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BID SPECIFICATION PACKAGE

for

ROGERS PUMPING STATION – PUMP #3 VARIABLE FREQUENCY DRIVE

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Bid Opening Date/Time

Thursday, March 25, 2021 at 2:00 p.m. City of Grand Island, City Hall 100 East 1st Street, P.O. Box 1968 Grand Island, NE 68802-1968

Contact Information

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Platte Generating Station
1035 W. Wildwood Drive
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308/385-5496

Date issued: March 11, 2021

ADVERTISEMENT TO BIDDERS FOR ROGERS PUMPING STATION-PUMP #3 VARIABLE FREQUENCY DRIVE FOR CITY OF GRAND ISLAND, NEBRASKA

Sealed bids for Rogers Pumping Station – Pump #3 VFD will be received at the office of the City Clerk, 100 E. First Street, P.O. Box 1968, Grand Island, Nebraska 68802, until **Thursday, March 25, 2021 at 2:00 p.m. local time**, FOB the City of Grand Island, freight prepaid. Bids will be publicly opened at this time in the Grand Island City Hall City Clerk's Office located on 1st floor of City Hall. **Submit an original and three copies** if submitting by mail. Bid package and any Addendas are also available on-line at www.grand-island.com under Business-Bids and Request for Proposals-Bid Calendar under the bid opening date. Bidding documents, plans and specifications for use in preparing bids may be downloaded from the QuestCDN website www.QuestCDN.com for a fee. Submitting through QuestCDN requires one original document of the bid to be uploaded. **Bids received after the specified time will not be considered**.

The successful bidder will be required to comply with fair labor standards as required by Nebraska R.R.S.73-102 and comply with Nebraska R.R.S. 48-657 pertaining to contributions to the Unemployment Compensation Fund of the State of Nebraska. Successful bidder shall maintain a drug free workplace policy. Every public contractor and his, her or its subcontractors who are awarded a contract by the City for the physical performance of services within the State of Nebraska shall register with and use a federal immigration verification system to determine the work eligibility status of new employees physically performing services within the State of Nebraska.

Each bidder shall submit with the bid a certified check, a cashiers check, or bid bond payable to the City of Grand Island in an amount no less than five percent (5%) of the bid price which shall guarantee good faith on the part of the bidder and the entering into a contract within fifteen (15) days at the bid price if accepted by the City. Your certified check, cashiers check or bid bond must be submitted in a separate envelope attached to the outside of the envelope containing the bid. Each envelope must be clearly marked indicating its contents. Failure to submit the necessary qualifying information and correct number of copies in clearly marked and separate envelopes will result in your bid not being opened or considered. Only surety companies authorized to do business in the State of Nebraska may issue bid bonds.

Bids will be evaluated by the Purchaser based on price, schedule, quality, adherence to schedule, plan and specifications, economy and efficiency of operation, experience and reputation of the bidder, ability, capacity, and skill of the bidder to perform contract required and adaptability of the particular items to the specific use intended.

The Purchaser reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to waive irregularities therein, and to accept whichever bid that may be in the best interest of the City, at its sole discretion.

No bidder may withdraw his/her bid for a period of thirty (30) days after date of bid opening.

RaNae Edwards, City Clerk

Advertised

Rogers Pumping Station-Pump #3 Variable Frequency Drive BID DATA FORM

CITY OF GRAND ISLAND GRAND ISLAND, NE

2021.

The undersigned Bidder, having examined all specifications and other bidding documents, and all addenda thereto, and being acquainted with and fully understanding all conditions relative to the specified materials and equipment, hereby proposes to provide a Variable Frequency Drive to an existing motor, which drives a centrifugal pump, and engineering services for startup FOB-Destination the City of Grand Island-Platte Generating Station, freight prepaid, in compliance with the Bid Specification, at the following price:

