluth" or bid number). Bid Express® charges a nominal fee for bid submission. More information can be found at <a href="https://www.bidexpress.com/vendor\_resources">https://www.bidexpress.com/vendor\_resources</a>

Bidders must review the 2019 edition of the City of Duluth Public Works/Utilities Department – Engineering Division Standard Construction Specifications, available on the City <u>website</u>, as these Specifications are incorporated by reference.

The City of Duluth reserves the right to waive informalities and to reject any or all bids.

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