CITY OF DULUTH
INVITATION TO BID

PROJECT NAME/DESCRIPTION: CASCADE PARK PERMANENT FLOOD REPAIRS - REBID
PROJECT NUMBER: 1187
BID NUMBER: 13-0249

Sealed bids will be received by the City Purchasing Agent in and for the Corporation of the City of Duluth, Minnesota, at his office, Room 100 City Hall, Duluth, Minnesota, 55802, (218) 730-5340 until 2:00 p.m. local time on April 10, 2013 for the above named project. Immediately thereafter, bids will be taken to room 106A City Hall, where they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS:

1. A Project Labor Agreement (PLA) will be required for any bid that is over or could virtually go over $150,000.
2. Unless a Certificate of Exemption is provided, any out-of-state bidder receiving a bid award will have 8% retained from invoice payments on any contracts over $50,000. Submit a signed copy from the State of Minnesota when submitting Payment and Performance Bonds. This form may be found at the following web address: http://taxes.state.mn.us/Forms_and_Instructions/sde.pdf

The project involves furnishing all labor, materials and equipment to repair the flood damage within Cascade Park. The work includes reconstruct 20 wide concrete stairway with steel railing approximately 50 feet long, reconstruct storm manhole (design F) on top of existing storm vault, construct 50 l.f. of concrete sidewalk with truncated domes, erosion control, and turf establishment.

Questions pertaining to this project should be directed to: Howard Smith, Project Engineer, 218-730-5092.

Each bidder must review the 2013 edition of the City of Duluth Public Works/Utilities Department – Engineering Division Standard Construction Specification on the city website (www.duluthmn.gov) as these Specifications are incorporated by reference and are deemed to be a part hereof this project as if fully incorporated and set forth herein.

Plans and specifications may be secured from the City Engineering office, Room 211 City Hall, 411 West 1st St., Duluth, MN 55802, upon payment of a check, draft or money order in the amount of $50.00 made payable to the City of Duluth. (This payment will not be refunded.)

Plans and specifications are on file for inspection at the City Engineering office, Duluth Builders Exchange, F.W. Dodge Plan Room, Minneapolis Builders Exchange and St. Paul Builders Exchange.

A certified check or bank draft, payable to the order of the City of Duluth, negotiable U.S. Government Bonds (at par value), or a satisfactory bid bond executed by the bidder and acceptable surety, in an amount equal to five per cent (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 prevailing wages as set forth in the contract documents must be paid on this project. The contractor must take affirmative action to ensure that the employees and applicants for employment are not discriminated against because of their race, color, creed, sex or national origin, and must meet the affirmative action goals. Contractors are encouraged to subcontract with Disadvantaged Business Enterprises when possible.

The City of Duluth is an Equal opportunity employer. The Contractor will comply with all applicable Equal Employment Opportunity laws and regulations.

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Dennis Sears
Purchasing Agent