ITEM DESCRIPTION Base Bid:		EXTENDE	<u>D COST</u>
Базе Біа.			
Material	\$		
Labor	\$		
Applicable Sales tax*	\$		
Total Base Bid	\$		
* If bidder fails to include sales tax in their bid priving will add a 7.5% figure to the bid price for evaluation			
Exceptions Noted - Bidder acknowledges and those exceptions are fully explained on			
Bidder Company Name		Da	te
Company Address	City	State	Zip
Print Name of Person Completing Bid		Si	gnature
Email:	mail: Telephone No		
According to Nebraska Sales and Use Tax Req selected to file with the Nebraska Department of		, Contractors, ch	eck which option you have
Nebraska law provides a sales and the construction, repair, or annex transmission, or distribution of would be exempt, all materials are	xation of any stru electricity. Sepa	ncture used arately stat	for the generation, ed contractor labor
Option 1 (Section 1-017.05) Option 2 (S	ection 1-017.06) C	Option 3 (Section	1-017.07)
If the Nebraska sales and use tax election is under Option 1 for sales and use tax purposes.	not filed or noted above,	the contractor	will be treated as a retailer
By checking this box, Bidder acknowle	edges the specified co	mpletion date	of the project is June 1,

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By checking this box, Bidder acknowledges that Addenda Number(s) _____ were received and considered in Bid preparation.

Note: If Bidder supplies individual unit pricing information as supplemental pricing to the base material and labor cost above, said individual pricing is proprietary information and should not be released under a public records request. The total base bid is not considered proprietary information and will be released pursuant to City Procurement Code.

CHECKLIST FOR BID SUBMISSION

FOR

ROGERS PUMPING STATION - PUMP #3 VARIABLE FREQUENCY DRIVE

Bids must be received by the City Clerk before 2:00 p.m. on Thursday, March 25, 2021.

The following items must be completed for your bid to be considered.		
	Submittal of bid documents:	
	 Option 1 – Mailing: A signed original and three (3) copies of the bidding documents. Failure to submit the correct number of copies may result in your bid not being considered. Note: Your certified check, cashiers check or bid bond should be clearly marked in a separate envelope attached to the signed original bid. 	
	Option 2 – QuestCDN (online): Purchase the bid specification through QuestCDN at their \$35.00 fee. Upload the signed original of the Bid Data Form, along with any supporting material required to meet the bid specification through QuestCDN. Upload your bid bond online through QuestCDN. Bidders using Certified check or Cashiers' Check must mail said check to the office of the City Clerk no later than the scheduled bid opening date and time and clearly marked with the project name.	
	Bidders must complete and sign the Bid Data Form provided in these Documents. All blank spaces must be filled in. Bidders shall acknowledge receipt of any Addenda information on the Bid Data Form.	
	Selection of Nebraska Sales Tax Option. If the Nebraska sales and use tax election is not filed or noted above, the Contractor will be treated as a retailed under Option 1 for sales and use tax purposes.	
٥	Firm lump sum pricing; firm unit pricing in case adjustments are necessary, and breakout of sales tax pricing.	
	A detailed description or listing of the material and services the Contractor proposes to furnish including all equipment, performance data, scope of design and engineering, shop testing procedures and drawings and documents.	
	An estimated Total Harmonic Distortion that could be generated from the VFD along with the calculations used to generate this estimation.	
	Exceptions to the specification or Owner's Contract Document.	
	Acknowledgment of Addenda Number(s)	

free to contact our office prior to the bid opening date/time.

Please check off each item as completed to ensure compliance. If you have any questions, please feel

INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

1. GENERAL INFORMATION.

The following instructions outline the procedure for preparing and submitting Bids. Bidders must fulfill all requirements as specified in these Documents.

TYPE OF BID.

Bidders shall be required to submit prices for all items listed in the Bid Data Form.

3. PREPARATION OF BIDS.

Bidders shall use only the Bid Data Form provided in these Documents. All blank spaces in the Bid Data Form must be filled in, preferably in BLACK ink, in both words and figures where required. No changes to the wording or content of the forms is permitted. Written amounts shall govern in case of discrepancy between the amounts stated in writing and the amounts stated in figures.

Prices stated shall be f.o.b. with freight and full insurance paid by Bidder, to the job site located in Grand Island, Nebraska.

