ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS
MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA

Sealed bids for a Project known and identified as Alexander Orr Jr. Water Treatment Plant West High Service Pump Room Electrical Upgrades, **Contract No. W-951R**, will be received electronically, or as modified by addendum by the Miami-Dade Water and Sewer Department, located at 3071 SW 38 Ave., Miami FL 33146, until 2:00 P.M. Local Time on **October 29, 2025.**

The Bid Proposal must be accompanied by a bid security in an amount not less than five percent (5%) of the total bid. The successful contractor must execute a one hundred (100%) Surety Performance and Payment Bonds. THE ORIGINAL BID BOND MUST BE DELIVERED TO THE CONTRACTING OFFICER AT THE ADDRESS ABOVE PRIOR TO THE BID OPENING OR A BID WILL BE DEEMED NON-RESPONSIVE. NO BIDDER MAY WITHDRAW HIS BID WITHIN 120 DAYS FROM BID OPENING DATE.

A **Mandatory Virtual Pre-Bid** will be held using Microsoft Teams at **10:00 AM on Wednesday, September 17, 2025**. Any bidder joining the meeting after 10:15 a.m. will be considered late and will be disqualified from submitting a Bid. The link to the pre-bid meeting is

https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_MmRmMDMyNWYtZDAyZS00ZGYwLWE0MzAtYzg3MzM4NjlhNGJl%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%22fdde2c89-3838-45a3-b272-6cf08978701f%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22f5a6bc04-13bd-47c3-9c1c-91cc84cb4d14%22%7d

To obtain a direct invitation to the meeting, email to Eileen.Ramos@miamidade.gov and Antoinette.Altamirano@miamidade.gov with cc to Clerk.Board@miamidade.gov.

A MANDATORY SITE VISIT will be conducted on **Tuesday, September 23, 2025**, at the **Alexander Orr Jr. Water Treatment Plant, located at 6800 SW 87th Avenue, Miami, Florida 33173, starting at 10:00 a.m. Bidders are required to attend both the pre-bid meeting and the site visit for their bid to be considered responsive**. Since the plant is a facility with restricted access, Bidders are encouraged to also invite any of their trade subcontractors, specialty subcontractors or vendors to this event. Participants attending the site visit must wear personal protection equipment (PPE) including hardhat, safety glasses, safety shoes and safety vest.

NOTE: REQUESTS FOR INFORMTION (RFIs) WILL ONLY BE ACCEPTED UP TO 5 PM ON OCTOBER 2, 2025. ANY RFI RECEIVED AFTER THIS DATE MAY BE REJECTED BY THE DEPARTMENT, IN ITS SOLE DISCRETION.

Scope of Work – This project consists of furnishing materials, labor, and equipment necessary for upgrading the existing electrical equipment within the West High Service Pump Station at the Alexander Orr, Jr. Water Treatment Plant. The upgrades include replacement of the existing high-service pumps and motors, installation of a standalone electrical building, and associated site, electrical, process, mechanical, and structural improvements. The purpose of these upgrades will be to provide renewed pump performance, greater electrical reliability to pump operations, and increase the level of automation of the facility.

Location – 6800 SW 87th Avenue, Miami, Florida 33173.

Estimated Range of the Base Bid - $30,061,476.40 to $36,372,725.60, not including contingency and dedicated allowances.

Project Duration: 730 Calendar Days to Substantial Completion, 790 Calendar Days to Final Completion, plus a 79 Calendar Day Contingency Period.

Pursuant to County Code Section 2-11.1 (t), this solicitation is under a "Cone of Silence" until lifted. **ALL COMMUNICATIONS WITH THE CONTRACTING OFFICERS Eileen.Ramos@miamidade.gov and Antoinette.Altamirano@miamidade.gov MUST BE IN WRITING AND BE COPIED TO THE CLERK OF THE BOARD AT Clerk.Board@miamidade.gov.**

Bid sets are available at no cost. Email Contracting Officers Eileen.Ramos@miamidade.gov **and** Antoinette.Altamirano@miamidade.gov with cc to Clerk.Board@miamidade.gov to receive the electronic Invitation to Bid link to the eBuilder Bid Portal. Electronic Bid Submission Instructions are included with the bid set. Training on electronic bid submissions is available upon request to the Contracting Officer.

This contract has no Small Business Enterprise (SBE) Goods and Services Goals.

Nothing in this solicitation shall in any way be utilized to request documentation relating to or authorizing consideration of a proposer's social, political, or ideological interests when determining if the proposer is a responsible vendor or give a preference to a proposer based on the proposer's social, political, or ideological interests.

The Board of County Commissioners, Miami-Dade County, Florida, reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to waive any informality in any bid or to re-advertise for bids. Bids from any person, firm or Corporation in default on other contracts or agreements with the County may be rejected. Failure by the Bidder to satisfy claims on previous contracts with the County may be cause for rejection of his bid. The County reserves the right to postpone or cancel the bid opening at any time prior to the scheduled opening of bids.

Jay J. Fink, PE, Director
Miami-Dade Water and Sewer Department
Miami-Dade County, Florida