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COMISION MUNICIPAL DE AGUA POTABLE Y ALCANTARILLADO DEL MUNICIPIO DE RIO BRAVO, TAMAULIPAS

Wastewater Collection and Treatment System Improvements in Nuevo Progreso, Tamaulipas

International Bid Notice No. 1

The local water utility, *Comisión Municipal de Agua Potable y Alcantarillado de Río Bravo, Tamaulipas* (**COMAPA** or the Executing Agency) has received a grant from the North American Development Bank (NADBank), through its Community Assistance Program (CAP), executed through CAP Agreement **No. TM1234**, to finance part of the costs associated with the Wastewater Collection and Treatment System Improvements in Nuevo Progreso, Tamaulipas, Mexico (the **Project**).

Bidding for contracts financed by NADBank is open to firms from any country. Because the funding for this project is administered by **NADBank**, the bidding process will be carried out in accordance with its procurement policies and procedures. Companies that have been previously penalized by NADBank and/or had contracts cancelled by **COMAPA** are not eligible to participate in the bidding process.

COMAPA hereby invites qualified interested companies to submit technical and financial bids in Spanish in a sealed envelope, for a fixed-term, work-order-based contract to carry out the following services.

Bid No.: COMAPA-RIO BRAVO- 001-2024

General descriptión: Management, coordination and supervision services for the wastewater collection and treatment infrastructure works in Nuevo Progreso in the municipality of Río Bravo, Tamaulipas. **Site Visit:** November 21, 2024, at 10:00 a.m. (local time) **Pre-bid meeting:** November 21, 2024, at 12:00 p.m. (local time) **Bid submission deadline**: November 29, 2024, by 12:00 p.m. (local time)

The duration of this work is approximately **210** calendar days. The probable start-up and completion dates for the work are **January 20, 2025** and **August 18, 2025**, respectively.

The corresponding bid documents and terms of reference will only be published in Spanish and may be inspected and acquired free of charge via Internet at <u>comapariobravo.com</u>. The documents may also be inspected as of the date of this publication and until **November 29, 2024**, Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. (local time), at the offices of COMAPA located at: calle Av. Libertad S/N, Fracc. Rio Bravo, Tamaulipas.

Bids may be presented in U.S. dollars or Mexican pesos. Monthly invoices will be paid in the currency indicated in the bid. For the purposes of bid evaluation only, the exchange rate published in the *Diario Oficial de la Federación* for the settling of obligations denominated in foreign currency payable in Mexico, will be used. The date used as the basis for the conversion will be six calendar days prior to the date for opening the bids.

No advance payment for these services will be provided.

Bid documents will be obtained via the Internet at <u>comapariobravo.com</u>; however, the general requirements that will be requested in the bid documents and that bidders must meet are as follows:

- 1. Brief description of the company, its organization and services.
- 2. Companies interested in providing these services must have at least five (5) years of experience in supervising construction works of a comparable complexity and similar or greater size.
- 3. Details concerning the experience required for the work advertised, gained over the last ten years, including a brief description of the activities performed, amount contracted, duration of the work and the personnel who participated.
- 4. Contact name and phone number for at least three of those projects completed within the past ten years, as references.

5. Curriculum vitae (CV) of staff available to work on this project. Consideration will only be given to the CVs of those persons that have direct experience in water and wastewater infrastructure and mechanical, electrical and mechanical works and who have the ability to work in Spanish.

Bidders are encouraged to visit and inspect the work sites and surrounding area on their own to obtain all the information that may be needed to prepare their bids and execute the service contract.

COMAPA will hold a **pre-bid meeting** on **November 21, 2024** at **10:00 a.m.** (local time), in the offices of COMAPA located at: calle Av. Libertad S/N, Fracc. Rio Bravo, Tamaulipas, México.

All questions from potential bidders must be submitted in writing, no later than **November 21, 2024**, to the attention of COMAPA Technical Manager José Cruz Reyna Zárate at <u>pepereyza@hotmail.com</u>. The responses to the questions will be provided in the minutes of the pre-bid meeting or a clarification addendum to the procurement documents, as necessary, and will be published on the Internet at <u>comapariobravo.com</u>.

Bidders must submit separate technical and financial proposals in accordance with the instructions provided by the Executing Agency. Bidders must not include any type of pricing information in the technical proposal. Proposals must be valid for a period of ninety (90) days from the date of submission, during which the proposed price and personnel for the project shall not be changed.

Bids must be delivered no later than **12:00 p.m.** (local time) on **November 29, 2024**, to the offices of COMAPA located at calle Av. Libertad S/N, Fracc. Rio Bravo, Tamaulipas, México, attention Lic. Edgar Abdiel Peña Serna, Gerente General del COMAPA.

For more information, please contact: José Cruz Reyna Zárate, Gerente Técnico de la COMAPA by e-mail at: <u>pepereyza@hotmail.com</u>, Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Río Bravo, Tamaulipas, November 14, 2024

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