The Bidder shall acknowledge receipt of all Addenda in the Bid Data Form. Bids received without acknowledgement or without the Addendum enclosed will be considered informal.

Individual unit pricing as listed on the Bid Data Form or supplied as supplemental information may be deemed proprietary information and not be released under a public records request. The total amount of the bid is not considered proprietary information and will be released pursuant to City Procurement Code.

4. SUBMISSION OF BIDS.

All Bids must be submitted intact with the correct number of copies no later than the time prescribed, at the place, and in the manner set forth in the ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS. Bids must be made on the Bid Data Form provided herein. Each Bid mailed must be submitted intact in a sealed envelope, so marked as to indicate its contents without being opened, and delivered in person or addressed and mailed in conformance with the instructions in the ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS.

5. BID SECURITY.

Bids must be accompanied by cash, a certified check, or cashier's check drawn on a bank which is insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, or a bid bond issued by a Surety authorized to issue such bonds in the state where the Work is located, in the amount of 5 percent of the bid amount payable to OWNER. This bid security shall be given as a guarantee that the Bidder will not withdraw their Bid for a period of thirty (30) days after bid opening, and that if awarded the Contract, the successful Bidder will execute the attached Contract and furnish a properly executed Performance Bond and Payment Bond, each in the full amount of the Contract price, within the time specified.

The Attorney-in-Fact that executes this bond on behalf of the Surety must attach a notarized copy of his/her power of attorney as evidence of his/her authority to bind the Surety on the date of execution of the bond. Where State Statue requires, certification by a resident agent shall also be provided.

6. RETURN OF BID SECURITY.

Within fifteen (15) days after the award of the Contract, the OWNER will return the bid securities to all Bidders whose Bids are not to be further considered in awarding the Contract. All other retained bid securities will be held until the Contract has been finally executed, after which all bid securities, other than Bidders' bonds and guarantees which have been fortified, will be returned to the respective Bidders whose Bids they accompanied.

7. BASIS OF AWARD.

The award will be made by the OWNER on the basis of the Bid from the lowest responsive, responsible Bidder which, in the OWNER's sole and absolute judgment will best serve the interest of the OWNER. All Bids will be considered on the following basis:

Delivery time Conformance with the terms of the Bid Bid price Documents

Cost of installation

Suitability to project requirements Responsibility and qualification of Bidder

The OWNER reserves the right to reject all Bids, or any Bid not in conformance with the intent of the Bid Documents, and to waive any informalities and irregularities in said Bids.

8. EXECUTION OF CONTRACT.

The successful Bidder shall, within fifteen (15) days after receiving notice of award, sign and deliver to the OWNER the Contract hereto attached together with the acceptable bonds as required in these Bid Documents. Within fifteen (15) days after receiving the signed Contract with acceptable bond(s) from the successful Bidder, the OWNER's authorized agent will sign the Contract. Signature by both parties constitutes execution of the Contract.

9. PERFORMANCE AND PAYMENT BONDS.

The successful Bidder shall file with the OWNER Performance and Payment Bonds in the full amount (100 percent) of the Contract price, as security for the faithful performance of the Contract and the payment of all persons supplying labor and materials for the Work under this Contract, and to cover all guarantees against defective workmanship or materials, or both, for a period of one (1) year after the date of final acceptance of the Work by the OWNER. The Surety furnishing these bonds shall have a record of service satisfactory to the OWNER, be authorized to do business in the State where the OWNER's project is located and shall be named on the current list of approved Surety Companies, acceptable on Federal bonds as published by the Audit Staff, Bureau of Accounts, U.S. Treasury Department.

The Attorney-in-Fact (Resident Agent) who executes these bonds on behalf of the Surety must attach a notarized copy of his/her power-of-attorney as evidence of his/her authority to bind the Surety on the date of execution of the bond.

10. TIME OF COMPLETION.

The time of completion of the Work to be performed under this Contract is the essence of the Contract. The time allowed for the completion of the Work is stated in the Bid Data Form.

