

## **TZ Osborne Water Reclamation Facility 56 MGD Upgrade (package 3) Project**

Wharton-Smith, Inc. is a general contractor who is soliciting proposals from qualified Minority Business Enterprises (MBE) for the TZ Osborne Water Reclamation Facility 56 MGD Upgrade (package 3) project. The work in this contract consists of multiple work areas as follows:

- Effluent Filter Improvements & associated yard piping
- Chlorine Contact Tanks 5 & 6, Plant Effluent Outfall & associated yard piping
- Scum Preconcentrator Cast-in-place concrete
- Scum Systems Improvements - Mechanical
- Electrical package including Protege for Chemical Systems
- Port-a-Let Supply
- Construction dumpsters
- General Labor Services
- Silt fencing and erosion control
- On-site Hauling
- Asphalt Paving
- Fencing
- Fine Grade and Grassing
- Grit Equipment Demolition
- Painting & Finishes
- Dampproofing

**This project is scheduled to bid on Thursday, September 10th 2015 at 2:00 PM ET.**

### **WSI is offering the following forms of assistance:**

- Willing to divide or combine elements of work into economically feasible units on a case-by-case basis to facilitate MBE participation, & negotiate in good faith with any MBEs that request such divisions or combinations.
- WSI will offer 'Quick Pay Commitment' to all MBEs, which means a commitment to pay MBEs within 20 days after the Contractor confirms that the work has been performed & completed properly.
- WSI is also offering assistance or alternate options for bonding & insurance coverage.
- Assistance in obtaining equipment, a loan, capital, lines of credit, joint pay agreements or guaranties to secure loans, the purchase of supplies, or letters of credit, including waiving credit that is ordinarily required; or assistance in obtaining the same unit pricing with the Bidder's suppliers as the Bidder.
- WSI is willing to assist subcontractors with obtaining the same unit pricing that WSI receives for materials & supplies.

### **Plans & Specifications**

Plans & specifications are available for review at our Charlotte Office (5601 Seventy Seven Center Drive, Suite 120, Charlotte, NC 28217), by appointment only. Plans are also available electronically for download. Please contact Jenn Haefner at [jhaefner@whartonsmith.com](mailto:jhaefner@whartonsmith.com) or 704-525-5695 ext. 301 for access.

Additionally, contract documents may be examined at the following:

- City of Greensboro MWBE Office at 300 West Washington St., Greensboro, NC 27410

Questions regarding scopes of work should be directed to: Larry Perry at [lperry@whartonsmith.com](mailto:lperry@whartonsmith.com) or (704) 525-5695 ext 305.

Please submit your proposed scope of work to us by September 9th 2015 & your firm pricing for that scope of work to us by 10:30 am on September 10th 2015. Proposals may be emailed to: [Larry Perry at lperry@whartonsmith.com](mailto:lperry@whartonsmith.com) &/or phoned in to (704) 525-5695 extension 305.

If your company requires our help to establish a specific scope of work, which is economically feasible & realistic for your company please do not hesitate to contact us.