INVITATION TO BID

STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY & ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
BUREAU OF WATER PROTECTION AND LAND USE
PLANNING AND STANDARDS DIVISION
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PROJECT NAME: Tingue Dam Bypass Channel, Seymour, CT

PROJECT NUMBER: WR-343124013 **BID OPENING DATE:** December 18, 2012

DEPOSIT REQUIRED: \$300.00 (non-refundable) payable to "Treasurer, State of Connecticut"

You are invited to bid on a general contract for construction described as follows: Construction of a new bypass channel, concrete intake structure, a new concrete spillway, new concrete walls, earthwork, earth and rock excavation, disposal of controlled contaminated material, park amenities, and other related work. Note that this dam is run of river and water control is integral with this project.

The Department of Energy & Environmental Protection will receive sealed proposals from bidders until 11:00 AM on the bid opening date shown above in the offices of the Bureau of Water Protection and Land Reuse 2nd Floor, 79 Elm Street, Hartford, Connecticut. Proposals received after that time will not be accepted. Proposals will be opened publicly and read aloud in the Russell Hearing Room on the 3rd Floor starting at 11:00 am on the bid opening date. All interested parties are invited to attend.

The Contract Bid Documents may be examined and obtained at the office of the Department of Energy & Environmental Protection, Division of Planning and Standards between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:00 PM. (excluding noon to 1 p.m.) at the above noted address on or after November 20th. Bid documents may be picked up at the address noted above. No documents will be available at the mandatory pre-bid site meeting. Only plan holders will be allowed to sign in at the mandatory pre-bid site meeting.

A mandatory pre-bid site meeting will be held on December 4th at 11:00 AM at the Town of Seymour Parking lot on Wakeley St (across from the Seymour Fire Station). Representatives of Bureau off Water Protection and Land Reuse and staff from Milone and MacBroom the will meet prospective bidders at 10:00 AM for the purpose of conducting a site inspection. If you have any questions please contact Charles Lee at 860-424-3716

As security, each bid must be accompanied by a Certified Check made payable to "Treasurer, State of Connecticut", or must be accompanied by a Bid Bond in the form required by the Department from a Surety Company (or companies) that is (are) authorized to do business in the State of Connecticut, in the amount of 10% of the Total Bid Price. The Department reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive bids due to technical defects or irregularities.

Bidders must be able to demonstrate recent successful experience with the type of work described in this bid package. Bidders must also list the specific personnel possessing that experience and their intent to employ these same personnel for this project. This information is required in the Statement of Bidders Qualifications section, pages BQ-1 through BQ-3. The Department reserves the right to reject any bidders who lack recent experience with the type of work required for this project.

Bidders are advised that <u>both</u> the *DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES PREQUALIFICATION CERTIFICATE* and *UPDATE STATEMENT* <u>must</u> accompany the bid proposal for bids exceeding Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$500,000) (C.G.S. 4b-91 as amended). Department of Administrative Services prequalification Certificate and updated stalemates are also required for all subcontractors doing work above Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$500,000) *Failure* to supply these documents with such bids will result in rejection of the bid.

The DEEP is an affirmative action/equal opportunity employer. In conformance with the ADA individuals with disabilities who need information in an alternative format, to allow them to benefit and/or participate in the agency's programs and services, should call TDD (860)-424-3000 and make their request to the receptionist.

The contract to be awarded is subject to set-aside requirements for small and minority owned firms, firms owned by persons with disabilities and the Contract Compliance Regulations of State Agencies.

EXECUTIVE ORDERS NO. SEVENTEEN, SIXTEEN, AND 7C:

Bidders are advised that the Contract for this project shall be subject to Executive Order No. Seventeen, promulgated February 15, 1973, requiring contractors and subcontractors to list employment openings with the Connecticut State Employment Service.

Bidders are advised that the Contract for this project shall be subject to Executive Order No. Sixteen, promulgated August 4, 1999, regarding violence in the workplace.

Bidders are advised that the Contract for this project shall be subject to Executive Order No. 7C promulgated July 13, 2006 regarding contracting reforms.

Said documents are hereby incorporated herein and made a part hereof as though fully set forth herein. Bidders may receive copies of these upon request.

Prospective bidders may contact Charles Lee of the DEEP at 860-424-3716 or Charles.Lee@CT.Gov for additional information or clarification regarding the Bid and Contract Documents.

Daniel C. Esty
Commissioner
Department of Energy & Environmental Protection

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