11. GRATUITIES AND KICKBACKS.

City Code states that it is unethical for any person to offer, give, or agree to give any City employee or former City employee, or for any City employee or former City employee to solicit, demand, accept, or agree to accept from another person, a gratuity or an offer of employment in connection with any decision, approval, disapproval, recommendation, or preparation of any part of a program requirement or a purchase request, influencing the content of any specification or procurement standard, rendering of advice, investigation, auditing, or in any other advisory capacity in any proceeding or application, request for ruling, determination, claim or controversy, or other particular matter, pertaining to any program requirement or a contract or subcontract, or to any solicitation or proposal therefor. It shall be unethical for any payment, gratuity, or offer of employment to be made by or on behalf of a subcontractor under a contract to the prime contractor or higher tier subcontractor or any person associated therewith, as an inducement for the award of a subcontract or order.

12. FISCAL YEAR.

The City of Grand Island, Nebraska operates on a fiscal year beginning October 1st and ending on the following September 30th. It is understood and agreed that any portion of this agreement which will be performed in a future fiscal year is contingent upon the City Council adopting budget statements and appropriations sufficient to fund such performance.

CONTRACT AGREEMENT

THIS AGREEMENT made and entered into by and between [SUCCESSFUL BIDDER], hereinafter called the Contractor, and the CITY OF GRAND ISLAND, NEBRASKA, hereinafter called the City.

WITNESSETH:

THAT, WHEREAS, in accordance with law, the City has caused contract documents to be prepared and an advertisement calling for bids to be published for ROGERS PUMPING STATION - PUMP #3 VARIABLE FREQUENCY DRIVE; and

WHEREAS, the City, in the manner prescribed by law, has publicly opened, examined, and canvassed the bids submitted, and has determined the aforesaid Contractor to be the lowest responsive and responsible bidder, and has duly awarded to said Contractor a contract therefore, for the sum or sums named in the Contractor's bid, a copy thereof being attached to and made a part of this Contract;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the compensation to be paid to the Contractor and of the mutual agreements herein contained, the parties have agreed and hereby agree, the City for itself and its successors, and the Contractor for itself, himself/herself, or themselves, and its, his/her, or their successors, as follows:

<u>ARTICLE I</u>. That the following documents shall comprise the Contract, and shall together be referred to as the "Agreement" or the "Contract Documents";

- 1. This Contract Agreement.
- 2. City of Grand Island's Specification for this project.
- 3. [NAME OF SUCCESSFUL BIDDER] bid signed and dated [DATE OF BID].

In the event of any conflict between the terms of the Contract Documents, the provisions of the document first listed shall prevail.

ARTICLE II. That the Contractor shall (a) furnish all tools, equipment, superintendence, transportation, and other construction materials, services and facilities; (b) furnish, as agent for the City, all materials, supplies and equipment specified and required to be incorporated in and form a permanent part of the completed work; (c) provide and perform all necessary labor; and (d) in a good substantial and workmanlike manner and in accordance with the requirements, stipulations, provisions, and conditions of the Contract documents as listed in the attached General Specifications, said documents forming the Contract and being as fully a part thereof as if repeated verbatim herein, perform, execute, construct and complete all work included in and covered by the City's official award of this Contract to the said Contractor, such award being based on the acceptance by the City of the Contractor's bid;

ARTICLE III. That the City shall pay to the Contractor for the performance of the work embraced in this Contract and the Contractor will accept as full compensation therefore the sum (subject to adjustment as provided by the Contract) of [DOLLAR AMOUNT] (\$00.00) for all services, materials, and work covered by and included in the Contract award and designated in the foregoing Article II; payments thereof to be made in cash or its equivalent in the manner provided in the General Specifications.

