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REISSUING OF INVITATION FOR PREQUALIFICATION OF GENERAL CONTRACTORS

**WASTEWATER TREATMENT FACILITY
SOLIDS TRAIN UPGRADE**

The solids train upgrade project will require extensive modifications/renovation to the facility's Operation Building to upgrade the facility's solids train process for separate sludge thickening, pumping, conveyance and sludge cake storage. Major process components of the project include: new thickening centrifuges to separately thicken waste activated sludge, thickened waste activated sludge pumps, sludge mixers, sludge cake conveyance, dewatered sludge cake storage silo, sludge piping/valve modifications and associated appurtenances. In addition to the process upgrades, structural steel building modifications, architectural renovations, as well as mechanical and electrical upgrades are required to prepare the existing spaces for the new process and to construct a building addition to expand the existing sludge and grit loading area. There are also ancillary upgrades including but not limited to: a new vector truck unloading station, exterior odor control duct and supports, and a new mannich polymer unloading station.

The estimated construction cost is \$20 million and construction duration is 780 calendar days.

PREQUALIFICATION

General contractors with extensive experience in wastewater and/or water treatment projects of a similar size and scope are invited to submit prequalification packages for bidding on the City of Manchester's Wastewater Treatment Facility Solids Train Upgrade Project. Questions should be directed to the City's engineer Wright-Pierce care of Bryanna Denis at (207) 798-3777 or bryanna.denis@wright-pierce.com. Sealed *Prequalification Statements* will be received at the Wright-Pierce Manchester office until **4:00 PM EST on Thursday, August 20, 2020**. Prequalification statements shall be addressed as follows: Prequalification Statement, Attn: Lynne Kessler, Wright-Pierce, 250 Commercial Street, Suite 4014, Manchester, New Hampshire 03103.

The original project bidding schedule was delayed due to COVID-19. Previously prequalified general contractors are not required to resubmit qualifications packages. Project will bid in September with a mandatory pre-bid conference occurring late-September, bid opening in mid-October, and a Notice to Proceed issued in early November.

The right is reserved to waive any informalities in or reject any or all prequalifying Contractors and to accept prequalified Contractors that are deemed most favorable to the interest of the City of Manchester.

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