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

2:00 p.m. local time, 10/29/2020

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

Construction of the SSLOCSD WWTP 2020 DIGESTER No. 2 CLEANING PROJECT, consists of:

• Removal and dewatering of sand, grit, screenings, sludge, floatables, and macrofauna including snails and fly larvae from Digester No. 2, and hose washing of interior surfaces including walls, ceiling, floor, and appurtenances.

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

OBTAINING CONTRACT DOCUMENTS: The Contract Documents are entitled "SOUTH SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTY SANITATION DISTRICT DIGESTER NO. 2 CLEANING PROJECT." The Contract Documents may be obtained from ASAP Reprographics, 495 Morro Bay Blvd., Morro Bay, CA 93442, Attn: Vicki (Phone 805-772-6921) upon payment of \$25.00 (non-refundable) for each set of Contract Documents (including technical specifications and accompanying reduced scale drawings, and CD). The scale of the reduced drawings is approximately one-half of the original scale. If full scale drawings are desired they may be purchased at reproduction cost from ASAP Reprographics at <u>www.asapreprographics.com</u>.

Requests for information or clarification must be submitted <u>IN WRITING</u> and received by the District no later than 5:00 p.m. on Friday, **10/23/2020 (Friday before bid opening).** Requests may be submitted via email to: jhanlon@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 \$150,000 to \$200,000.

Bids shall be executed on the forms provided in the book of bidding documents and in accordance with the instructions contained therein. A separate, unbound, set of bid forms are provided for the bidder's convenience.

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.

In addition, the following conditions apply:

- No contractor or subcontractor may be listed on a bid proposal for a public works project 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 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 <u>MANDATORY</u> pre-bid conference <u>WILL NOT</u> be held for this project.

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