

City of South Gate

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THE CITY OF SOUTH GATE

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FORMAL NOTICE INVITING BIDS

Sealed bids will be received at the office of the City Clerk, City of South Gate, California, until **10 a.m. on September 14, 2023**, and on the same day shortly thereafter, they will be publicly opened and read for the "SG PARK FENCE REPLACEMENT, CITY PROJECT NO. 550-PRK, FEDERAL HUD NO. 728" in accordance with the Specifications, therefore. Bids must be made on the forms provided for this purpose, addressed to the City Clerk, City of South Gate, marked "Bid For," followed by the title of the project and the date and hour for submitting bids. Bids are required for the entire work as described in the Bid Schedule and the Specifications.

The contract documents may be downloaded at no cost from the City of South Gate's website at: https://www.cityofsouthgate.org/Government/Departments/Community-Development/Economic-Development/Doing-Business-with-South-Gate/Notice-Inviting-Bids . Copies may also be obtained in person at the City of South Gate Public Works Department, 8650 California Avenue, South Gate, CA, 90280 for a non-refundable fee of \$30.00, or requested by mail for a non-refundable fee of \$40.00. The documents are entitled: "SG PARK FENCE REPLACEMENT, CITY PROJECT NO. 550-PRK, FEDERAL HUD NO. 728". Payments are acceptable in the form of cash or check only.

A MANDATORY PRE-BID CONFERENCE WILL BE HELD ON SEPTEMBER 6, 2023 AT 9:00 A.M. The meeting will be held at the SOUTH GATE PARK AUDITORIUM, 4900 SOUTHERN AVENUE IN SOUTH GATE.

Completion of Work: All work to be done under this contract shall be completed within 100 working days, beginning on the date stipulated in the written "Notice to Proceed" to be issued by the City.

Bids will not be accepted from contractors who are not licensed in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 9, Division III of the Business and Professions Code of the State of California. The Contractor shall be required to possess a current "Classification A", General Engineering Contractor license or a "C-13" Fencing Contractor license for the aforementioned at

the time the contract is awarded. Attention is directed to the provisions in Sections 1777.5, 1777.6, and 1777.7 of the California Labor Code and Title 8 of the California Administrative Code, Section 200, et seq., to ensure compliance and complete understanding of the law regarding the employment of apprentices by the Contractor or any subcontractor under him.

A contractor or subcontractor shall not be qualified to bid on, be listed in a bid proposal, subject to the requirements of Section 4104 of the Public Contract Code or engage in the performance of any contract for public work, as defined in this chapter, unless currently registered and qualified to perform public work pursuant to Section 1725.5. It is not a violation of this section for an unregistered contractor to submit a bid that is authorized by Section 7029.1 of the Business and Professions Code or by Section 10164 or 20103.5 of the Public Contract Code, provided the contractor is registered to perform public work pursuant to Section 1725.5 at the time the contract is awarded. This project is subject to compliance monitoring and enforcement by the Department of Industrial Relations.

Before a Contract is entered into with the successful bidder, the bidder shall present evidence in writing to the City Clerk, City of South Gate that the bidder has a current combined single limit liability policy with aggregate limits for Bodily Injury and Property Damage in the amount of one million dollars (\$1,000,000).

During the performance of this contract, the vendor/contractor warrants that it will provide equal opportunities, and that the vendor/contractor and each subcontractor will take affirmative action to ensure that its employment practices, persons are employed, and employees are treated equally and without regard to, or because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, physical handicap, or medical condition. This provision applies to work or services performed or materials manufactured or assembled in the United States.

The successful bidder will be required to furnish a payment bond in an amount equal to one hundred percent (100%) of the contract price and a faithful performance bond in an amount equal to one hundred percent (100%) of a contract price and said bonds shall be secured from a surety company satisfactory to the City Attorney for the City of South Gate.

This is a federally-assisted construction project. Federal Labor Standards Provisions outlined in the HUD-4010 form, including the prevailing wage requirements of the Davis Bacon and Related Acts (DBRA) will be enforced. The "current Federal Wage Decision" is the one in effect 10-day prior to the bid opening date and can be found on-line at http://wdol.gov. online The State wage rates area available at http://www.dir.ca.gov/DLSR/PWD/index.htm. In the event of a conflict between Federal and State wages rates, the higher of the two will prevail. Lower state wage rates for work classifications not specifically included in the Federal rages decision are not acceptable.

Apprenticeship Program: Attention is directed to Section 1777.5, 1777.6 and 1777.7 of the California Labor Code and Title 8 of the California Administrative Code, Section 200, et seq., to ensure compliance and complete understanding of the law regarding apprentices.

Conflict of Interest: In the procurement of supplies, equipment, construction, and services by

sub-recipients, the conflict-of-interest provisions in 24CFR 85.36. OMB Circular A-110, and 24CFR 570.611 shall apply. No employee, office, or agent of the sub-recipient shall participate in the selection, award, or administration of a contract supported by federal funds if a conflict of interest, real or apparent, is involved.

Section 3 Bid Preferences: This HUD Section 3 covered construction project is intended to create economic opportunities for low-income residents and qualified business in the project area. **First preference** will be given to a bidder who is a qualified Section 3 Business Concern and provides a reasonable bid. **Second preference** will be given to a bidder who commits to employing income qualified residents or to subcontracting with qualified business concerns; identifies the positions and/or subcontractor to be hired: and provides a reasonable bid. A bid is considered reasonable for Section 3 if the bid is found to be within the Zone of Consideration, as outlined in 24CFR 135, detailed in the project specifications, and explained at the pre-bid meeting. In order to receive a bid preference, a bidder must be responsive to Section 3 requirements. A Section 3 responsive bidder will submit a Section 3 Business Certification form and supporting form(s) with the bid to document either that the bidder is a Section 3 Business Concern itself or that it will commit to hiring and/or subcontracting goals, as outlined in the "Section 3 Clause" of the specifications.

In order to receive a bid preference, a bidder must be responsive to Section 3 requirements. A Section 3 responsive bidder will submit a Section 3 Business Certification form and supporting form(s) with the bid to document either that the bidder is a Section 3 Business Concern itself or that it will commit to hiring and/or subcontracting goals, as outlined in the "Section 3 Clause" of the specifications.

The City of South Gate reserves the right to reject any and all bids or delete portions of any and all bids or waive any informality or irregularity in the bid or the bid procedures and shall be the sole judge of the bids received.

No participation in the procurement process shall be permitted by any vendor who has been debarred or suspended or otherwise excluded from or ineligible for participation in Federal assistance programs under Executive Order 12549.

If any interested person seeks additional information regarding this Notice Inviting Bids on the proposed Project, please contact Steve Costley, Director of Parks & Recreation during regular business hours of the City of South Gate, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m., Monday through Thursday at (323) 563-5494.

Notice given this 24th day of August 2023.

By order of the City of South Gate.

Yodit Glaze, City Clerk City of South Gate, CA