The total cost of the Contract includes:

Base Bid:	\$.00
Sales Tax on Materials/Equipment:	\$.00
Sales Tax on Labor:	\$.00
Total	\$.00

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ARTICLE IV. The Contractor hereby agrees to act as agent for the City in purchasing materials and supplies for the City for this project. The City shall be obligated to the vendor of the materials and supplies for the purchase price, but the Contractor shall handle all payments hereunder on behalf of the City. The vendor shall make demand or claim for payment of the purchase price from the City by submitting an invoice to the Contractor. Title to all materials and supplies purchased hereunder shall vest in the City directly from the vendor. Regardless of the method of payment, title shall vest immediately in the City. The Contractor shall not acquire title to any materials and supplies incorporated into the project. All invoices shall bear the Contractor's name as agent for the City. This paragraph will apply only to these materials and supplies actually incorporated into and becoming a part of the finished product of the ROGERS PUMPING STATION – PUMP #3 VARIABLE FREQUENCY DRIVE.

<u>ARTICLE V</u>. That the Contractor shall start work as soon as possible after the Contract is signed and the required bonds and insurance are approved, and that the Contractor shall deliver the equipment, tools, supplies, and materials F.O.B. Platte Generating Station, and complete the work on or before **June 1, 2021**.

ARTICLE VI. The Contractor agrees to comply with all applicable State fair labor standards in the execution of this Contract as required by Section 73-102, R.R.S. 1943. The Contractor further agrees to comply with the provisions of Section 48-657, R.R.S. 1943, pertaining to contributions to the Unemployment Compensation Fund of the State of Nebraska. During the performance of this Contract, the Contractor and all subcontractors agree not to discriminate in hiring or any other employment practice on the basis, of race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age or disability. The Contractor agrees to comply with all applicable Local, State and Federal rules and regulations. The Contractor agrees to maintain a drug-free workplace policy and will provide a copy of the policy to the City upon request. Every public contractor and his, her or its subcontractors who are awarded a contract by the City for the physical performance of services within the State of Nebraska shall register with and use a federal immigration verification system to determine the work eligibility status of new employees physically performing services within the State of Nebraska.

ARTICLE VII. Gratuities and kickbacks: City Code states that it is unethical for any person to offer, give, or agree to give any City employee or former City employee, or for any City employee or former City employee to solicit, demand, accept, or agree to accept from another person, a gratuity or an offer of employment in connection with any decision, approval, disapproval, recommendation, or preparation of any part of a program requirement or a purchase request, influencing the content of any specification or procurement standard, rendering of advice, investigation, auditing, or in any other advisory capacity in any proceeding or application, request for ruling, determination, claim or controversy, or other particular matter, pertaining to any program requirement or a contract or subcontract, or to any solicitation or proposal therefor. It shall be unethical for any payment, gratuity, or offer of employment to be

made by or on behalf of a subcontractor under a contract to the prime contractor or higher tier subcontractor or any person associated therewith, as an inducement for the award of a subcontract or order.

[SUCCESSFUL BIDDER]	
By	Date
Title	
CITY OF GRAND ISLAND, NEBRASKA	
By	Date
Attest:City Clerk	

The Contract is in due form according to law and hereby approved.





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REQUEST FOR BIDS - GENERAL SPECIFICATIONS

The Bid shall be in accordance with the following and with all attached BID DATA and DETAILED SPECIFICATIONS.

All prices are to be furnished and installed FOB, Grand Island, Nebraska. All prices shall be firm, and shall include all sales and use taxes as lawfully assessed under laws and regulations of the State of Nebraska. * If bidder fails to include sales tax in their bid price or takes exception to including sales tax in their bid price, the City will add a 7.5% figure to the bid price for evaluation purposes; however, the City will only pay actual sales tax due.

Mailed bids shall include the following on the **outside** of the mailing envelope: "Rogers Pumping Station-Pump #3 VFD". All bids submitted by mail must include <u>an original and three copies</u> of the bid. The bid specification and on-line bidding forms are also available at http://www.grand-island.com/business/bids-and-request-for-proposals/bid-calendar under the bid opening date and "Click here for bid document link" through QuestCDN for their fee. If submitting through QuestCDN, <u>one</u> original document of the bid and supporting documentation is required to be uploaded. No verbal bids will be considered. All sealed bids are due no later than Thursday, **March 25, 2021 at 2:00 p.m. local time**. to:

