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ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS BIDS DUE TUESDAY, JUNE 14, 2022 at 2:00 pm

BID NO. 22-5507

CHESTER SKI BRIDGE STEEL PACKAGE

The City of Duluth, Minnesota, on behalf of Chester Bowl Improvement Club (CBIC), requests sealed bids for the above named project. Awarded bidder will be contracting directly with CBIC.

This project is funded in part by a Community Development Block Grant. The awarded bidder must have an active SAM.gov registration with no exclusions. Federal supplementary provisions shall apply.

Bid is for materials only. Installation will be performed by others.

Electronic bids may be submitted through Bid Express® at www.bidexpress.com until the deadline indicated above. **E-MAIL BIDS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.** The City Purchasing Agent will conduct a public bid opening immediately after the deadline for receiving bids. Bidders wishing to view the bid opening should visit https://www.duluthmn.gov/purchasing/bids-request-for-proposals/ and select the appropriate link.

Questions pertaining to this project should be e-mailed to kyle.marynik@lhbcorp.com. Answers will be provided in the form of an addendum.

Plans and specifications may be viewed and downloaded at no cost at www.bidexpress.com. 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® does charge a nominal fee for bid submission. More information can be found at https://www.bidexpress.com/vendor_resources.

Plans and specifications are on file for inspection at the Minnesota Builder's Exchange and BXWI-Fox Valley Plan Room.

Bidders must review the 2019 edition of the City of Duluth Public Works/Utilities Department – Engineering Division Standard Construction Specifications (available at http://www.duluthmn.gov/engineering/standard-construction-specifications/) as these Specifications are incorporated by reference.

INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

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No alternatives to the specification will be considered unless specifically requested. Erasures or other changes to the bid must be initialed and dated, however no special conditions shall be made or included in the bid form by the bidder

The City of Duluth reserves the right to split the award where there is a substantial savings to the City, to waive informalities and to reject any and all bids. Price may not be the only consideration for bid award. Bids must be firm for a minimum of 60 days.

CITY OF DULUTH

Patrice Stalvig Purchasing Agent