

INVITATION FOR BIDS

The City of Crete will receive Bids for the construction of Water Plant Rehabilitation 2022 until 11:00a.m., May 31, 2022, at the City Office, P.O. Box 86, 243 East 13th Street, Crete, NE 68333-0086. At that time, all bids will be opened and publicly read aloud.

The construction work contemplated in this project includes the following principal features:

WATER PLANT REHABILITATION

Replace the underdrain nozzles/strainers and filter media for the Type III Multiwash aerator treatment facility. Media and nozzles/strainers will be supplied by the City.

The Bid shall be an aggregate bid on all Work to be performed, broken down in such a manner as will accurately reflect unit prices for estimated quantities set out herein. Details of construction, materials to be used, and methods of installation for this Project are given in the Project Manual. A Contract will be awarded to the low, responsive, responsible Bidder, based on the aggregate bid for the Work, construction time schedule, materials, and past performance on contracts with the Owner.

Bidding Documents, including Drawings and Project Manual, are on file at City Office, 243 East 13th Street, Crete, Nebraska. These documents may be down loaded in electronic portable document format (pdf) for bidding purposes from [QuestCDN](http://www.questcdn.com), at www.questcdn.com, Project #8145791 for \$15.00. A hard copy of these documents for bidding purposes may be obtained from the Engineer and Issuing Office, Gilmore & Associates, Inc., P.O. Box 565, Columbus, Nebraska 68602-0565, telephone - (402) 564-2807, upon payment of \$40, none of which will be refunded. No refund will be issued to the Successful Bidder(s).

Complete sets of Bidding Documents as issued by QuestCDN and/or the Issuing Office must be used in preparing Bids; neither Owner nor Engineer assumes any responsibility for errors or misinterpretations resulting from the use of incomplete sets of Bidding Documents or Bidding Documents obtained from any source other than QuestCDN or the Issuing Office.

Each Bid shall be accompanied in a separate sealed envelope by a certified check drawn on a solvent bank in the State of Nebraska, or Bid Bond in an amount not less than five percent of the total Bid, and shall be made payable to the City of Crete, Nebraska, as security that the Bidder to whom the Contract will be awarded will enter into a Contract to build the improvements in accordance with this notice, and give bond in the sum as hereinafter provided for construction of the improvements. Checks and bonds accompanying Bids not accepted shall be returned to the Bidder in accordance with the terms contained in the Instructions to Bidders.

No Bids shall be withdrawn after the opening of Bids without consent of the City of Crete, Nebraska, for a period of 60 days after the scheduled time of opening Bids.

The Successful Bidder will be required to furnish satisfactory Performance and Payment Bonds in the sum of the full amount of the Contract. Said bonds, to be executed by a responsible corporate surety, shall guarantee: the faithful performance of the Contract; the terms and conditions therein contained; and payment for all labor and materials used in connection with the Work.

The City of Crete, Nebraska, reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any technicalities in bidding.

CITY OF CRETE, NEBRASKA