NOTICE INVITING BIDS

SOUTH SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTY SANITATION DISTRICT, CA

SEALED BIDS will be received at the offices of the District at 1600 Aloha Place, Oceano, CA 93445 until

1:30 PM, March 9, 2018

at which time they will be publicly opened and read for performing work as follows:

Construction of the SSLOCSD WWTP DIGESTER No. 1 VALVE REPLACEMENT PROJECT, consists of:

- Furnishing and installing 6" plug valve
- Removing and replacing 12" gate valves (2) and 14" gate valves (2) with owner furnished gate valves
- Furnishing and installing new 12" and 14" ductile iron fittings and piping
- Lining and coating of Contractor provided fittings, piping, and appurtenances
- Topcoating of owner furnished 12" gate valves (2)
- Excavation of and modifications to buried 14" piping
- Polyethylene encasement of buried 14" piping
- Trench backfill, sand-cement slurrying, and pavement repair
- Incidental trench and vault dewatering

Drawings, specifications and other bidding documents can be viewed and purchased online at www.asapreprographics.com.

OBTAINING CONTRACT DOCUMENTS: The Contract Documents are entitled "SOUTH SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTY SANITATION DISTRICT DIGESTER No. 1 VALVE REPLACEMENT PROJECT" and are available for electronic download for a non-refundable payment of \$25.00 to ASAP Reprographics. Select the ASAP Plan Files icon at www.asapplanroom.com to register as an official plan holder upon purchase of the project download. If hard copy project documents are desired, they may be purchased at reproduction cost from ASAP Reprographics, 495 Morro Bay Blvd., Morro Bay, CA 93442, Attn: Vicki (Phone 805-772-6921).

Requests for information or clarification must be submitted **IN WRITING** and received by the District no later than 5:00 p.m. on **3/2/2018** (Friday before bid opening). Requests may be submitted via email to: cswain@mknassociates.us

The Design Engineer has calculated an estimate of probable construction costs for this project. The District does not wish to publicize the engineer's estimate of the project cost

since this information may tend to influence the number and nature of bids received. However, for the bidder's convenience, the District will publicize that the engineer's estimate for the base bid falls within a range of \$30,000 to \$36,000.

Bids shall be executed on the forms provided in the book of bidding documents and in accordance

with the instructions contained therein.

Bid security, in an amount not less than 10 percent (10%) of the total bid dollar amount, is required to be submitted with each bid. The bid security shall be in the form of a bidder's bond or a certified or cashier's check drawn upon a responsible bank made payable to SSLOCSD, and conditioned to be forfeited to said District in the event that the bidder, if the bid is accepted, does not enter into a written contract within ten (10) days after the awarding of the contract. The bidder to whom award is made will be required to furnish a payment bond and a faithful performance bond.

As required under Contractor's License in the Instructions to Bidders of the bidding documents, bidders shall be licensed as a Class "A" General Engineering Contractor.

In addition, the following conditions apply:

- No contractor or subcontractor may be listed on a bid proposal for a public works project (submitted on or after March 1, 2015) \$25,000 in value or greater or a maintenance project \$15,000 in value or greater unless registered with the Department of Industrial Relations pursuant to Labor Code section 1725.5 [with limited exceptions from this requirement for bid purposes only under Labor Code section 1771.1(a)].
- No contractor or subcontractor may be awarded a contract for public work on a public works project (awarded on or after April 1, 2015) \$25,000 in value or greater or a maintenance project \$15,000 in value or greater unless registered with the Department of Industrial Relations pursuant to Labor Code section 1725.5.
- This project is subject to compliance monitoring and enforcement by the Department of Industrial Relations.

Pursuant to Section 1770, and the following, of the California Labor Code, the successful bidder shall pay not less than the prevailing rate of per diem wages as determined by the Director of the California Department of Industrial Relations. A copy of such prevailing rate of per diem wages is on file at the offices of the District at 1600 Aloha Place, Oceano, CA 93445, which copy will be made available for examination at such offices during business hours to any party on request.

Pursuant to provisions of Section 22300 of the California Public Contract Code, Contractor may substitute securities for any monies withheld by Owner to ensure performance of the Work.

A MANDATORY pre-bid conference WILL be held for this project at 2:00 PM on 2/20/2018

at the District Office: 1600 Aloha Place, Oceano, CA 93445.

SSLOCSD reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive all minor irregularities.