Mailing Address: City Clerk Street Address: City Clerk

City Hall City Hall

P. O. Box 1968 100 E. First Street

Grand Island, NE 68802-1968 Grand Island, NE 68801

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The equipment and materials must be new, the latest make or model, unless otherwise specified. Prior to approving the invoice for payment, the City reserves the right to thoroughly inspect and test the equipment to confirm compliance with specifications. Any equipment or material which does not meet the City's requirements will be returned at vendor's expense for correction. The invoice will be paid after approval at the next regularly scheduled City Council meeting and occurring after departmental approval of invoice; the City Council typically meets the second and fourth Tuesday of each month. Invoices must be received well in advance of Council date to allow evaluation and processing time.

Each bidder shall submit with the bid a certified check, a cashier's check, or bid bond payable to the City of Grand Island in an amount no less than five percent (5%) of the bid price which shall guarantee good faith on the part of the Bidder and the entering into a contract within fifteen (15) days at the bid price if accepted by the City. Your certified check, cashier's check or bid bond must be submitted in a separate envelope attached to the outside of the envelope containing the bid. Each envelope must be clearly marked indicating its contents. Failure to submit the necessary qualifying information and correct number of copies in clearly marked and separate envelopes will result in your bid not being opened or considered. Only surety companies authorized to do business in the State of Nebraska may issue bid bonds.

Successful bidder shall comply with the City's insurance requirements; performance and payment bonds are required for this project as outlined in the Detailed Specifications and Instructions to Bidders. All bids shall be valid for at least thirty (30) working days after the bid deadline for evaluation purposes.

All bids must be on the bid form and must be signed and dated to be accepted. If exceptions and/or clarifications are noted to the bid, those exceptions must be fully explained on a separate sheet, clearly marked, and included with the Bid. Any changes that are found made to the original bid specification, other than Owner generated Addendums, would result in your bid not being considered. Please contact Ryan Kruse at 308-385-5495, for questions concerning this specification.

Rogers Pumping Station – Pump #3 Variable Frequency Drive

Detailed Bid Specification

City of Grand Island

General Information

1.0 Project Details

The project regarding this detailed specification consists of providing a Variable Frequency Drive to an existing motor, which drives a centrifugal pump, and engineering services for startup. Information regarding engineering services and drive requirements are included in the technical information.

1.1 Owner

The City of Grand Island Utilities Department will be known as the 'Owner'.

1.2 Contractor

The Bidder will be known as the 'Contractor'.

1.3 Location

Rogers Pumping Station 3990 W. Old Potash Hwy Grand Island, NE 68801

1.4 Contact Information

Any questions regarding this specification may be directed to:

Ryan Kruse Production Engineer Platte Generating Station 1035 W. Wildwood Dr. Grand Island, NE 68801 Phone: (308) 385-5681

Email: rkruse@giud.com

2.0 Background Information

Rogers Pumping Station includes two (2) storage reservoirs and three (3) high pressure pumps. The water is sourced from the Platte River Wellfield. The three (3) high pressure pumps provide water to the city water mains and to the elevated storage tank.

2.1 Motor Information

The motor specifications that the variable frequency drive will be supplying are as follows:

450 Horsepower	'F' class insulation
3 phase	Open Drip Proof
460 Volts	Continuous Duty Rated
60 Hertz	589 Service Factor Amps
512 Full Load Amps	1.15 service factor
1180 rpm	5010MS frame size
6 poles	0.89 power factor

2.2 Pump Information

The pump that is driven by the motor is a split-case centrifugal pump manufactured by Patterson Pump Company. This pump is designed to have a maximum flow of 7000 gallons per minute (GPM) at 200 feet of head pressure and at 1180 rpm. The minimum safe flow is rated at 2297 GPM.

3.0 Technical Information

3.1 Drive Requirements

- The drive shall be rated, at minimum, for the nameplate ratings of the motor. This includes rating the drive to satisfy the service factor amperage of 589 amperes (Normal Duty). The nameplate information can be found in motor information section 2.1.
- The drive shall come with a minimum of a NEMA 1 enclosure.
 - Enclosure shall be no greater than the maximum dimensions of 100"H x 35"W x 34"D.
 - Enclosure shall be fitted with cooling fans to help maintain temperature of variable frequency drive.
- The drive shall have ethernet capabilities in order to control and monitor drive from Allen Bradley PLC.

