



CITY OF DULUTH INVITATION TO BID

PROJECT NAME/DESCRIPTION: 2017 LARGE DIAMETER GAS MAIN INSTALLATION PROJECTS

BID NUMBER: 17-0266

BID OPENING: THURSDAY, MARCH 30, 2017 AT 2:00 PM

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The project will consist of three individual gas main installation projects. The first project will install approximately 3,300 feet of 6" MDPE gas main primarily with pipe bursting methods along 48th Avenue East. The second project will construct 3,100 feet of new 8" MDPE gas main on 4th Street between Wallace Avenue and 34th Avenue East. The final project will replace 2,850 feet of steel gas main on London Road with new 12" HDPE gas main.

PRE-BID/WALK-THROUGH: A pre-bid meeting will be conducted 10:00 A.M. Wednesday, March 22, 2017, in conference room 106A of City Hall, 411 West 1st Street, Duluth. All interested bidders are encouraged to attend.

QUESTIONS: Please submit any questions regarding this project via e-mail or phone to Howard Smith, Senior Engineer at hsmith@duluthmn.gov or (218) 730-5092. Responses will be provided to all interested bidders as an addendum to this solicitation.

Each bidder must review the 2017 Edition of the City of Duluth Public Works & Utilities Department/Engineering Division "Construction Standards" available 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.

The selected contractor will be issued a construction contract (draft attached). Notice to Proceed will be issued once the agreement is fully executed.

Plans and specifications may be obtained at no cost from the City's Purchasing Division website at <http://www.duluthmn.gov/purchasing/bids-request-for-proposals/>. Hard copies of the plans and specifications may be obtained from the City Engineering Office, Room 211 City Hall, 411 West 1st Street, Duluth, MN 55802 for a nominal fee, payable by check or money order.

Plans and specifications are on file for inspection at the City Engineering Office, Duluth Builders Exchange, Minnesota Builder's Exchange, Wisconsin Builder's Exchange, and Blue Book Construction Network.