• The drive shall include additional inputs and outputs. The current inputs and outputs are as follows:

Digital Inputs – fed from AB Module 1746 OA16 (Triac output card – (100-240 VAC))

• Start and Stop commands

Digital Outputs – fed to AB Module 1746 IA8I Isolated input card

- Run feedback
- Fault

Analog Outputs

- Speed feedback
- Current
- The drive shall be capable of selectable motor control. This includes:
 - Volt/Hertz
 - Induction
 - Flux Vector
 - Sensorless Vector
 - Permanent Magnet
- The drive shall include an integrated user interface module which shall be mounted on the front of the enclosure. The parameters and configurations shall be accessible with this interfacing module.
- The drive shall be able to function in the ambient temperatures of 15°C 33°C (40°F 90°F). However, it should be taken into consideration that the temperature ranges are derived from the climate control system functioning properly.
- The drive shall have the ability to configure into a network for future accessibility and configurations.
- The drive shall be capable of jogging the motor.
- The drive shall have a fault memory log.
- The drive shall have a diagnostics options for trending component life.
- The Pulse Width Modulated carrier frequency shall be adjustable to a minimum of 4kHz.
- The drive shall have adjustable acceleration and deceleration times with adjustable S-curve time from 0 to 100%.
- The drive shall have an overload rating of 110% (continuous duty).
- The drive shall include a thermal protection to safely shut down the drive to protect the semiconductor devices and motor.

3.2 Engineering Services

This bid shall include the services of an engineer from the manufacturer of the variable frequency drive. The engineer shall be here for eight hours for startup and configuration. The eight hours shall be considered into the bid along with travel expenses. Additional prices for anything over eight hours shall be listed but not included in bid.

4.0 Bid Requirements

4.1 Data to be Submitted

- Provide a detailed description or listing of the material and services the Contractor proposes to furnish including all equipment, performance data, scope of design and engineering, shop testing procedures and drawings and documents to be provided.
- An estimated Total Harmonic Distortion that could be generated from the VFD shall be provided along with the calculations used to generate this estimation.
- Pricing shall include:
 - All applicable material, equipment, licensing, and/or software.
 - Engineering services
 - Travel Expenses
 - Living expenses
 - All shipping, delivery, and handling of equipment, tools, and material used for project shall be included in the bid.
 - Taxes

NOTE: Platte Generating Station is not tax exempt and is subject to 7.5% sales tax. Refer to Nebraska Department of Revenue's web site: www.revenue.state.ne.us

NOTE: This pricing shall be itemized separately.

Responsibilities

5.0 Other Requirements

- Contractor shall provide a lead time for the equipment to arrive at Platte Generating Station.
- A minimum of one (1) year warranty shall be included with the drive. This warranty shall cover any parts and labor that may fail during the duration of the warranty.
- The Contractor is responsible for compliance with all detailed requirements in this specification. The contractor shall be responsible for determining any differences in the Standards listed and this specification and shall bring them to the Owners

attention via writing.

- The Contractor shall provide the services of a field engineer for a minimum of 8 hours during the startup of the drive. This individual shall be familiar with the design, construction, and installation of this equipment.
- The Contractor is responsible for following all applicable OSHA regulations and plant safety regulations. Required PPE includes:

Hard Hats

All-Leather, Steel-Toe or composite-Toe, Boots.

Safety Glasses

Hearing protection (where required)

FR clothing and PPE where required.

6.0 Owner Responsibilities

6.1 General

- All shipments shall be sent to Platte Generating Station. The Contractor shall
 prepare all materials and articles for shipment in such a manner as to facilitate
 handling and to protect them from damage in transit and shall be responsible for
 and make good any and all damage due to improper preparation for loading
 and shipment. Boxes and crates shall have a packing list enclosed showing parts
 contained therein.
- Any documents needed to assist in the drive decision can be provided.
- Installation of the drive will be done in house. Drive will be ready for engineer before startup.

7.0 Documents to be provided

- (a) Dimensional outlines, connection diagrams, one-line drawings, electrical schematics, and maintenance and removal diagrams must be included. These documents can be presented in a PDF format and/or hardcopy.
- (b) Any testing data that was completed during the commissioning of the project must be submitted.
- (c) Any Operational and Maintenance manuals regarding the equipment, material, software, or any other sections of the project, shall be included.
- (d) Submittal of Spare Parts Lists. This list shall be referenced to actual drawing numbers and Bill of Material, utilizing the same part identification number as used on item prices. The Contractor shall also identify which spare parts are required for commissioning and which parts are for routine maintenance along with their replacement duration.

(e) The contractor shall provide Datasheets, Bills of Materials, Installation Instructions, Installation Procedures, Spare Parts Lists, Startup Spare Parts Lists, Name-plate Lists, Procedures for Handling and Storage, Shipping lists, and Original Equipment Manufacturer supplier lists.

MINIMUM INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS CITY OF GRAND ISLAND, NEBRASKA

The successful bidder shall obtain insurance from companies authorized to do business in Nebraska of such types and in such amounts as may be necessary to protect the Bidder and the interests of the City against hazards or risks of loss as hereinafter specified. This insurance shall cover all aspects of the Bidder's operations and completed operations. Failure to maintain adequate coverage shall not relieve Bidder of any contractual responsibility or obligation. Minimum insurance coverage shall be the amounts stated herein or the amounts required by applicable law, whichever are greater.

1. WORKERS COMPENSATION AND EMPLOYER'S LIABILITY

This insurance shall protect the Bidder against all claims under applicable State workers compensation laws. This insurance shall provide coverage in every state in which work for this project might be conducted. The liability limits shall not be less than the following:

Workers Compensation Statutory Limits
Employers Liability \$100,000 each accident

\$100,000 each employee \$500,000 policy limit

2. BUSINESS AUTOMOBILE LIABILITY

This insurance shall be written in comprehensive form and shall protect the Bidder, Bidder's employees, or subcontractors from claims due to the ownership, maintenance, or use of a motor vehicle. The liability limits shall not be less than the following:

Bodily Injury & Property Damage \$ 500,000 Combined Single Limit

3. COMPREHENSIVE GENERAL LIABILITY

The comprehensive general liability coverage shall contain no exclusion relative to explosion, collapse, or underground property. The liability limits shall not be less than the following:

Bodily Injury & Property Damage \$ 500,000 each occurrence \$1,000,000 aggregate

4. UMBRELLA LIABILITY INSURANCE

This insurance shall protect the Bidder against claims in excess of the limits provided under employer's liability, comprehensive automobile liability, and commercial general liability policies. The umbrella policy shall follow the form of the primary insurance, including the application of the primary limits. The liability limits shall not be less than the following:

Bodily Injury & Property Damage \$1,000,000 each occurrence \$1,000,000 general aggregate

5. ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS

The City may require insurance covering a Bidder or subcontractor more or less than the standard requirements set forth herein depending upon the character and extent of the work to be performed by such Bidder or subcontractor.

Insurance as herein required shall be maintained in force until the City releases the Bidder of all obligations under the Contract.

The Bidder shall provide and carry any additional insurance as may be required by special provisions of these specifications.

6. CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE

Satisfactory certificates of insurance shall be filed with the City prior to starting any work on this Contract. The certificates shall show the City as an additional insured on all coverage except Workers Compensation. The certificate shall state that thirty (30) days written notice shall be given to the City before any policy is cancelled (strike the "endeavor to" wording often shown on certificate forms). If the Bidder cannot have the "endeavor to" language stricken, the Bidder may elect to provide a new certificate of insurance every thirty (30) days during the contract. Bidder shall immediately notify the City if there is any reduction of coverage because of revised limits or claims paid which affect the aggregate of any policy.